



Muskingum University Impact Center

Newsletter

October 30, 2023



What's New with the Impact Center?

On October 23rd, the Impact Center offered a spooky surprise to all daring students! We participated in the campus office decorating contest, and invited students to our eerie dining room, complete with a skeleton, black lights, flickering candles, and creepy music. Students received a sweet treat and information about Focus2Career, an online guide to choosing a major and future careers.



Happy Halloween!



Faculty Resources

Career Planning and Development Resources Available for Faculty at the Impact Center!

The Impact Center offers career planning and development resources that faculty can incorporate into their teaching and advising. Visit our website and explore the [dedicated sections for faculty](#), which provide access to all our career resources!



Focus 2 Career

A comprehensive online guide for choosing a major to prepare students for choosing a career



What Can I Do With This Major?

Features profiles for majors and common career paths for each major



Handshake

An online career platform to connect Muskingum students to internship and job opportunities both on and off-campus



Parker Dewey

A website for micro-internship opportunities which are short-term, paid, professional assignments.



Big Interview

A step-by-step job interview preparation site through virtual experiences

Alumni Campus Connections

The Impact Center will help you coordinate and organize your alumni visit and we can help you find and alum who can present to your class or group on campus.

Class Visits

Staff from the Impact Center can visit your class and help with resume building and career development.

Virtual Interview Room

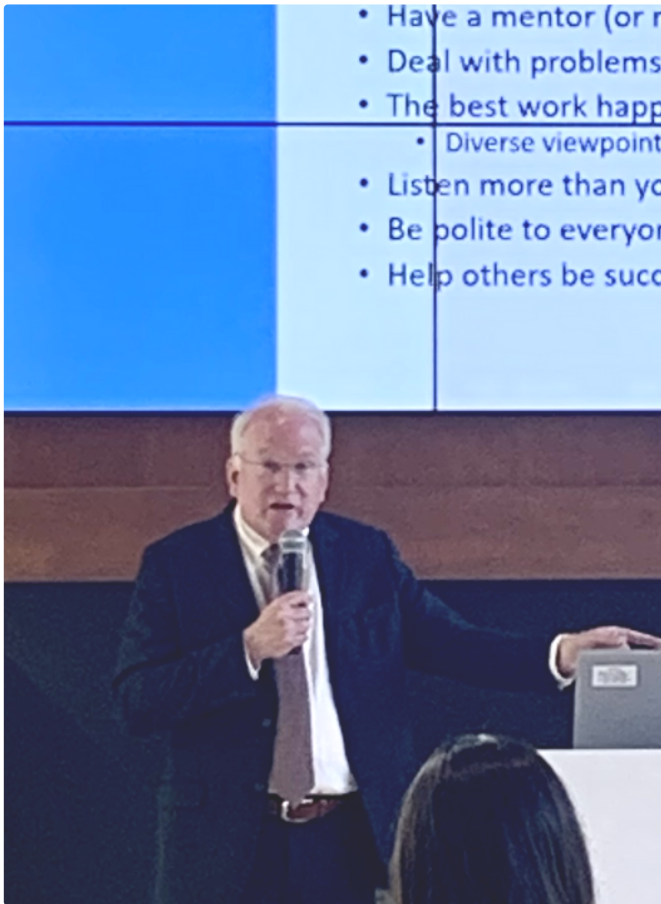
A private space within the Impact Center that offers a quiet, private environment for professional interviews.



Alumni Connections Spotlight

Hurst's Visit to Muskingum: Reflections on a Prolific Career

The Walter Humanitarian Fellows had the pleasure of hosting Dr. Mark Hurst '81 on October 18, 2023. Dr. Hurst is a psychiatrist and addiction specialist who has made significant contributions to public health advocacy. He has held various positions, including serving as the Medical Director for the Ohio Department of Health during the COVID-19 pandemic.



Career Advice from Dr. Mark Hurst

- Power of saying Yes
- Mission is Important
- All life events are opportunities to learn
- Assess where you are in life in regular intervals
- Have a mentor
- Deal with problems early
- The best work happens in teams
- Listen more than you talk
- Be polite to everyone always
- Help others be successful
- Be humble

During his visit to Muskingum, Dr. Hurst had the opportunity to speak with students, faculty, and staff. He shared valuable insights gained from his extensive experience in addressing the opioid crisis, navigating the scientific and political implications of COVID-19, and working in private practice. Dr. Hurst strongly advocates for teamwork, emphasizing that it often leads to the best outcomes when approached with a mission-oriented mindset and a systematic approach to achieving goals. We are honored to have Dr. Hurst as part of the Muskingum community and look forward to his continued mentorship of our students.

Internship Opportunities on Handshake

Handshake, a national career platform, is one of the many resources available through the Impact Center for internship opportunities. Below are a few of the opportunities for 2024 in the Columbus, Ohio and surrounding areas:

Financial Internship

- 2024 Corporate Analyst Development Program Insights Program
 - Company: JP Morgan Chase *
 - Location: Columbus, OH
 - Estimated Pay: \$38.46 per hour
 - Application Deadline: December 2, 2023

Environmental/Conservation Services Internship

- Cultural Resource Member- Hopewell Culture National Historical Park
 - Company: American Conservation Experience
 - Location: Chillicothe, OH
 - Estimated Pay: \$10 per hour
 - Application Deadline: March 10, 2024

Library/Museum Archivist

- College Intern-Library/Museum Archive/Design
 - Company: Ohio Bureau of Workers Compensation
 - Location: Columbus, OH
 - Estimated Pay: TBD
 - Application Deadline: March 12, 2024

Banking Internship

- Regional Banking Internship: Summer 2024
 - Company: Huntington Bank*
 - Location: Columbus, OH
 - Estimated Pay: TBD
 - Application Deadline: December 8, 2023

Additional Opportunities:

Design/Marketing Internship-WillowTree

Correctional Program Specialist Internship-Franklin County Sheriff

Prevention Education and Advocacy Intern-SADD

Sports Management-Youth Sports Internship-Bally Sports

Human Resources Internship- Bob Evans Farms*

Non-Profit Social Justice Internship-Stand Together Fellows/Koch

Companies marked with * are those that have employed Muskingum alumni.

Interested? Need help navigating Handshake? Contact the Impact Center at impactcenter@muskingum.edu for more information.

Career Development

Career Development and Internship Opportunities

- McWane Ductile in Coshocton-various summer 2024 internships available including environmental, engineering, and sales.
- Aerospace Internship- Zed Factor Summer Fellowship- open to all majors.
- Columbus Ohio Job Fair-November 8th, 2023-Franklin County Fairgrounds.

To learn more about these and other opportunities visit our [Career Development Opportunities](#) webpage.



Congratulations to our Forensics Speech and Debate Team for earning 4th, 5th, and 6th place in Poetry and Prose at the Marshall University Memorial Tournament! Best of luck for the upcoming OATS and Otterbein Heart of It All Tournaments!

Knowledge Nugget



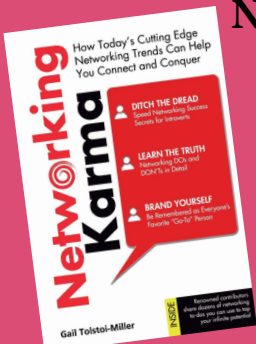
The Power of Networking in Career Development

Networking is the key to advancing your career and establishing meaningful connections.

New to networking or ready to polish your networking skills? Here are two great resources:

[Networking Karma](#) by Gail Tolstoi Miller

[100 Things You Need to Know: Networking: For Students and New Professionals](#) by Mary Crane



Impact Center Contest

Attention Students!

The Impact Center invites you to **Name Our Newsletter!**

Show us your creative skills and help us give our newsletter a fun and catchy name!

The student with the most creative entry will **win a JBL Bluetooth Speaker!**

Submit your entry to impactcenter@muskingum.edu by **November 11th**. The winner will be notified on November 14th.



NCDA National Career Development Month Poetry and Art Contest

To celebrate National Career and Development Month in November, the National Career Development Association is organizing its **58th annual Poetry and Art Contest**.

Participants are encouraged to use artistic expression to reflect on their personal journey, career goals, and aspirations while promoting well-being, self-awareness, and resilience, which are essential as they progress through their careers.



National awards will be given to the first, second, and third place winners in the six divisions in both the Poetry and Art Contests.

Visit the [NCDA contest page](#) for entry information.

Mark your calendar!

On-Demand Learning

Engage the Likeability Effect in the Job Search

[LinkedIn](#)

November 16, 2023 2pm ET

Parker Dewey Webinar

Learn about Micro-Internships (short-term paid, professional projects)

[Click here to register](#)

December 1, 2023, 11 am to 1 pm

Learn about Focus2Career (a free, online program for choosing a major)

Sip on hot chocolate

Impact Center



December 20, 2023, 1pm ET

Parker Dewey Webinar

Creating your own Opportunities with Micro-Internships

[Click here to register.](#)

Graduate Programs at Muskingum

Earn your graduate degree at Muskingum from one of our six degree programs:

Master of Education (MAE)

Master of Teaching (MAT)

Master of Business Information Systems (MBIS)

Master of Occupational Therapy (MOT)

Master of Applied Leadership (MAL)

Doctor of Applied Leadership (DAL)



Interested? Visit [Graduate and Continuing Studies](#) or register for a [Zoom Information Session](#).

Add your campus event to our calendar!

Email impactcenter@muskingum.edu with the following information: date and time of event, name of event, and brief description of event. We will list it in our next newsletter!