

How to Navigate USC's Career Development Hub

USC's Career Development Hub is designed to help you reflect, explore, and take action, no matter where you are in your career journey.

1. Start at the Career Development Hub

Visit the main page to understand what's available:

- Tools to **assess your strengths and goals**
- Learning resources and **TrojanLearn courses**
- Career workshops and development opportunities

Tip: Think of this page as your “home base” for everything career-related at USC.

2. Use the Career Development Toolkit (Your Step-by-Step Guide)

The Toolkit is the easiest way to navigate the hub because it follows a simple 3-step journey:

Step 1: Know Yourself

- Reflect on your **strengths, values, and interests**
- Use self-assessments and guided activities to build self-awareness

Best for: If you're unsure what you want next or want more clarity.

Step 2: Explore Career Possibilities

- Learn about different career paths and mobility options
- Build skills through **TrojanLearn and other resources**
- Connect with others through **networking, mentoring, or coaching**

Best for: If you're curious about options or thinking about a change.

Step 3: Chart Your Course

- Set clear goals and create an action plan
- Prepare your **resume, LinkedIn, and interview skills**
- Track accomplishments and career progress

Best for: If you're ready to pursue a new opportunity or next step.

3. Explore Career Resources (Learn at Your Own Pace)

The **Career Resources** page offers curated content to support ongoing growth:

- Books on mindset, strengths, and career transitions
- Podcasts for career clarity, leadership, and job search strategies
- **TrojanLearn** playlists for structured skill-building

Tip: Choose one resource that aligns with your current goal. There's no need to do everything at once.

4. Take Action (Small Steps Matter)

Across the hub, you'll see consistent actions you can take:

- Start a self-assessment
- Sign up for a workshop, listen to one of the podcasts, or read one of the recommended books
- Talk with your manager or mentor
- Update your resume or profile

USC emphasizes **ongoing development through reflection + action**.

5. Revisit Often

Your goals and interests may evolve. Come back to:

- Reassess your strengths
- Explore new opportunities
- Continue building skills

We invite you to attend an Information Session



Next Steps in Your Career Journey: Utilizing Career Development Resources

This information session introduces you to the career development resources and workshops available through our hub. During this session, you'll learn how to navigate key tools, explore learning opportunities, and identify workshops that can support your professional growth. Whether you're considering your next move or simply want to better understand what resources are available, this session will help you make informed, confident decisions as you take the next steps in your career journey.

[Register for this session and others here](#)