

RESOURCES FOR LGBTQIA+ STUDENTS

General Advice

As Titans, it is imperative to gain professional experience through volunteering, clubs, and organization involvement, internships, assistantships, fellowships, part-time and full-time jobs. This professional experience should match the career field that you want to enter after graduation, and it should be a learning opportunity that you can use to strengthen your skillset. All CSUF students are encouraged to take advantage of all the services and resources provided by the Career Center, including full access to Titan Connection, where job and internship opportunities are posted daily. Below you will find recommendations on how to get the most of your experience at CSUF and learn how to navigate different LGBTQIA+ resources and opportunities.

apps.fullerton.edu/career

Using the Career Center

The CSUF Career Center celebrates your diverse and unique identities. Fighting for equality means we can't afford to let any Titan fall through the cracks. We work diligently to ensure we can provide the very best services to all of our students and do our part in creating a society where none of us is left behind. The Career Center offers various services to help you in your professional development.

Titans can **make a 1-1 appointment** to understand your strengths, explore majors and minors, review and get helpful advice on building a resume, cover letter, and related career documents. The Career Center assists with graduate school exploration, statement of purpose review, graduate school interview preparation, mock job interviews, salary negotiation, and so much more! The Career Center also hosts workshops and events all semester long that help Titans develop skills and increase their professional knowledge. Additionally, all Titans have access to our **Drive-Thru & College Drop-In Hours**, where you can get assistance on the spot without the need of having to wait for an appointment.

- **Make a 1-1 appointment at:**

www.fullerton.edu/career/contact-us/request-appointment.php

- **Drive-Thru & College Drop-In Hours**

www.fullerton.edu/career/contact-us/drop-in.php

On-Campus Student Organizations & Volunteering Opportunities

LGBT Queer Resource Center is a community space for LGBTQ students and allies at CSUF.

www.fullerton.edu/lgbtq/

Student Organizations

www.fullerton.edu/lgbtq/resources-services/student-organizations.php

Sign up for the **LGBT Queer Resource Center** e-newsletter where you can learn about events and news

fullerton.us12.list-manage.com/

[subscribe?u=6a1e51851e386cdded5ff06a2&id=4cc90fb04b](https://fullerton.us12.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=6a1e51851e386cdded5ff06a2&id=4cc90fb04b)

Queer Peers Mentoring Program

www.fullerton.edu/lgbtq/resources-services/center-services.php

Career Tip: Co-curricular involvement in organizations and volunteer programs adds value to your resume and skill set. These opportunities allow you to create a professional network and connection with others.



Off–Campus Student Organizations & Volunteering Opportunities

Listed below are some amazing National LGBTQIA+ Centered Organizations for professional development, leadership, and advocacy. Also, listed below are three LGBTQIA+ Country Centers that offer volunteer

National LGBTQIA+ Organizations

Human Rights Campaign

www.hrc.org/

National LGBT Chamber of Commerce

www.nglcc.org/

Pride at Work

www.prideatwork.org/

LGBT National Help Center

www.glnh.org/

Local Volunteering Opportunities

LGBT Center OC

www.lgbtqcenteroc.org/about/volunteer/

LGBTQ+ Center of Riverside County

www.rivcocenter.org/volunteer

Los Angeles LGBT Center

volunteer.lalgbtcenter.org/

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Make sure you stay in touch with the **CSUF Career Center** and the **CSUF LGBT Queer Resource Center** for support, guidance, and career preparation.

LGBTQIA+ Friendly Companies & Organizations

Finding good companies that will be accepting of LGBTQIA+ employees can be challenging. Anyone company can put out a statement about their inclusive work environment and practices, but the reality is that determining whether or not a company does enough to promote diversity and inclusion in the workplace is far more complicated than merely realizing an diversity and equality statement.

Below you will find some reputable organizations that have researched a wide array of companies and published lists of the most LGBTQIA+ friendly companies across the nation.

Human Rights Campaign - Best Places to Work for LGBTQ Equality
www.hrc.org/resources/best-places-to-work-for-lgbtq-equality-2021

Monster - Best Companies for LGBTQ Workers
www.monster.com/career-advice/article/best-companies-lgbt-0617

Glassdoor - Amazing Companies that Champion LGBTQ Equality Hiring
www.glassdoor.com/blog/companies-lgbtq-equality/

On–Campus LGBTQIA+ Scholarship Opportunities

Ericksen LGBTQ Grant Program at CSUF

www.fullerton.edu/lgbtq/resources-services/scholarships.php

Off–Campus LGBTQIA+ Scholarship Opportunities

Affordable Colleges Online - College Scholarship for LGBTQ Students
www.affordablecollegesonline.org/college-resource-center/lgbtq-scholarships-financial-aid/

CreditDonkey - Financial Resources for LGBTQ Students
www.creditdonkey.com/resources-lgbtq-students.html

Best Colleges - Best Companies for LGBTQ Workers
www.bestcolleges.com/financial-aid/lgbtq-scholarships/

