"Mentoring is a brain to pick, an ear to listen, and a push in the right direction."

~ John Crosby



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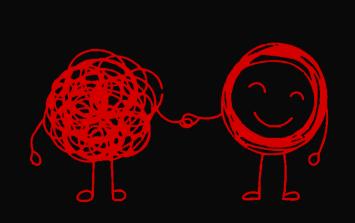
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CAREER NETWORK

## What We Do

#### **1 ON 1 MENTORING**

Mentors and mentees are matched by career interest and use face-to-face, phone, and online communications to explore topics such as: authentic, self-motivated goals; professional etiquette; interviewing; resumes and cover letters; and other job search strategies.

#### PREPARE STUDENTS FOR A PURPOSEFUL LIFE AFTER COLLEGE

CHABSS Career Network helps prepare students for a purposeful life after college by exploring connections between their interests, passions, studies, and potential career paths. Students work on articulating their goals and honing their career readiness skills with the help of mentors consisting of regional professionals, alumni, business, non profit, and community leaders.

#### SUPPORT FOR FIRST GENERATION COLLEGE STUDENTS

The Career Network supports this population specifically because these are the students who are less likely to have a mentor and/or develop a network on which to rely for career development. Our network builds upon other existing resources at CSUSM such as the Career Center and the Faculty Mentoring Program for making connections that support students' future career goals.



### Testimonials

"Through conversations with my mentor, it became clear what I needed to prioritize in order to reach my goals. I was able to formulate ambitious objectives for myself that made growing up and entering the workforce less intimidating and more liberating." ~ Kim, mentee, 2019

"It is most rewarding to be able to guide and advise students who are interested in the same field that I work in. I was excited to share my wisdom and experience and help my student through familiar processes like grad school applications, internships, etc." ~ Renee, mentor

# **Get Involved**

Your wisdom and experience could be life-changing for a student.

To sign up as a mentor or to get more information, use your phone camera to scan the QR code or head over to www.csusm.edu/chabss/studentresources/ careerreadiness

