



GET-IN
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Office of Student Success

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Hours: Monday – Friday,
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L. Douglas Wilder School of
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Jumpstart your career

Take advantage of the Wilder School's on-campus Get in Gear Series. Held multiple times each semester, Gear events are designed to foster relationships between Wilder students and prospective private and public interest employers.

Featured employers for the Fall 2017 semester include:

PROFESSIONALS IN POLICING PANEL

Monday, Sept. 18

3:00-4:45 PM

University Commons Virginia Rooms C & D

Join the Office of Student Success in welcoming law enforcement professionals from local departments! Panelists will share their career journeys, answer questions on what it takes to enter the field, and opportunities to grow a career in law enforcement. The panel discussion will be followed by an opportunity to network directly with the panelist.

Guest Panelists include:

Chief John Venuti
Officer Johnny L. Sumner
Senior Officer P. F. Malatesta
Investigator Catherine Tedrow
Officer J.R. Carrigan
Officer Dwayne Wiggins

Virginia Commonwealth University Police Department
Prince William County Police Department
Chesterfield County Police Department
Metropolitan Police Department
Henrico County Police Division
Suffolk Police Department

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONALS PANEL

Monday, Oct. 23

2:00 PM-3:00 PM

Scherer Hall room 401

Local Emergency Management Professionals will be here to discuss the field of Emergency Management and their roles in path through the profession. Students will have the opportunity to learn about ways to get involved and ask questions directly to panelists.

Guest Panelists include:

William Lawson
Emily Ashley
Anna McRay

City or Richmond Office of Emergency Management Emergency Planner
Chesterfield Fire and EMS Emergency Management Coordinator
Henrico County Division of Fire Deputy Coordinator of Emergency Management

CAPITAL ONE

Monday Nov. 6

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Scherer Hall room

401

Professional Branding: Making Your Mark on Social Media with Capital One. Capital One recruiters will be here to assist students establish their professional brand using social media tools. Learn about how to use tools like LinkedIn, Facebook, Twitter, and more in your career search!

This event is open to the first 25 students to register! Lunch will be provided.

Richmond Regional Planning District Commission

Monday, Nov. 13

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

The Richmond Regional Planning District Commission is a regional planning agency with major emphasis in the areas of transportation, local technical assistance and information services including demographic, economic and geographic information systems. This agency serves the following jurisdictions: Ashland, Charles City, Chesterfield, Goochland, Hanover, Henrico, New Kent, Powhatan, and Richmond.

Come and learn more about the commission and professional opportunities from members of their team!