

Career Services Remote Workshop

Networking your way to success

Overview: Learn about networking and create a plan to use/increase your network

Directions:

First, watch these: [VIDEO 1](#) [VIDEO 2](#)

Then, review the information in the Useful Links here: <https://www.thomas.edu/career-alumni/professional-and-career-development/network-and-explore/>

Answer these 3 questions (copy and paste into a word document or email, so you can return to Career Services):

1. Who are some of the people in your personal and professional networks? List at least 5. Note if they are available to you for mentoring, advice, assistance or to get more contacts.
2. Reflect upon a time when you were meeting new people or intentionally networking by going to an event. Write a paragraph or two and tell us about it while also answering these: Do you feel you were successful in making connections? Why or why not? What skills do you need to develop to be more effective? Do you have an “elevator speech” you can use?
3. List some networking you plan to do between now and May 2018. Please be specific. Some suggestions: attend a networking event (for upcoming events visit the career services events page at: <https://www.thomas.edu/career-alumni/events-and-workshops/>); contact career services to connect with an alumni or professional in your field of interest for an informational interview; join a group/volunteer, Create a LinkedIn Profile, etc. Need help creating a plan? Contact career services for assistance.

Once complete, please send your responses to pelletierc@thomas.edu via email.

In the subject line of your email: Remote Networking Workshop

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