

Successful Recruiting at Pitt State

2023-2024



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PSU Office of Career Development

Our centralized office provides employers with an effective and efficient method of connecting with students from our 25 academic departments. Career Development staff members are dedicated to creating a professional atmosphere for our talented students, graduates and alumni to connect with employers.

2023-2024 Events

Monday, September 11, 2023..... MEET THE FIRMS DAY

Tues/Wed, September 19-20, 2023..... COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY COMPANY DAYS

Thursday, October 12, 2023..... FALL CAREER FAIR

Friday, October 20, 2023..... EDUCATION FAIR

Thursday, November 9, 2023..... NURSE CAREER DAY

Tuesday, February 27, 2024..... TEACHER INTERVIEW DAY

Wednesday, March 27, 2024..... SPRING CAREER DAY

To register for events, visit our website: pittstate.edu/careers



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Academic Calendar



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Academic Programs



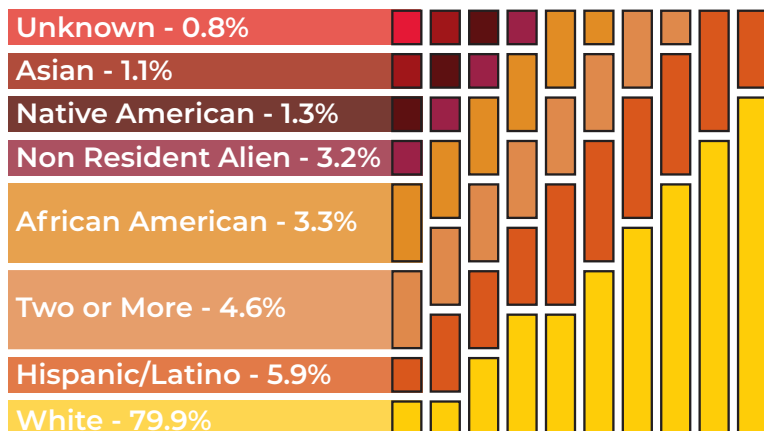
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PITTSBURG STATE UNIVERSITY

Enrollment Highlights



5,858

Total Enrollment

4,489

Undergraduate Students

1,369

Graduate Students

Successful Recruiting at PSU

As an industry leader, you're looking for the best employees and you'll find them at PSU. In order to improve your ability to attract the most talented students, you need to increase brand awareness and let students know exactly what you have to offer.

Whether you visit our campus or utilize our virtual services, here are a few ways we can assist you in recruiting PSU students:

PARTICIPATE IN AN ON-CAMPUS INTERVIEW

Conducting at least one on-campus interview session each semester will help you maintain a strong connection with our students and improve awareness. It's the perfect way to develop a successful relationship that will benefit both your company and our students.

ADVANCE PREPARATION

As an industry leader, you know that success begins with preparation. We ask that you schedule your interview date at least one month prior to your visit. Contact our Associate Director at 620-235-4142 to reserve your date.

CHOOSE THE PROPER ON-CAMPUS RECRUITMENT SCHEDULE

Employers can choose to take part in on-campus interview sessions that are either open or preselected. Recruiters requesting an open schedule will supply qualifications, and students who meet those qualifications will be allowed to take part, as time allows, on a first-come, first-served basis.

Those employers wishing to host a preselect recruitment schedule will pre-screen resumes in advance, and invite only selected candidates.

ATTEND RECRUITING EVENTS

Career Development hosts several Career Fairs each year. This is the perfect venue for you to interact with hundreds of students from a variety of academic disciplines.

HOST AN INFORMATION SESSION

Providing an information session is an excellent way to target a group of students who fit your organization's specific needs. Career Development will make all of the necessary arrangements, including equipment and refreshment requests. Combine this event with an on-campus interview session to get the most out of your information session and campus visit.

RESERVE AN INFORMATION TABLE

Promote your job opportunities and your company in the Overman Student Center or one of our academic buildings to connect with students in a more informal way. The Career Development Office can help you with scheduling and promotion of your event.

PRESENT TO A CLASS OR STUDENT ORGANIZATION

Looking for students in a particular major? Visit a class or consider presenting to one of PSU's student clubs or organizations about your company, industry, and job opportunities.



Career Development is proud to offer our web-based recruiting system, aptly titled "Handshake." This system lets employers easily post job vacancies, collect resumes, view applicants and schedules.

ACCESSING GORILLAS4HIRE

To access Gorillas4Hire:

- Go to: pittstate.edu/careers
 - Select "Gorillas4Hire for Employers"
 - Click on "Employer Login."
- If you are already a registered employer, type your Username and Password to access your account.

For NEW employers:

- Enter your email and follow the prompts.
- Complete your company and contact profiles and submit to Career Development.
- Once your account is activated, you will be able to login with your Username and Password.

POST A JOB LISTING, INTERNSHIP, OR FREELANCE POSITION

You can reach hundreds of students with a simple listing through the Gorillas4Hire system. You are welcome to post your listing through your Gorillas4Hire account, or if you would like our staff to post it, simply email your listing to: careers@pittstate.edu and our Career Development staff will place your posting online within 24 hours.

RESUME REFERRALS

Your company is unique and demands talented students who fulfill your needs. Career Development can help you search for candidates that meet your specific needs through our resume referral system. You can contact our office to request a resume bundle.





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Partnership & Visibility

The Pittsburg State University Office of Career Development is honored to be partnered with outstanding companies and organizations. Representatives attend career fairs, interview on-campus, and volunteer their time for a variety of events and functions. A number of companies also support Career Development by sponsoring an interview room and/or employer hospitality room in the Career Development complex. These employers are recognized below. If you believe your company would be interested in sponsoring an area within Career Development, please contact Heather Busch, Associate Director, for more information.



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PITTSBURG LODGING

Comfort Inn & Suites – 4009 Parkview Drive, 620-231-8800
Hampton Inn & Suites (Kansas Crossing Casino) – 620-231-3100
Holiday Inn Express – 4011 Parkview Drive, 620-231-1177
LaQuinta Inn & Suites – 2410 S. Broadway, 620-670-5614

CAMPUS MAP pittstate.edu/about/campus-map.html

ABOUT PITTSBURG pittks.org

VISIT CRAWFORD COUNTY visitcrawfordcounty.com

MILES TO PITTSBURG STATE UNIVERSITY

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FROM:

Kansas City International Airport – 132 mi.	Topeka, Kan. – 127 mi.
Kansas City, Mo. – 118 mi.	Joplin, Mo. – 24 mi.
Overland Park, Kan. – 110 mi.	Springfield, Mo. – 78 mi.
Wichita, Kan. – 145 mi.	Bentonville, Ark. – 75 mi.
	Tulsa, Okla. – 112 mi.

