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THADDEUS STEVENS COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

# Career Connections



## TSCT Career Services

The Career Services Department is here to assist students and alumni with job search, internship/co-op placement, resume writing, job interviewing skills... and to provide a liaison between employers/faculty/students with regard to job placement. As the demand for skilled technical workers continues to exceed the number of students Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology graduates each year, the potential for career success for our students is limitless!

### Highlights from the past year (2009/2010 school year)

Career Fair: On February 18, 2010, Stevens hosted nearly 200 employers representing more than 80

companies from across the state at our 19<sup>th</sup> annual Career Fair held in the MAC gym. Hundreds of students and alumni turned out to network and hand out resumes. WGAL covered the event highlighting the fact that even with the difficult economy, our students are still in demand. We even had students who were interviewed the day of the fair and hired on the spot!

Office Move: In order to create a "one stop shop", the Career Services office moved from the Schuler Learning Resource Center to the Hartzell Building which now houses all Student Services including Admissions, Financial Aid, and Counseling.

### Mock Interviewing and resume writing workshops:

We visited each of the majors though-out the year to conduct resume writing workshops, provide mock interviewing opportunities and get graduating sophomores prepared for their job search. We even brought companies on campus to interview groups of students for internships and full-time, permanent positions.



## College Central Network



CCN enables employers to post current job openings and students and alumni to search Thaddeus

Stevens College of Technology's job database as well as those of CCN's own EmployerCentral.com job posting hub. In addition, students and alumni can upload and maintain current resumes allowing them to forward information to

prospective employers immediately with the click of a button. For more information or to register as a student, alumni, or employer, please contact Laurie Grove in the Career Services Department.

## Looking Ahead

### 20th Annual Career Fair

Thursday, February 17, 2010  
10am—2pm  
Multipurpose Activity Center

98% placement rate in 2008

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-Henry Ford-*