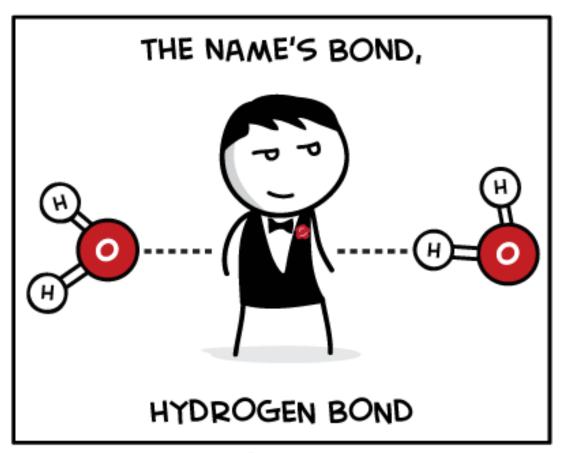


## Why Study Science?





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## Scientists....

- Make new discoveries.
- **Create the future.**
- Develop excellent critical thinking skills fostered through the scientific method.
- Quench their natural love for learning.
- Work within many disciplines.
- Are prepared to excel in some of the fastest growing career areas. (Money, Money, Money)









## The College of Science has 7 Research Centers of Excellence

- Biomedical and Materials Physics
- Complex Systems and Brain Science
- Cryptology and Information Security
- Environmental Studies

- Geo-Information Science
- Molecular Biology and Biotechnology
- Urban and Environmental Solutions



The education and research programs of our College span the sciences and mathematics with major efforts in many fields ranging from biotechnology, bioinformatics, and brain science to cryptology, developmental systems, dynamical systems, environmental sciences, exercise sciences, geo-information science, marine science, and space-time physics.

The College's programs are offered at FAU's campuses in Boca Raton, Davie, Jupiter, and Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institute.





## Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institute



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- Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institute is a world class research organization with a focus on exploring the marine environments, studying key species and understanding the connection between humans and the ocean.
- Located in St. Lucie County, the 144-acre campus along the Indian River Lagoon employs over 200 scientists, engineers, educators, staff and students.
- Offers a semester long undergraduate program "SEMESTER BY THE SEA" for students interested in marine sciences along with summer internships
- HBOI offers a Masters in Marine Science and Oceanography.



## **Biological Sciences**

**BA** Biological Sciences

**BS** Biological Sciences

**BS** Medical Biology

**Minors** 

Biology

**Certificates** 

Biotechnology

**Environmental Science** 

#### **Biology Honors Program**

- Honors Research ThesisPathway
- Honors Research Pathways

**Max Planck Honors Program** 

**Research and Focus areas:** Biotechnology, Marine Biology, Diversity and Ecology, Molecular and Cellular and Medical Biology







## **Chemistry & Biochemistry**

- BA Chemistry
- BS Chemistry
- BS Chemistry- Biochemistry concentration
- Pharmaceutical Technology Certificate
- Environmental Science Certificate

#### **Honors in Chemistry Program**

- Direct participation in cutting-edge research experiences
- Increased interaction with Faculty members of the Department
- Completion of the undergraduate degree with an upperdivision Honors distinction







**Research and Focus areas:** Environmental & Analytical, Material Science, Synthetic Organic Chemistry, Biophysical & Computational Chemistry



## Center for Geographic Information Analysis and Modeling

Serves as a synergetic avenue for the pursuit of excellence in research, education, and services in geographic information technologies.



### Geosciences

- BA Geography
- BS Geography
- BA Geology
- BS Geology
- BS Climate Change

#### **Minors**

- Geography
- Geology
- Geographic Information Science

#### **Certificates**

- Geographic Information Science
- Advanced Geographic Information Science
- Environmental Science





## Health Science and Exercise Science & Health Promotion

- - BOCA

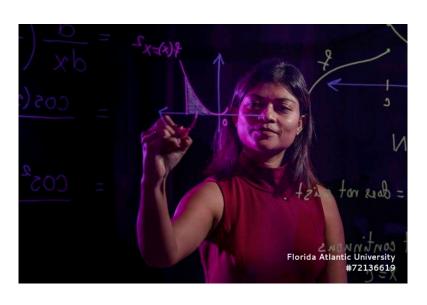
- BS Exercise Science & Health Promotion
  - Exercise Physiology
  - Pre-Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy
- BA Health Science
  - Behavioral and Mental Health
  - Public/Global/Environmental Health
  - Science
  - Women's Health





## **Center for Cryptology and Information Security**

The mission of the Center is to promote and advance the state of knowledge, methodology, and training in information security.



### **Mathematics & Statistics**

**BA** Mathematical Sciences

**BS** Mathematical Sciences

- Math Biology
- Mathematical Cryptology
- Pure Math Mathematics
- Statistics and Data Science

**BS** Data Science: Natural Sciences

#### **Minors**

Math

**Statistics** 

Cybersecurity: Mathematical Sciences

Interdisciplinary Applications of Artificial Intelligence: Scientific

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#### **Certificates**

**Actuarial Science** 

Cybersecurity: Mathematical Sciences

**Data Science: Mathematical Sciences** 

Artificial Intelligence (AI) for Cybersecurity

**Statistics** 

**Honors Program in Mathematical Sciences** 

Research and Focus Areas: Actuarial Science, Statistics, Cryptography,
Analysis and Applications, Algebra and Combinatorics, and Data Science:
Natural Science Concentration

## **Physics**

BA PhysicsBS Physics

### **Minors**

Physics Astronomy

#### **FAU Astronomical Observatory**

Is housed under a four-meter diameter dome on the Boca Raton campus of Florida Atlantic University. We welcome students, faculty, staff and members of the public to join our scheduled observations or our public viewing events.





**Research and focus areas:** Astrophysics, Classical and Quantum Gravity and Medical Physics



## **Center for Complex Systems and Brain Sciences**

The centers mission is to bring together multiple disciplines and backgrounds such as theoretical physics, complexity science, cognitive psychology, laboratory biology, applied mathematics and philosophy to tackle the most profound questions of brain, the mind, consciousness, and behavior.



## Psychology and Neuroscience & Behavior

**BA** Psychology

**BS** Neuroscience & Behavior

Minor in Psychology Applied Mental Health Certificate

#### **Honors Program in Psychology**

- Honors Seminar
- Honors Critical Questions in Psychology
- Honors Thesis
- Directed Independent Research

Research Areas: Cognitive Psychology, Developmental Psychology, Behavior Neuroscience, and Social/Personality Psychology



### **Center for Urban and Environmental Solutions**

Established in 1972, the Center for Urban and Environmental Solutions (CUES) is dedicated to helping communities and decision-makers plan for urban and environmental issues through partnerships, education, and research throughout Florida and beyond.



## **Urban Design & Urban and Regional Planning**



- Bachelor of Urban Design
- Bachelor of Urban and Regional Planning

## Honors in Urban and Regional Planning & Urban Design

- Capstone Thesis
- Capstone Research

Research Areas: Sustainability Planning and Policy



## Opportunities and Services in the College



- Science internships
- Science Career Liaison
- S.O.A.R in 4 (FTIC students)
- Research opportunities (DIR or DIS)
- Continuing Education
- Science Clubs and Organizations
- Science Scholarships
- Science and Math Learning Centers





## First-Year Interest Groups (FIGS)

#### In a FIG, you:

- Have a seminar class that is led by faculty and advisors from your specific college.
- Have an opportunity to build relationships within your college as soon as classes begin.
- Take a 1-credit course with 24 other students who share similar majors.
- Get the inside scoop on what it takes to excel in your major.
- Have an opportunity to build a community that makes this large research university feel like home.



#### **College of Science FIGS:**

Exploring Behavioral Sciences FIG
Exploring Biological Sciences FIG
Explore Exercise Science/Health Promotion
and Health Science FIG
Exploring Science
Pre-Health Professions (2 sections)



## F-LEARN (Freshman)

### **STEM Cohort**

### **Eligibility**

- Have a declared major College of Science or College of Engineering and Computer Science
- Pursue a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree

Incoming from high school

High school GPA of 3.6 or higher

## AHB (Arts, Humanities and Business) Cohort

### **Eligibility**

- Have a declared major in any college at FAU
- Pursue a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree or a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) degree



## Program Benefits: What's in it for you?















2 Introduction to Research courses Participation in undergraduate research



Faculty and peer mentoring

A network of friends

Support that promotes success academically and professionally





## Applications for the 2024-2025 cohort are open!



If you are interested in applying for the LEARN Program, scan the QR code above for the application. For more information email <a href="mailto:learn@fau.edu">learn@fau.edu</a> or visit our office in General Classroom South, Room 212F.









For students interested in medical, dental, veterinary, and other professional training in the health sciences (other than Nursing).

We assist in preparing students to matriculate into graduate professional schools.

### **Requirements for Pre-health Professions Advising**

### **No Admission Requirements**

- Advising for this program takes place in the Pre-Health Professions Office (SE 308).
- Students must maintain a 3.0 GPA to continue pre-health advising.
- Students are expected to participate in shadowing and volunteering (100 minimum) as part of pre-health advising program.



## Components of the Pre-Health Professions Program

- First Year Interest Groups
- Pre-Health Courses:
  - Current issues in Biomedicine
  - Medical Internship for shadowing experience
- Pre-Health Professions Week
- Pre-Health Workshops- tailored to student needs. (basics, beyond basics, financing, application, interviewing)
- Mock medical school interview with Pre-Health
- Professions Committee
- "Wall of Fame" recognition for accepted students
- Future Doctors reception for all students accepted into
- medical, veterinary, or dental school.
- MCAT prep course taught by FAU Science faculty.







## **ISC1430 Current Issues in** Biomedicine



**General Information** 

Requirements:

You must be a freshman or a sophomore

1 credit

Monday's 12-12:50 in-person

#### Overview

This course provides an opportunity to engage in many areas of biomedical science research and controversial issues in the medical field.

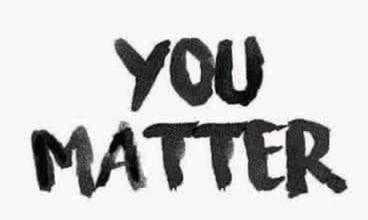
Informal Seminar topics include but not limited to the following: Human Genomics; Biomedical Ethics, Marine Pharmacology, Public Health, etc.

Students will leave the course more knowledgeable about cutting-edge research in biomedicine and the various career paths in this field.





# To learn more about what the college has to offer.



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### **Contact**

Phone: 561-297-3700

Email: cosadvising@fau.edu

#### Website

www.science.fau.edu

### **Social Media**











#### FLORIDA ATLANTIC CAREER CENTER

#### **APPOINTMENTS**

In-person at the Boca Raton,
Davie and Jupiter campuses
Virtual and evening sessions available

#### DROP-IN CAREER COACHING

No appointment necessary

#### **BOCA RATON CAMPUS:**

Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. SU 80 Room 220 Student Support Services Building

### **BUILD TOWARD YOUR FUTURE**

#### MEET WITH A CAREER COACH FOR HELP WITH:



Deciding a major/career



Developing job and internship search strategies



Building résumés, cover letters, and LinkedIn profiles



Connecting and networking with employers through Handshake



Planning and applying for graduate and professional school



Preparing and practicing for interviews



Getting professional headshots and attire

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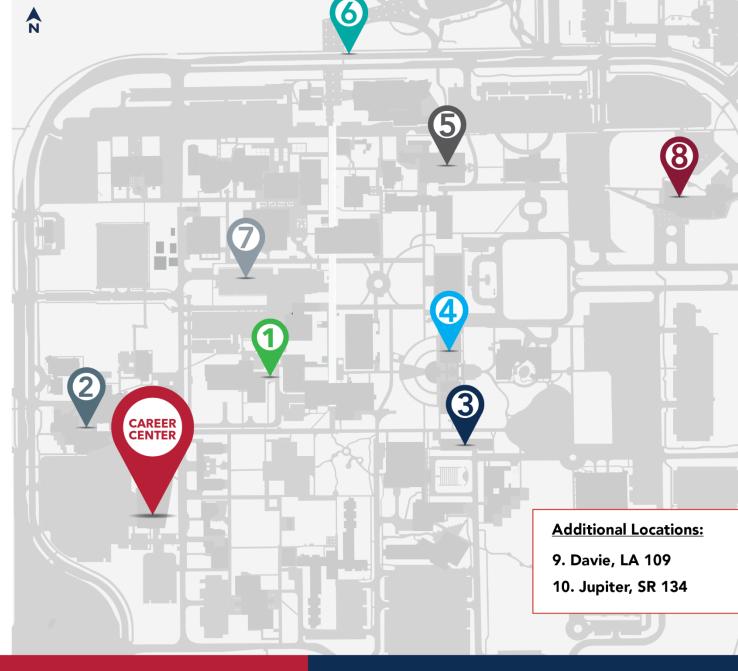
# VISIT A CAREER COACH ON LOCATION AT THE BOCA RATON CAMPUS

MAIN CENTER STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES SU-80 ROOM 220

- Center for Teachingand Learning (CTL)GS building 2, 2nd floor
- **Science Building** SE-42 Room 308

- Military and Veterans Student Success Center CR-31E Room 173B
- Schmidt Family Complex for Academic and Athletic Excellence
  SF-107 Room 146E
- 3 Dorothy F. Schmidt College of Arts and Humanities
  AH-52 Room 212
- **S.E. Wimberly Library** LY-3 Lobby

- College of Social Work and Criminal Justice
  SO-44 Room 117
- College of Engineering and Computer Science
  EE-96 Room 102H







## Things To Do To Be **Career Ready**





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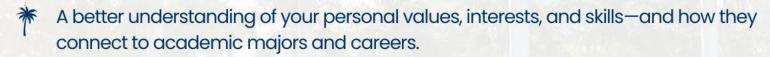
Complete Kick Off Your Future



## KICK OFF YOUR FUTURE

Career Readiness Program

At Florida Atlantic, we are committed to not only preparing students for success in college but also creating pathways to careers that extend beyond graduation. **Kick Off Your Future** is an early key step in that journey—helping students connect with valuable resources and explore career options. Within this module, you will find many benefits, including:



- Insights into academic and career readiness skills needed for today's workforce.
- \* Awareness of employment opportunities and wage prospects for different majors.
- \* Access to critical career readiness resources at the Florida Atlantic Career Center.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT:** 

FAU.EDU/CAREERS/STUDENTS/KICKOFF-YOUR-FUTURE.PHP

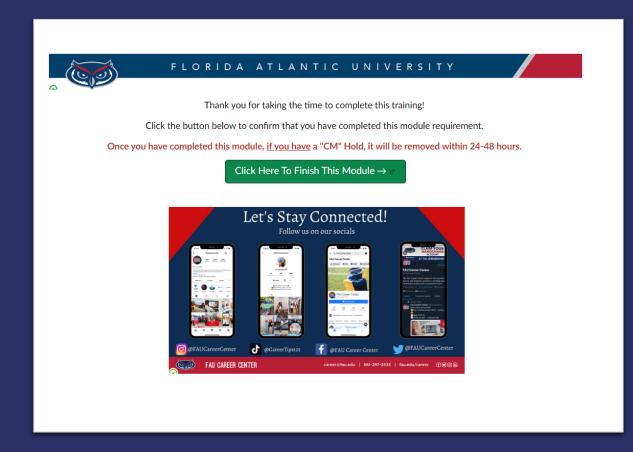
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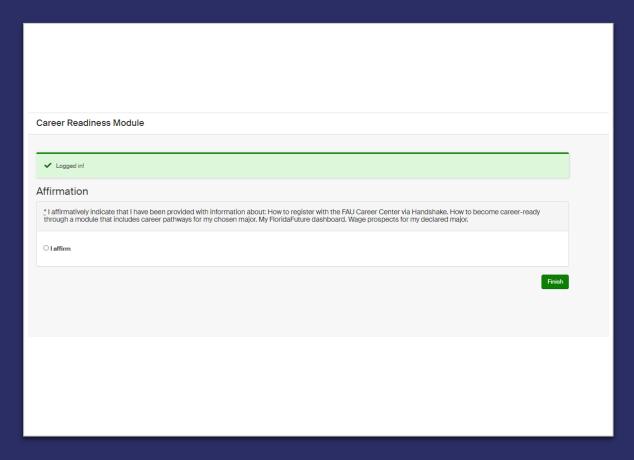


## In order to complete the module, there are 2 final steps:

1. Click the green button

2. Complete the 1 question survey





# Handshake can help build toward your future.



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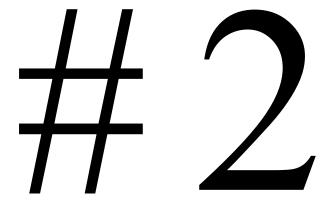
Schedule appointments with a Career Coach



Claim your account at FAU.JOINHANDSHAKE.COM







Get experience! Learn about how to get an internship



# INTERN TODAY!

## INTERNSHIPS HELP STUDENTS:

- Build and enhance new skills.
- Gain feedback and learn about new opportunities
- Apply and test what you are learning
- ✓ Network and build relationships

#### **RESEARCH** SHOWS THAT:

- Interns stay employed and are more likely to be retained with a company for up to 5 years.
- More than two in three interns
   (66.4%) secure a full-time job
   after their internship.
- Interns will have a \$15,000 higher salary than those who did not do an internship.



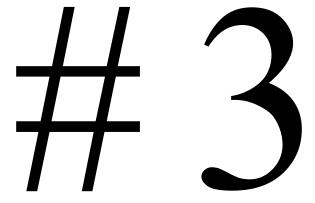




Schedule an appointment with an Internship Specialist at fau.joinhandshake.com to get started with your internship search.

Any Questions? Contact us at intern@fau.edu or 561-297-3533.





Check out our premium resources





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Building Room 220 Boca Raton Campus & by Appointment at the Davie campus



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THE SELF-SERVICE IRIS BOOTH

Elevate your professional image with the Iris Air Photobooth, available exclusively at the FAU Career Center, Boca Raton campus.

- Uses **high-quality studio lighting** and photography equipment.
- Allows users to crop photos, touch up blemishes, whiten teeth, or apply filters.
- Instantly delivers digital photos via email.













Location: Florida Atlantic Career Center / Date: Available for walk-ins now! / Time: 8:30 a.m. -4:30 p.m. For more information, contact us at (561) 297-3533 or career@fau.edu.



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## FALL 2025

### CAREER FAIR SCHEDULE

THE FLORIDA ATLANTIC

CAREER FAIR

**TECHNOLOGY &** 

**ENGINEERING CAREER FAIR** 

ACCOUNTING, FINANCE &

**ECONOMICS CAREER FAIR** 

OCT.

GRADUATE & PROFESSIONAL

SCHOOL FAIR

OCT.

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**INTERNSHIP & PART-TIME** 

JOB FAIR

NOV.

VIRTUAL CAREER FAIR

REGISTER ON HANDSHAKE

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE EMAIL CAREER@FAU.EDU OR CALL 561-297-3533.



# **University Advising Services**

# FIRST-YEAR BOCA

#### **Advising**

First & Second Year Owls
In-Person or Virtual Support Available
Change of Major Requests
Academic Policies & Information
Resource Referrals

#### Location

Student Support Services (SU80), 201



#### **Academic Tools**

- MyFAU
- General Education Checklist
- Canvas
- Navigate
  - Early Alerts
- DARS (Degree Audit
  - Reflects progress towards degree completion
  - Access DARS in MyFAU portal





# **Understanding Your Academic Requirements**

- education checklist.



- Scan the QR Code to find your general



- General Education
  - Requirements vary according to your major.
  - Select courses in conjunction with your academic advisor
- 15 to finish or 30 credits per year
- Withdrawal Limits
- Civic Literacy Graduation Requirement

## **Essential Success Strategies**

- Expect emails in your FAU email account
- Check Course Schedule Carefully
  - Term
  - Modality
  - Campus
  - Registration Error Messages
- Read Course Syllabi
  - Review beginning the first week of classes (or before)
  - Accessed through the course Canvas page
- Don't forget to complete the course entry quiz!







# **Important Dates**

#### Fall 2025 (Full Term)

**Classes Begin: August 16 (Saturday)** 

Last day to drop/add: August 22

Last day to pay tuition: August 25

**Midterm Grades: October 14** 

Withdrawal Deadline: October 24

Finals Week: December 4 - 10

**Semester Ends: December 10** 

**Final Grades Due: December 15** 

Accelerated term important dates can be found on the FAU Academic Calendar https://www.fau.edu/registrar/registration/calendar.php

**Spring Advising Appointments: After Labor Day (September 1)** 





## Drop/Add is One Week



# Summer 2025 Drop/Add Week June 21 – June 27

Fall 2025 Drop/Add Week
August 16 – August 22



## **Summer Pathways**



#### Pathways Programs

- Jump start
- Academic Success Pathway
- STEM Bridge Program



Scan the QR Code to learn more about pathway programs and requirements.

- Students in each of these three pathways must **complete** 6 credit hours in the Summer Term 3 and SLS 1410 (0-credit iSucceed course)
- Summer Term 3 starts June 21<sup>st</sup>. If you have not completed EZ advising or have not fully registered for 6 credits in Summer Term 3, you must complete this ASAP

## **Fall Pathways**



#### Pathways Programs

- Academic Success Pathway
- STEM Bridge Program



Scan the QR Code to learn more about pathway programs and requirements.

- Fall semester start date: August 16
- If you have not completed EZ advising or have not fully registered for up to 11 credits in fall, you must complete this ASAP





#### **Email**

UAS - <u>advisingservices@fau.edu</u> Science - <u>cosadvising@fau.edu</u> Career Center - <u>career@fau.edu</u>

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# PAR 1 ACTIVITY





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#### Follow these 4 easy steps:

- Log into Owl Central on your mobile device
- Click on your profile pic, then the blue square on the top right corner
- Oownload the event pass to your Android / iPhone wallet





Present Event Pass at events on campus!



#### Questions?

Please contact involvement@fau.edu

Reasonable accommodation should be requested of the event sponsor: Student Activities and involvement at 561-297-3893 or TTY Relay Station at 1-800-955-8770. Please make your needs known as soon as possible to allow sufficient time for effective accommodations preferable; 5 days before the date of this event.



