

Maximise Course Relevant Experience

ACTIVITY BOOK



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Activity 1

Using the [LinkedIn JCU Alumni tool](#), search for JCU alumni who have studied the same course as you by typing your course name in the alumni search bar.

Write down different organisations that the alumni have worked for that interest you, their job titles that are relevant to your course/skills, and the skills required in those jobs. Finally, write down three questions you would like to ask them about their role or organisation.

ORGANISATION	JOB TITLE	SKILLS

Questions to ask:

1.	
2.	
3.	

Activity 2

Identify relevant work experience opportunities using three different strategies and list them below - websites/recruitment agencies ([CareerHub](#), [SEEK](#), [LinkedIn](#), [CareerOne](#), [Prosple](#), [GradConnection](#)), social media sites, and career events/webinars.

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Activity 3

Write a 300 word reflection on a course-relevant experience you have had (work experience/ placement/field trip, extra-curricular activity, challenge or competition, volunteering experience)

State the experience you are reflecting on and consider the following points in your response.

- What skills did you learn or improve, and how?
- Did you find anything difficult? What challenge did you face, and what did you learn from this?
- What was something that you learned about yourself (new interests) or your profession because of this experience?
- Has it made you think about what you would or wouldn't like to do in the future?
- What did you enjoy the most?
- What did you like the least?