Welcome to The Career Chronicle, a monthly newsletter from CSU's Career Center designed to keep you up-to-date on our students, campus happenings, and engagement opportunities.

Upcoming Events

- **Just In Time Fair Spring 2023** - April 5, 2023. This event is an opportunity for employers to discuss internships, part-time and full-time positions with students who are still looking. Register on Handshake [here](#).

Professional Development Opportunities

- **NACE** is offering a showcase on minority serving institutions (MSI). This online event that will provide a broad introduction to MSIs and insights for those who would like to engage with MSI students. The showcase is scheduled for 1PM EST on Thursday April 20, 2023. More information [here](#).

- **MPACE's 2023 Annual Conference** is December 6-8 this year and will be held in Denver. Barb Richardson, Director of Operations & Assessment in the Career Center at CSU, will be co-hosting.

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Feature

- As we move through these remaining weeks of Spring 2023, we wanted to share with you the faith-based and religious holidays and observances that may conflict with students' schedules.

  **Ramadan**
The Islamic holy month of Ramadan started on March 22, at sunset (following the sighting of the moon over Mecca) and runs through the evening of Friday, April 21. The 30 days of fasting, prayer, reflection and community ends with the celebratory days of Eid al-Fitr starting on Saturday, April 22 or Sunday, April 23.

**Passover**
The Jewish holiday of Pesach or Passover begins at sunset on Wednesday, April 5, and concludes after nightfall on Thursday, April 13.

**Good Friday**
The Christian holiday of Good Friday is April 7 this year and occurs during the Christian Holy Week. Holy Week begins on Palm Sunday, April 2, and ends on Easter Sunday, April 9.

- ACT Human Rights Film Festival is an opportunity to watch impactful stories from filmmakers from around the world. ACT will present 19 award-winning documentaries from five continents on campus and at The Lyric from March 29th to April 2nd. More information [here](#).
- Our [DE+I Toolkit](#) is an excellent resource to utilize as you work to educate your employees and create an inclusive culture within your organization. We are in the process of reviewing and updating the toolkit to make it easier to navigate, but the toolkit remains accessible while these updates are ongoing.

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**Student Trends**

- **Career Fair numbers update**: This semester's Walter Scott Jr. Engineering Fair was a success! Thank you to all who participated. In total we had 107 employers and 587 students.

- **Highlights from Handshake Network Trends Report: Gender, Equity, and Gen Z**
  Handshake recently interviewed 1005 students, ages 18-25, around issues surrounding gender diversity in the workplace. 50% identified as women, 46% as men, and 3.5% as non-binary. Read their findings [here](#).

- **Gauging the Effectiveness of Formal Diversity Recruiting Efforts**
  A report from NACE found that more than 85% of employers reported having formal diversity recruiting goals, but how effective are these efforts? Read the article [here](#).

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**Career Center Information**

As the Employer Relations team has grown, employer meetings are now being split up amongst our Employer Relations Coordinators. These splits have been determined by college and area of study, list below.

- **Lisa Gilbert-Hardon** (Engineering, Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences)
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