



# Career Development Center by the Numbers

## What employers are saying...

- Appalachian students have proven in the past to be more prepared, polished and driven than many other universities from which we recruit.
- It has been fantastic working with Appalachian State graduates. They have been exactly what we are seeking for our Leadership Development Program and they perform extremely well in all facets of our business.
- App State produces some of the best talent there is.
- Appalachian is the first place we look for graduates!
- Appalachian State University students launch their careers with great work ethic and strong communication skills.



**2016-17**  
**Event attendance:**  
**767** employer participants  
**5,352** student participants

**Career Counseling  
and Assessment:**  
**1,338** individual career  
counseling sessions.  
**971** career assessments.



## Internships:

**7,534** students earned academic credit for experiential learning at 1,429 sites in 2016-17.  
**81%** of 2016 graduates indicated experiential learning (internships, practicum, student learning, service learning or clinical experiences) contributed positively to their personal & professional growth.



**2016-17**  
**On-campus student  
employment:**  
**335** Federal Work Study  
student employees  
**4,497** students worked  
on campus

## First Destination Data:

Employed within 1 year of graduation:  
(of those tracked)

**71%** undergraduate  
**86%** graduate



## 2015-16 graduates

Employed or enrolled in institution of  
postsecondary education

**86%** undergraduate  
**93%** graduate