WE’RE HERE TO HELP
YOUR CAREER
How can the Careers Service help me?

- Yikes – I have a virtual fellowship interview soon!
- I need help crafting my CV – both for academic jobs and beyond.
- I want to stay in academia – how can I increase my chances?
- I don’t know what my options are...
We cover…
Career options
CVs and applications
Fellowships
Interviews
It’s about you…

We can help you whatever stage you are at.

Our advice is tailored and impartial.

I wouldn’t be where I am today without you guys!

Krishnaa, Postdoc at the Department of Surgery
What kind of help suits you?

Do you want to focus on your individual needs?
Book an individual online appointment

Do you enjoy learning through experience and with others?
Try one of our interactive live virtual and on-demand workshops

Do you like to hear from the experts?
Attend one of our panel events (online Q&A sessions and recorded interviews available)

Do you prefer to read about it?
Visit our website or access other resources, including our CV book, through the Career Centre on Handshake
Careers Service platform

- Virtual appointments with postdoc careers advisers
- Register for webinars, events, workshops, fairs
- Access key resources including our CV guide
- Directly connect with employers and view opportunities
How to access the Careers Service

1. Join Handshake following www.careers.cam.ac.uk/activate-your-handshake-account

2. Choose “postdoctoral researcher” for level of study

3. When prompted, fill out a quick questionnaire from our Information Team
Your profile on Handshake

You’re one step closer to your next job.
Answer a few short questions to see relevant opportunities.

What are you looking for?
- Full-Time Job
- Internship
- Part-Time
- On-Campus Job
- Not sure yet

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Level of study = Postdoctoral Researcher
Navigating Handshake

Career Centre – access to appointments, resources, workshops and events
Events tailored to the postdocs community

Navigating Handshake

What can we help you find today?

- Employers — Discover the right company for you
- Community — Learn from alumni and students
- Career paths — Explore roles and average salaries
- Events — Register for events and career fairs

Find events

- **AHSS postdocs:** 4 activities to help you figure out what you want from the next step in your career (on demand training)
  - Mon September 28, 2020 to Mon January 4, 2021
  - No location

- **Introduction to the UK Academic Sector & Job Market - on demand training**
  - Mon October 5, 2020 to Mon January 4, 2021
  - https://app.joinhandshake.co.uk/events/572

- **Building your researcher online presence: Handshake, Linkedin, websites and more (on-demand training)**
  - Tue October 20, 2020 to Mon January 4, 2021
  - No location

- **Make your application for faculty/lectureship/group leader/PI positions stand out - on demand training**
  - Fri October 23, 2020 to Mon January 4, 2021
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Web:
www.careers.cam.ac.uk/careers-support-postdocs

Email:
postdocs@careers.cam.ac.uk
Getting started with the Postdoc Careers Service
National Postdoc Appreciation Week!
Wed 22 Sept. 1-2pm

• https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82559235541?pwd=VU54M2VNMHhWcWRzV3RJNFBDUTdGdz09
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Top careers events