

Office of **Career Readiness** and **Workforce Development** **IMPACT REPORT 2025–2026**

This impact report highlights the scope, reach, and outcomes of the **Office of Career Readiness and Workforce Development** during the 2025–2026 academic year. It reflects our commitment to advancing student success through **experiential learning, employer engagement, and career-integrated education** across the University of New England.

Student Support

203 Credit-Bearing Internships

215 1:1 Student Internship Meetings

38 Majors Supported Through Internships

12 Internship Spotlights

Watch this video to learn more about our internships and partnerships:



STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

“The Office of Career Readiness and Workforce Development played a huge role in my internship search. Through their guidance, resume feedback, and networking opportunities, I was able to approach the process with confidence, secure several interviews, and ultimately land an internship that aligns with my long-term career goals. Their support truly opens doors and sets UNE students up for future success!”

—Kelly H. '27



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Employer Relations

INCREASED TO

294 Active Internship Sites

OVER Employer Connections

250 Across New England

130 Employer Partner Conversations

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

“Our company has had the privilege of partnering with UNE for several years, and even have an alumni who has moved up to our corporate office! Our partnership has flourished in the last couple of years, mostly due to the college’s renewed commitment to career readiness. The support from leadership, faculty, and the Career Readiness team has been incredible. The most recent example was their networking event that brought nearly 200 people together (employers, faculty, and students). Just in the last six months, we have made offers to two alumni for full-time career opportunities and two current UNE juniors for summer internships. These alumni and current students were ‘standouts’ in our competitive interview process!”

—Top UNE Employer Partner

Career Programming

161 Students Attended an OCRWD Workshop

20 Career Workshops in the Classroom

3 Career Immersion Days

2 Signature Events:

Industry Exploration Day involved **100 students** and **30 employer partners** representing diverse industries

The Career Connections Mixer included participation from **120 students**, **63 alumni** and **employer partners**, and **30 members of UNE faculty and staff**

FACULTY SPOTLIGHT

“Internships give our students great opportunities to apply their knowledge to help solve pressing problems for community partners. The skills our students gain in that process set them up for their future careers and make them more competitive in the job market. Every GIS student has had the opportunity to do an internship, which has also resulted in nearly every student getting a job in the field, applying their GIS skills in some way.”

—William Kochtitzky, Ph.D.,
Assistant Professor, UNE



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