

JACKSON STATE UNIVERSITY CAREER SERVICES CENTER

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Major: Accounting

Graduation Date: April 2018

Hometown: Memphis, TN

Position:

Risk Advisory Staff

Organization Name & Location:

Ernst & Young in Atlanta, GA

How Has The Career Services Center Helped You?

The Career Services Center has produced and prepared me for so many opportunities that I didn't see in my collegiate/career path. I was able to attend numerous on-campus and off campus interviews that landed me both full-time and internship opportunities in four different states with six different firms. From the career fairs, professional development seminars, etiquette dinners to presenting my story at the groundbreaking event of the tiger career closet. I stand today as a well-rounded African American woman professional in the Accounting world.

Advice For Other Students:

Take advantage of every opportunity you have to meet people and seeking different companies because you may never know how impressionable you are until you stay connected with them and build relationships. Don't be afraid to build and network with people. The relationships last for a lifetime.

Career Goals:

It is my hope to complete my MSA degree here at Indiana University, obtain my CPA license, and starting full-time with Ernst & Young. I plan to seek the Certified Fraud Examiner (CFE) certification and attend law school to obtain my Juris Doctorate (JD) degree within the next 5 years. From then on, I plan to work as a Forensic Accountant for the Federal Bureau of Investigation agency.