

JACKSON STATE UNIVERSITY CAREER SERVICES CENTER

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Major:

PhD in Public Policy & Administration

Graduation Date:

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Position: Research Associate/Analyst

Organization Name & Location: the Mississippi Urban Research Center (Full-time)

How Has The Career Services Center Helped You?

The Career Services Center has helped me keep current with what specific skills employers are looking for, and how to make myself stand out amongst applicants. It is also a great resource for considering graduate schools, and even other employment opportunities (even though I love my current job!).

Advice For Other Students:

Persistence is key... A lot of times, frustration or simply NEED will make you want to rush or give up the search. But as the saying goes, "trust the process." Finding the right fit in a position is not quick or easy, but it's worth the time and effort to get to do what you love and enrich society (in whatever way that may be).