# HIRING FAIRS - What you should know before you go!

## Do your homework!

- Plan ahead of time: determine what employers you wish to speak to
- Know something about the company you want to approach

## Make a good first impression

- · People will remember you if you are well dressed
- Take the time to introduce yourself, give a firm handshake and smile

#### Bring your resume

- You should always have your resume on hand to give to an employer at the fair
- Make sure the resume is targeted for the desired position

# Ask questions/Expect Questions

- Questions to ask:
  - a) What positions are you offering?
  - b) What duties and responsibilities does the position entail?
- Questions to expect:
  - a) Tell me about yourself
  - b) Why should I hire you? What skills and qualifications do you have?

# Follow Up

 Touch base with recruiters after the event for those positions you are truly interested in.

# Remember that employers like individuals who:

Know what they want
Know their skills
Have some knowledge of the company