### ii Handshake

# Four get-hired tips from recruiters

## Fill out your Handshake profile

Help employers find you by filling out your job interests (the kind of job you're looking for and the cities you want to work in), as well as work experience, skills, courses, and clubs and organizations. and clubs and organizations.

A recruiter is **5x more likely to message you** when you fill out your profile.

#### Showcase your soft skills

Increasingly, employers are looking for soft skills such as communication, problem solving, and creativity. So stand out to recruiters by including them on your profile.

#### Attend virtual events on Handshake

Many employers host virtual events to connect with students across the country. Check Handshake often for new behindthe-scenes tours, coffee chats, and Q&A sessions.

#### **Reply to recruiters ASAP**

Chatting with a recruiter is a great way to make a personal connection to a company, and recruiters will appreciate it when you answer their messages promptly.

Last year, employers sent more than 16 million messages to students on Handshake.