

Checklist

Before you leave the course, it's a good idea to make sure you've gathered the tools you'll need for an effective job search. Here's a quick check.

Action Items

- Consider your professional options and decide what type of role to pursue
- Create your resume
- Gather and publish your portfolio to GitHub
- Compose and memorize your elevator pitch
- Draft your basic cover letter
- Create or update your LinkedIn profile
- Line up professional references and get their contact information
- Compose and practice answers for common interview questions
- Write questions you would like to ask interviewers
- Research local meetups and professional organizations for networking
- Ask friends to help you rehearse interviews and critique materials