

HOW TO ADVANCE YOUR CAREER

In 30 seconds, answer the following question:

- What is the difference between a career and a job?

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Watch the video and answer the following questions in 60 seconds:

According to the video, how many steps do you need to take to advance your career? What are they?

Video



A video player interface showing a man in a grey suit, white shirt, and purple tie. He is speaking and looking slightly to his left. The video has a yellow header bar with the word "Video". In the bottom right corner of the video frame, there is a small yellow logo resembling a stylized letter 'M'.

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Listen and repeat. Then, choose a word to define.

1. **Accountability** (n) /ə'kaʊntə'bɪləti/

2. **Assessment** (n) /ə'sesmənt/

3. **Pursue** (v) /pər'su:/

4. **Achieve** (v) /ə'tʃi:v/

5. **Improve** (v) /ɪm'pru:v/

6. **Commit** (v) /kə'mit/

Make a sentence using that word.

Example: She wishes to **pursue** a medical career.



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Explanation of two useful idioms:



On the back of something

as a result of an achievement or a success



Put your back into something

to use a lot of effort and energy on a particular task

Examples:

- ✓ *The profits growth came **on the back of a 26 per cent rise** in sales.*
- ✓ *You could dig this plot in an afternoon if you really **put your back into it**.*

Make a sentence using one of the given idioms.



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Structure:

S + have a chance + of + V-ing.

Example: Do you think I **have a chance of** passing the examination?

Make a sentence using the given structure.



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Pair Work: In 180 seconds, discuss with your partner some steps on how to advance your career.

Suggestions:

- ✓ Know what you want to do and pursue it
- ✓ Establish goals
- ✓ Do a self-assessment
- ✓ Get feedback from people
- ✓ Write down your development plan
- ✓ Define the skills you need to develop
- ✓ Commit yourself
- ✓ Etc.



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Assessment Form

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Here are some comments on your performance.

Student	Pronunciation	Vocabulary	Grammar
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Feel free to ask if you have any questions!



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- ✓ Vocabulary related to how to advance your career
- ✓ **Two idioms:**
 - ❖ **On the back of something**
 - ❖ **Put your back into something**
- ✓ **Structure:**

S + have a chance of + V-ing.
- ✓ Discussion about some steps on how to advance your career



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Homework

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Complete your mission and find more in related lessons.

<h2>Your mission</h2>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Take note of what you need to improve (Vocabulary, Grammar and Pronunciation)✓ Practice the related lessons in the course browser here (<u>It doesn't apply to all students</u>)✓ Take those lessons
<h2>Recommendations</h2>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ 158-pronunciation: /f/ vs. /v/ (#0310)
<p>Rất hài lòng</p>  <p>Nhấn vào ngôi sao để đánh giá</p> <p>Tôi hài lòng nhất</p>    <p>Giảng viên</p> <p>Chất lượng Kĩ thuật</p> <p>Học liệu</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Please don't forget to rate our lesson today



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