NACE Competencies

I can solve problems – Critical Thinking

I am confident in my written and Oral Skills – Communication

I can work effectively with others – Teamwork

I am comfortable with using technology – Digital Technology

I know how to be a leader – Leadership

I am capable of working hard – Work Ethic

I am able to talk about my experiences – Career Management

I am open and inclusive to other cultures – Global Fluency
Critical Thinking
• Analyze issues, make decisions, and overcome problems.
• Obtain, interpret, and use knowledge, facts, and data in this process and may demonstrate originality and inventiveness.

Oral/Written Communication
• Articulate thoughts and ideas clearly and effectively in written and oral forms.
• Public speaking skills: is able to express ideas to others, and can write/edit memos, letters, and complex technical reports clearly and effectively.

Teamwork
• Build collaborative relationships with colleagues representing diverse cultures, races, ages, genders, religions, lifestyles, and viewpoints.
• Able to work within a team structure and can negotiate and manage conflict.

Digital Technology
• Leverage existing digital technologies ethically and efficiently to solve problems, complete tasks, and accomplish goals.
• Demonstrates effective adaptability to new and emerging technologies.

Leadership
• Leverage the strengths of others to achieve common goals and use interpersonal skills to coach and develop others.
• Able to assess and manage his/her emotions, and those of others; use empathetic skills to guide and motivate and organize, prioritize, and delegate work.

Career and Self Development
• Identify and articulate one’s skills, strengths, knowledge, and experiences relevant to the position desired and career goals.
• Able to navigate and explore job options, understands, and can take the steps necessary to pursue opportunities, and understands how to self-advocate for opportunities.

Work Ethic
• Demonstrate personal accountability and effective work habits, e.g. punctuality, working productively with others, and time workload management.
• Demonstrates integrity and ethical behavior, acts responsibly with the interests of the larger community in mind and is able to learn from his/her mistakes.

Global/Intercultural Fluency
• Value, respect, and learn from diverse cultures, races, ages, genders, sexual orientations, and religions.
• Demonstrates openness, inclusiveness, sensitivity, and the ability to interact respectfully with all people and understand individuals’ differences.