

VANDY IN Business & Consulting

Vandy in Business & Consulting prepares students for the dynamic landscape of business, strategy, and problemsolving. The community supports budding professionals with a focus on areas like management consulting, business analytics, human resources, operations, sales, and marketing.

Through programming such as skill-building workshops, case competitions and networking opportunities, Vanderbilt students gain the edge they need for the rigorous recruitment process.

Interested in Business & Consulting?

Join the Vandy in Business & Consulting Newsletter

Be in the know for all events and programs, including in-person treks and recruiting events.

Complete Handshake Profile

Identify interests and learn more about jobs and internship opportunities.



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Get Vandy Ready for roles in **business and consulting.**

COMMON CAREER PATHWAYS

Consulting

Careers in consulting provide the opportunity to solve complex business challenges by leveraging analytical skills, industry knowledge and strategic thinking to guide organizations toward effective solutions.

Human Resources & Operations

Careers in Human Resources and Operations support and develop an organization's people, systems and processes, playing a strategic role in shaping workforce strategy and enhancing organizational performance.

Entrepreneurship

Entrepreneurship offers the freedom to create your path, make decisions, set your schedule and build something that aligns with your passion and values.

Marketing & Sales

In marketing and sales, you will build relationships and connect brands with their audiences through creative campaigns and effective communication that drive engagement and revenue growth.

TOP PROGRAMS TO KNOW

Case Competitions

Put problem-solving skills to the test by working in teams to tackle real-world business challenges and present your solutions to industry judges. It's a great way to build experience and connect with employers and alumni.

Vandy in Business & Consulting Week

A week full of skill-building workshops, case competitions, panel discussions and networking events give students valuable insights and practical experience needed to succeed in careers in the competitive business world.

Consulting Bootcamp

This bootcamp will give you a competitive edge in consulting recruitment through intensive workshops that build your case interview, problem-solving, and networking skills.



COMPANIES TO CONSIDER

Deloitte.

McKinsey & Company



























RECRUITMENT TIMELINE

Consulting firms typically hire a year in advance for both full-time and internship opportunities. Applications may open as early as late spring and go through early fall. Note that each firm has their own open and close dates.

Business opportunities vary throughout the year and can be open year-round depending on employer needs. You may see companies on campus during both the fall and spring semesters.

ALUMNI TIPS & INSIGHTS

Demonstrate how your experiences at Vanderbilt will shape your consulting abilities. Tailor conversations you have in networking and interviews to be firm-specific to show you've done your research and would be a strong addition to their team.

William Shelton, Management Consulting Senior Analyst, Accenture

People are shockingly willing to help you, especially as a young entrepreneur. We've had the opportunity to speak and work with so many people much farther along in their entrepreneurial journey than us, and forging these relationships has paid massive dividends. There's never harm in reaching out to people you think can be helpful, and most times they'll be receptive.