

What does a Physical Therapist, Engineer, Realtor, and Forensic Scientist have in common? They are just some of the 30+ professionals who will be coming to OCHS to talk about their careers during our 2nd Career Spotlight on **April 18th** during **Advisory**. Don't miss this opportunity to talk to these amazing individuals about their careers, how they got there and what it takes to make it!

"Teachers Open The Doors, But You Must Enter By Yourself." – Chinese Proverb

Architecture and Construction Careers

1 **Transportation Engineer** – Peter Craig

As a transportation engineer and project manager, I design streets, trails, sidewalks and train lines that help people go about their day. My presentation will cover some of the exciting projects I've worked on in our region, what engineers do on a day-to-day basis and the opportunities students have to get involved in the transportation field.

2 **Operations Manager** – Tim Hayer

Talk about entry-level opportunities for graduating seniors in the construction industry at Kerr Contractors. What does it take to start a career in construction and how to get experience.

3 **Construction Recruiter** – Nate Robinson

What are construction companies looking for in potential employees? Learn about what skills you need, what to expect on the job site and the benefits of a career in construction.

4 **Commercial Construction Company Owner** – Kevin Bartel

Come learn about the benefits of earn while you learn and tremendous income potential based on the person's work ethic and ambition.

5 **Owner/Office Manager of Construction Company** – Shawnda Horn

Learn about the rewarding and often lucrative career in Residential Interior Design and Remodeling.

6 **Senior Estimator/Project Manager** – Jim Ferguson

Overview of our trade, overview of entry-level duties, minimum requirements for entry, starting wages for helper/apprentice with schedule of increases as they progress and final wages for journeyman/foreman.

7 **Interior Designer** – Nancy Hills

•Discuss & Fullfill their passion. •What it takes to enter the design world. •Understand areas of design. • Learning how to work with clients. •Keeping updated on products & materials •Networking •How you become successful

Business Management and Administration careers

8 **Former Senior Finance Executive** – Larry Moseley

I would discuss the requirements of Finance and/or accounting. What to expect in school. The different paths in Finance or Accounting.

9 **Owner/Operator of Grocery Outlet** – Dan Mills

Owning your own business and the operation of a multi million dollar business. Learn about the opportunities for growth in the grocery business and what it takes to make it to the top.

10 **Owner/Operator of Geeks & Games** – La Donna Cox

Veteran owned business that was started with a hobby and a board game. Learn how to turn your passion into a career!

11 **Owner/ Operator of Menchie's Frozen Yogurt** – Vicki Calcagno

Learn what it takes to own your own business. What does an owner do on a typical day and what skills are essential for success.

Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security careers

- 12 **Attorney & Military Officer** – Douglas MacEllven
Learn about Working while going to College, Law School and Graduate School. Will be discussing "opportunities" and "what it takes to make it through law school". My background includes: being a Resident Assistant in college; taking 5 years to complete law school (deployed intermittently in the as an Air Force Officer & then working 4 jobs in my last year of law school including the Air Force Reserves; university job while in graduate school; one year of college level study as an active Air Force Officer. It was all worth it!.
- 13 **Police Officer** – David Plummer
General overview of what a career in law enforcement entails. Learn what type of training is needed, what skills are desirable to be successful and the daily routine of law enforcement.
- 14 **Forensic Scientist** – Devon Sommer
An overview of what a Forensic Scientist does, what requirements are needed to become one and answer any specific questions the students may have about the field.
- 15 **Firefighter** – Clackamas Fire District #1
What does a firefighter do when not fighting fires? Come find out what it takes to become a firefighter, what a typical day is like and what career opportunities are available.

Health Science Careers

- 16 **Physical Therapist** – Kelsey Wright
Physical therapy is a career that entails helping people recover and rehabilitate from injury, illness or disease. In this presentation, you will learn things such as job requirements, the techniques we use to get people moving again and the different settings you can find physical therapists in.
- 17 **Pharmacist** – Fideliz Lim
Learn about the education requirements to become a licensed Pharmacist. Also learn about the different types of pharmacy practice and the roles of people within a pharmacy.
- 18 **Veterinarian / Business Owner** – Karen Henson DMV
Every day is a new challenge to help in animal care and the owners who love them. Learn about the pathway to becoming a veterinarian and what a typical day at the clinic is like.
- 19 **Pediatric Nurse** – Julie Casey
Registered Nursing with an emphasis on Pediatrics. Learn what it takes to be a registered nurse, what skills are important and what the daily routine is like.
- 20 **Physical Therapist** – Kristi Sommer
The profession of Physical Therapy is not only a unique opportunity to work one- on-one with patients to help them rehabilitate from an injury or illness, but it is a profession that allows for creativity, compassion, and an opportunity to work with patients from infancy to the frail elderly. Come explore what rewarding opportunities a career in PT could offer you!
- 21 **Paramedic and CPR Instructor** – Kari Tomlinson
Interested in becoming an EMT/Paramedic? Learn about what the career options are for these professionals. I own CPR For Life and teach CPR/First Aid.

Marketing careers

- 22 **Vice President of Edelman PR** – Erik Moser
A look at media and public relations, especially as it relates to issues and crisis communications.
- 23 **Marketing Specialist** – Hilary Kissell
I will be discussing my workplace environment, the untypical path that led me here, the skills I use on a daily basis, a typical day in our marketing office, opportunities in marketing (careers and internships) and the skills & steps you need to succeed. I'll talk about what I love about my career and what challenges me. I'll also answer any questions!

Energy and Engineering careers

- 24 **Metallurgical Engineer and Lab Director – Jaret Frafjord**
How are metal parts made? How are they improved? How do they fail? At IMR Test Labs, we test the metals that go into airplanes, medical implants, bridges, and many other industries. See examples of parts and test specimens.
- 25 **Aerospace – Retired USAF Major – William Tidd**
Discuss the development of F-14, F-15, SR-71 and various space systems

Information Technology careers

- 26 **Manager/ Online Content Developer – Intel Corporation – Anne Batey**
Learn more about the wide variety of jobs at Intel Corporation, Oregon's largest private sector employer. You'll hear about my experiences and satisfaction on the job and how I got there in the first place. You'll also find out how to learn more about jobs at Intel on your own.
- 27 **Software Training Specialist – David Mayer**
Effective communication, aptitude for constantly learning, and enthusiasm for helping others understand and apply what they learn. These are all vital aspects of being a Software Training Specialist, and in this presentation, I'll discuss how they come together to be a successful bridge between the people who create software and the people who use software.

Government and Public Administration careers

- 28 **Economic Development Coordinator – Lori Bell**
I still don't know what I want to be when I grow up. I got my degree in Communications because I like people. Since my graduation from Stetson University in 2001 I've worked as a regional logistics manager, an area sales rep, non profit program manager, intern & volunteer coordinator and now in economic development. Each of my roles has led to the next and I've found that following my interests, as they evolve, and focusing on advancing my skills allows me to navigate a fulfilling career, so far.

Communications careers

- 29 **Realtor / Real Estate – Stephanie Peck**
Learn about the exciting field of Real Estate. Learn what does a Realtor do on a daily basis, what skills are important to have and what does it take to be successful.
- 30 **Professional Speaker / President of OC Chamber of Commerce – Michael Brand**
Get paid to stand in front of an audience to speak? Yes, you can do it. And it doesn't have to be your primary occupation, you can do it in conjunction with following your career passion. You'll be surprised how many of the highest paid speakers once thought "Oh no, I could never do that". So don't sell yourself short. You can get paid to speak.
- 31 **Ecommerce/ smALLFLAGS.com/ Fahnen Meister – William Gifford**
Understand elements of ecommerce including platform channels, social media marketing, website configuration considerations, inventory management, etc.