

Event Title: Headshots and Résumé Building

Hosted By: Main Hill Media

Date & Time: November 18th, 5-7pm

Location: Kimple Newsroom

Event Description:

Main Hill Media organized a free professional development event designed to increase student engagement with the campus media organization while also providing valuable career-ready resources for the future. The event included professional headshots taken by one of Main Hill’s members, résumé and LinkedIn review, and opportunities to network. There was a photo area which allowed attendees to take professional headshots. This specific activity helped students’ career development but also highlighted the organization’s capabilities. Many of the students that attended asked questions about student media opportunities, and learned about available equipment and future roles on staff. A group of faculty members and professors came to provide personalized résumé reviews, LinkedIn critiques, and professional guidance for the future. This not only helped make a big campus feel smaller, but the attendees left with helpful insight moving forward. To help make the environment relaxed and approachable, the event included a “dirty soda bar,” and snacks while everyone was networking. This event had successful engagement among members, faculty and staff, and students of the university. It allowed for connections to be built between all majors, and a positive exposure of Main Hill Media and all that it has to offer.

