



## Quick Tips: What I Wish I Knew

### **BASIC TIPS:**

- Surround yourself with leaders, strong problem solvers, people you respect, and really listen and observe how they work.
- Be open to exploring new opportunities for growth.
- If you interview for a job and don't get the position, know you'll be okay. There could be many different reasons why you didn't get the job, so try not to take it personally.
- When you first start out on your career journey, you'll likely begin in an entry-level position. Have a positive attitude, give the job your best effort, and work your way up in the organization.
- If you're not happy in your current position, it's okay to pivot and move into a different role where you will be more fulfilled.
- As a new employee in the workplace, it's important to build relationships and ask questions, so you continue learning and growing.
- If you don't have a mentor, find one. Reach out to professors, academic advisors, peers, and career services professionals to seek opportunities for potential mentor relationships.
- Finding your career of choice is often a lengthy, involved process. Expect it to take time, patience, and motivation. Don't give up!