



Mackenzie Campanile

Major: Business Administration with a concentration in Marketing Strategy

Campus Involvement: Cameron Executive Network.

Graduation: December 2017

Hometown: Reno, Nevada

Post Undergrad Plans: I will be moving to Logan, Utah where I hope to work at Utah State University in the office of the Huntsman School of Business. Once my husband graduates from school there, we hope to move back home to Reno where I plan on starting an event planning business in Lake Tahoe.

Philosophy:

My philosophy as a Peer Advisor is that you are not alone on your academic journey; I know how difficult it can be to find a field of study that you like, but I also know that it is easier to choose one when you are aware of all of your options. I am here to inform you of those options and guide you in the direction that best fits your interests, schedule, and capabilities. As someone who has taken a somewhat non-traditional route through college, I hope to be an encouraging and helpful resource to any student who meets with me.

Mission:

My mission as a Peer Advisor is to inform students of the various paths that can be taken when thinking about Cameron. I hope to share the knowledge that I have gained from the experiences I have had as a transfer, married, commuter business student, and help students find what they are passionate about, as well as which classes are best suited for them. Throughout my college career, I never met with an advisor to talk about career paths or class schedules and I know that if I had, it would have saved me hours of stress and anxiety.

Tips for Academic Success:

- I. Do not be afraid of an academic challenge. Choosing a path just because it seems easy might sound like a good idea at first, but often times it won't be what you are interested in, which will result in boredom and lack of motivation.
- II. Don't overload your schedule. Graduating in four years sounds good on paper, but it is okay to take some time to figure out what you really want to study. It is better to graduate in five years with a degree that you love, than to trap yourself in a field that you hate just so you can graduate sooner.
- III. DO NOT be afraid of your professors! While talking to teachers might seem intimidating at first, they are there to help you learn so if you have questions or need clarification on assignments or expectations, they are your best resource. Send them emails and utilize their office hours; it is why they are there.