

UNIVERSITY *of* WEST FLORIDA

CAREER SERVICES



Know your VIPS

Rural Sourcing Site Visit

Lunch 12 - 12:40

Load Van/Cars 12:40 - 12:50

Depart from UWF/Travel 12:50 - 2:00

RSI Open House 2:00 - 3:45

Debrief 3:45 – 4:00

Travel to UWF 4:00 - 5:00



About RSI

- From software application development to ongoing support and maintenance of critical business applications, RSI offers a wide range of highly specialized IT services for companies across a variety of industries. We also provide QA Testing and Business Intelligence and Analytics services.
- RSI provides a high-level of customer service and a cost-effective alternative to offshore IT outsourcing, where they can benefit from common time zones. The cost of ownership between domestic sourcing and outsourcing overseas is quite comparable.
- Application Development
- Application Management
- Quality Assurance
- Business Intelligence and Analytics

More about RSI

- [RSI's Culture](#)
- [What Makes RSI Special?](#)

RSI Mobile Facility

- Rural Sourcing, Inc. opened their 3rd Development Center on March 17, 2014 in Mobile, Alabama. This beautiful downtown region is surrounded by abundant bodies of water including sandy beaches and relaxing campgrounds. A fun fact about Mobile is that they are the proud founders of the oldest annual Carnival Celebration in the United States. In 1703, Mobile celebrated the first-ever Mardi Gras. Since then, it has evolved into a mainstream of celebrations to come. Mobile is also home to Senior Bowl, Hank Aaron Stadium and the host home to the Annual LPGA Tour. And if you love Art and Music then you should definitely check out the monthly LODA Art Walk.

Chief Executive Officer



- Monty Hamilton leads the executive team and drives the overall strategy for Rural Sourcing, Inc. Mr. Hamilton is responsible for leading the strategic direction and the growth of RSI and is leading the team in their goal to launch 10 new high-tech hubs over the next few years.
- Mr. Hamilton holds an M.B.A. from the Cox School of Business at Southern Methodist University and a B.B.A. in business from Millsaps College.

One-Minute Commercial



Your one-minute commercial should include the following information:

1. Your major
2. Type of position you are seeking
3. Your work experience (if any)
4. Your class projects
5. And how your background and goals fit with the companies need

Sample One-Minute Commercial

Hello. I am Thomas Technology. I will be completing my degree in Information Technology in December of 2015. I am very interested in gaining career-related experience in the IT and manufacturing fields before I graduate. My past work experience includes working in logistics for a defense contracting company. I have a strong academic record and have participated in several team projects. What advice would you have for someone who wants to get into this field?

Brainstorm

Questions you might ask today:

1. What skills are required in your position on a day-to-day basis?
2. What parts of your job do you find most challenging?
3. What developments on the horizon could affect future opportunities?
4. What is the advancement potential in the field? What is a typical path?
5. What is the background of most senior-level executives?
6. What professional journals and organizations should I be aware of?

What other questions can you ask?

What are some questions that may be inappropriate to ask?



Enjoy your visit!