

Do I Need*

A LINKEDIN PROFILE?

CNET, Electronics, IDE, and Manufacturing

High Priority - Recruiters actively search LinkedIn; projects, certifications, and portfolios are often evaluated online.

Architecture

High Priority - Portfolio visibility and networking are key; many internships and jobs come through online connections.

Aeronautics and Aircraft Maintenance

Medium Priority - Not required early, but networking and professional presence help with long-term career advancement.

Nursing / Rad Tech / Respiratory Therapy

Medium Priority - Hiring is mostly license + clinical-based, but LinkedIn helps with promotions, specialization, and mobility.

Mental Health

Medium- High Priority - Useful for professional credibility and networking, especially when advancing to higher roles or private practice.

Welding / HVAC – R

Lower Priority - Employers generally prioritize certifications, apprenticeships, and hands-on skills over online profiles.

Public Safety

Lower Priority - Hiring follows formal processes (testing, academies, civil service), not recruiter searches.

** This information is based on our communications with employers regarding their hiring processes.*

Individual experiences may vary depending on specific employers.

Creating or not creating a LinkedIn profile is ultimately a personal decision.

*Students should consider their own preferences, comfort with online networking, and long-term career plans when deciding whether it is right for them. **