Career Services (C.S.) for students and young graduates of the Agricultural University of Athens (A.U.A): Introducing them to the profession of Agronomist

Career Services of the A.U.A., welcomes the first-year students with a) information leaflets given during their registration b) letter sent to their student e-mail address c) brief presentation from the Vice Rector of Academic Affairs and Personnel during the “welcome day” d) group workshop entitled “From high school to University. Introduction to the new reality”. The purpose of all these, is to introduce the new students to the services of the C.S. and to let them know about the help they can get. Our office supports students and young graduates in different fields regarding their studies or/and their professional progress.

In our methodology, the research tools used for information and assistance for students are: the office website, the informative material, the personal contact through individual appointment with the advisers-agronomists, the organization of seminars for young entrepreneurship and Career Days, interactive workshops and the long distance support through e-mail.

The results refer to the quantitative and qualitative participation of students, the frequency of requests regarding information on professional matters, and the number of students helped to write their CV and to get in contact with employers and job vacancies.