

CAES Careers Gold Plan Overview

Transform Your Career Trajectory with Strategic Development

Program Overview

This CAES Careers Plan is a comprehensive career development system designed for professionals who feel stuck despite their capabilities. We systematically analyze the gap between what you can do and what evaluators perceive from your current presentation—then develop the frameworks and positioning to close that gap.

Who This Program Serves

You're a strong performer, but:

- Your resume and LinkedIn aren't generating the opportunities you deserve
 - Interviews don't reflect your true capabilities
 - You're unsure how to transition to the next level
 - You have the skills but lack the frameworks to demonstrate them effectively
 - You're ready to invest in systematic career advancement
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The CAES Approach: Four Integrated Phases

Phase 1: DIAGNOSTIC

Identify the gap between your capabilities and what evaluators perceive

We analyze your current presentation against evaluator inference patterns typical of your target role:

- **Comprehensive assessment** of your skills, values, and career objectives
- **Deep analysis** of resume, LinkedIn, and interview response patterns
- **Gap identification** across four dimensions:
 - Signal gaps: Capabilities you possess but don't demonstrate effectively
 - Framework gaps: Missing structured approaches evaluators expect
 - Evidence gaps: Performance documentation that doesn't surface your potential
 - Positioning gaps: Misalignment between your presentation and evaluator expectations

Deliverables: Career Development Action Plan, non-technical skill assessment results, capability analysis, performance gap feedback.

Phase 2: DEVELOPMENT

Build frameworks that make implicit capabilities demonstrable

We develop structured approaches for capabilities you already apply informally:

- **Learning plan** aligned with career objectives to show your developmental orientation
- **Value proposition** development for target roles
- **Framework training** for systematic capability application
- **Evidence generation** strategies within your current and prior roles
- **Interview preparation** for role specific behavioral and strategic questions

Deliverables: Learning plan, value proposition document, non-technical skills Presentation Document, optimized interview responses.

Phase 3: POSITIONING

Align all materials so evaluators accurately infer your capabilities

We adapt your presentation, so the right signals reach evaluators:

- **Resume optimization** for evaluator inference patterns
- **LinkedIn profile** optimization and strategic alignment
- **Cover letter** and application customization
- **Interview response frameworks** based on employer expectations
- **Ongoing positioning maintenance** as you generate new evidence

Deliverables: Optimized resume, LinkedIn profile, cover letter templates, interview response guide, positioning strategy.

Phase 4: LEADERSHIP FOUNDATIONS

Develop leadership identity and transition from expert to leader

We establish the frameworks that distinguish individual contributors from effective leaders:

- **Leadership style and capability assessments**, and leadership identity development
- **Team building** and high-performance team frameworks
- **Strategic leadership** positioning for organizational impact
- **Leadership brand** integration across all materials

Deliverables: Leadership Philosophy Statement, Team Development Plan, leadership brand statement, leadership evidence document, integrated leadership positioning

Program Structure

Total Sessions: 14 sessions

- 11 structured development sessions
- 3 implementation and follow-up coaching sessions

Delivery Options:

- Virtual (video conference)
- In-person
- Hybrid approach

Between-Session Work:

- Structured exercises and assessments
 - Document development and refinement
 - Implementation of strategies in real-time job search
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What Makes This Program Different

Systematic, Not Generic

We don't offer cookie-cutter advice. Every element is calibrated to your specific capabilities, target roles, and the evaluator patterns in your industry.

Evidence-Based

Our approach is grounded in how evaluators actually make decisions—not career myths or outdated advice.

Capability-First

We start with what you can actually do, then build the frameworks and positioning to demonstrate it effectively.

Integration Focus

All elements—resume, LinkedIn, interviews, leadership positioning—work together as a coherent system.

Sustainable Development

You don't just get better materials; you develop the frameworks to continue generating evidence and adapting your positioning throughout your career.

Investment

The program includes:

- 14 one-on-one sessions with career development expert
 - Comprehensive assessment battery
 - All frameworks and documentation templates
 - Ongoing support between sessions
 - Final presentation document package
 - Post-program coaching
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Expected Outcomes

By program completion, you will have:

- ✓ Clear understanding of the gap between your capabilities and current presentation
- ✓ Frameworks to demonstrate capabilities you previously applied only informally
- ✓ Optimized resume, LinkedIn, and interview responses aligned with evaluator expectations
- ✓ Leadership identity and positioning (Phase 4 participants)
- ✓ Systematic approach to ongoing career development
- ✓ Confidence in articulating your value across all professional contexts

Most importantly: You'll have closed the perception gap—so evaluators can finally see what you're actually capable of.

Getting Started

Step 1: Initial Application

Submit online application including:

- LinkedIn profile URL
- Target role/industry description
- Brief narrative of what you've tried and barriers you're facing

Step 2: Program Definition Meeting

Complimentary consultation to:

- Review your application and career objectives
- Explain program structure and customize approach
- Identify service priorities and timeline
- Ensure program fit

Step 3: Begin Phase 1

Launch comprehensive diagnostic process within one week of enrollment.

Ready to Close the Gap?

Schedule Your Program Definition Meeting

"The CAES Careers Program is for professionals who know they're capable of more—and are ready to develop the frameworks and positioning to prove it."

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