

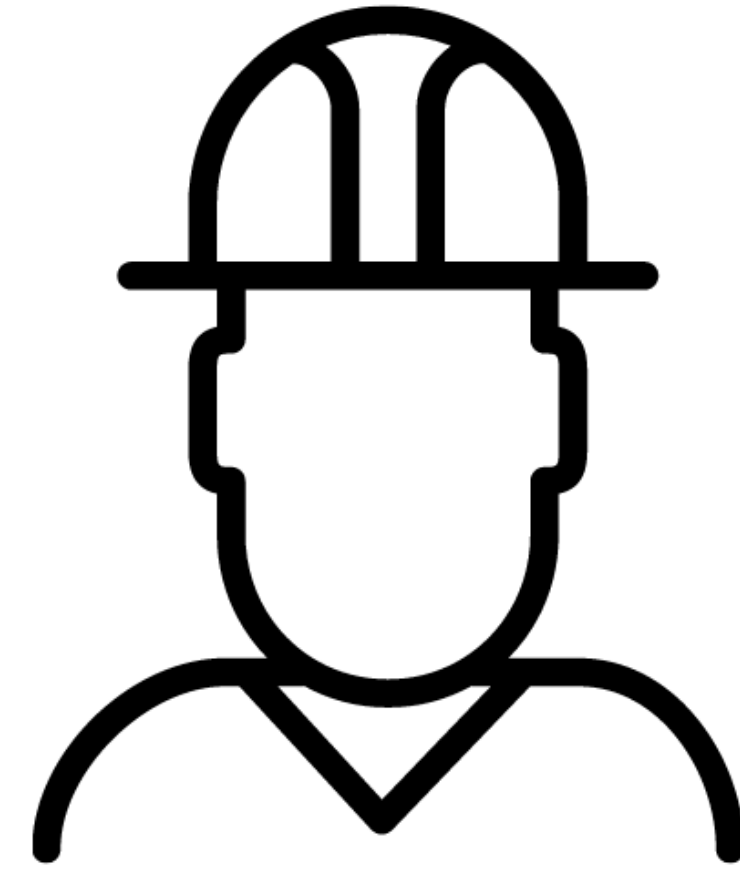
# PENN STATE WILKES-BARRE

## 100 YEARS OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT



Penn State Wilkes-Barre offered three-year certificates in mechanical, electrical, civil, and mining engineering.

1923



As World War II ended there were more opportunities available in the engineering and coal industries.

1945

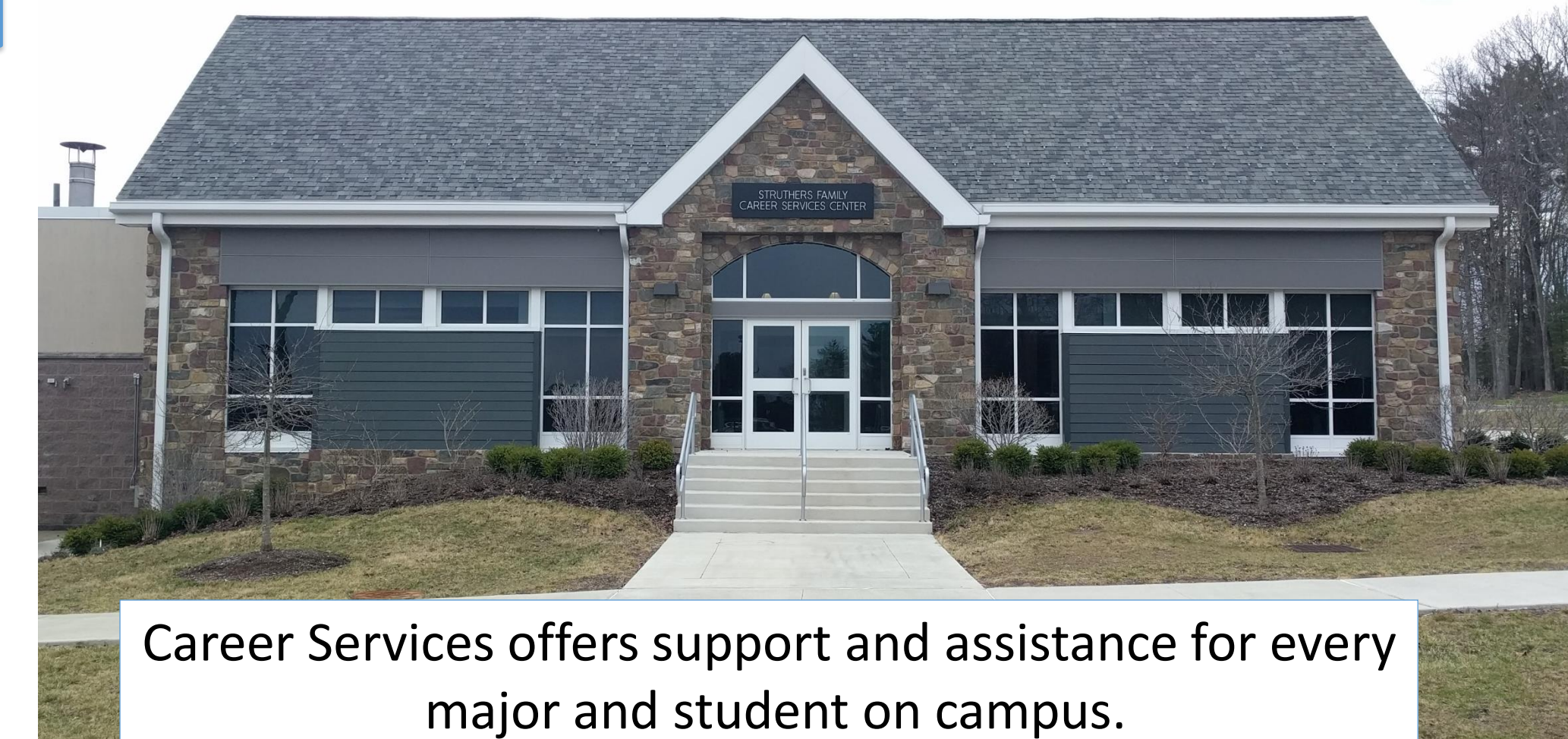
To accommodate the needs of the workforce, in 1953 Penn State Wilkes-Barre offered its first 2-year program in engineering.

1953

By the 1990's the job market turned into more of a service economy. Penn State offered majors and services for all occupations.

As the economy became more technology based, in 1991 the Technology Center was finished. Having a total of 5 main facilities.

1991



Career Services offers support and assistance for every major and student on campus.

On October 31, 2013 the Struthers Family Career Services Center opened on the Penn State Wilkes-Barre Campus. This became a centralized resource available to all students.

2013



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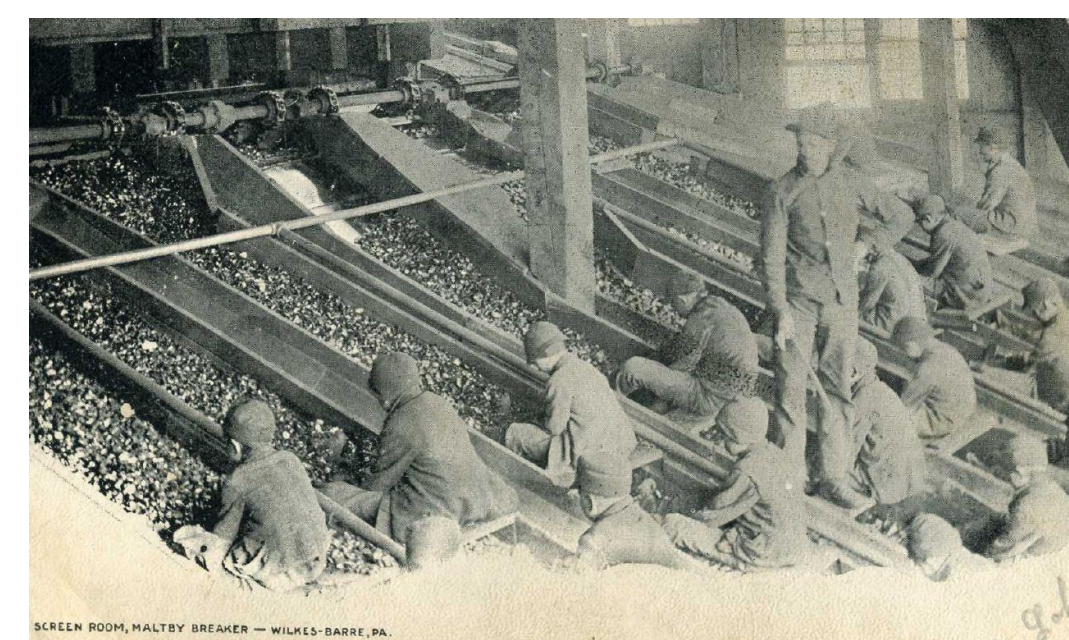
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1916-2016



1916

In Pennsylvania, at the beginning of the 19<sup>th</sup> century, a majority of careers were based around coal, steel, and agriculture.



Screen Room, Maltby Breaker-Wilkes-Barre, PA

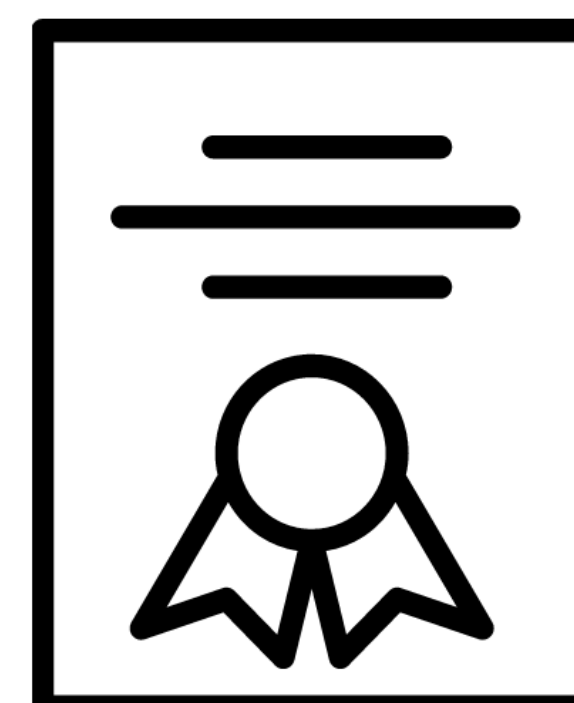
1968



Due to the workforce demand for college degrees, in 1968 Penn State Wilkes-Barre moved from downtown Wilkes-Barre to its permanent campus in Lehman, Pennsylvania.

1987

Penn State Wilkes-Barre offered its first 4 year degree in Electrical Engineering Technology.



2008



As student population continued to grow, in 2008 the Academic Commons and the Nesbitt Library was opened.

2016

Penn State Wilkes-Barre offers eight 4 year degrees and four 2 year degrees. To continue to compete with the ever changing workforce.

