



## MAX MONDAYS: MAY 20, 2019

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Greetings on this Monday!

Here are some updates for MAX partners... Special thanks to everyone for your submittals and efforts to keep our workforce development community informed!

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### CAREER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS FOR JOB SEEKERS

- The **U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs** hosts a **VA Vocational Services Orientation** on Mondays at Tommy Nobis Center (1480 Bells Ferry Road, Marietta, GA) and Tuesdays at the **VA Fort McPherson Campus**, Building B (1701 Hardee Avenue, SW, Atlanta, GA). The Orientation is held from 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM in weeks without a Federal holiday. Veterans who want to work can learn about the opportunities available to them from the VA and its partners. Topics include Compensated Work Therapy, Training, Benefits, Resume Writing, Job Search and Coaching, and more. Contact Tracy Roberts at [tracy.roberts3@va.gov](mailto:tracy.roberts3@va.gov) for more information.
- **WorkSource Atlanta Regional's Mobile Career Lab** is deployed at convenient local locations in Cherokee, Clayton, Douglas, Fayette, Gwinnett, Henry and Rockdale counties. Onsite staff assist individuals seeking employment, training and education services and also provide services to businesses seeking a skilled workforce. Businesses may use the mobile lab for recruiting, pre-employment screening, interviewing and training. WorkSource Atlanta Regional also maintains [Career Resource Centers](#) located throughout the seven counties. For more information about the Mobile Career Lab, contact Phyllis Jackson at 470-378-1588 or [pjackson@atlantaregional.org](mailto:pjackson@atlantaregional.org), or [click here](#). Following is the upcoming schedule.
  - Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at the **Snellville Public Library** (2740 Lenora Church Road, Snellville, GA)
  - Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **Riverdale Public Library** (420 Valley Road, Riverdale, GA)



- Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 1:30 PM to 4:00 PM, at the **Fayette County Public Library** (1821 Heritage Park Way, Fayetteville, GA)
- Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at the **R.T. Jones Memorial Library** (116 Brown Industrial Parkway, Canton, GA)
- Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **Grayson Public Library** (700 Grayson Parkway, Grayson, GA)
- Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1:30 PM to 4:00 PM, at the **Gwinnett County Public Library Headquarters** (1001 Lawrenceville Highway, Lawrenceville, GA)
- Tuesday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **Clayton County Public Library Headquarters** (865 Battle Creek Road, Jonesboro, GA)
- Tuesday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, 1:30 PM to 4:00 PM, at the **Cochran Public Library** (174 Burke Street, Stockbridge, GA)
  
- **WorkSource DeKalb's Mobile Career Center** is stationed at locations throughout DeKalb County to help put DeKalb County citizens back to work. The mobile unit brings job assistance to residents of DeKalb by conveniently traveling all over the county. Residents have access to services like job search assistance, workshops, training and resume writing and interviewing tips. Businesses may also use the mobile unit for interviewing, training, pre-employment screenings or recruiting. The Mobile Career Center is also aiding residents interested in applying for the DeKalb year-round internship program. The program provides short-term internship opportunities for low-income young adults, ages 16-24, who are seeking employment and not enrolled in school. Two staff members in the unit can assist in the application process. For more information about WorkSource DeKalb, including upcoming events, visit [www.worksourcedekalb.org](http://www.worksourcedekalb.org) or call 404-687-3400. Following are the next stops.
  - Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, **Lithonia-Davidson Public Library** (6821 Church Street, Lithonia, GA)
  - Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, **DeKalb Access & Resource Center** (949 North Hairston Road, Stone Mountain, GA)
  - Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, **East DeKalb Health Center – DeKalb County Public Health Department** (2277 South Stone Mountain Lithonia Road, Lithonia, GA)
  - Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, **Covington Public Library** (3500 Covington Highway, Decatur, GA)
  - Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, **Georgia Department of Family and Children Services** (178 Sams Street, Decatur, GA)
  - Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, **Flat Shoals Public Library** (4022 Flat Shoals Parkway, Decatur, GA)
  - Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM, **Fort McPherson** (1788 Hardee Avenue, SW, Atlanta, GA)
  
- The **Construction Ready Training Program** is a four-week accelerated **NCCER ACCREDITED**, hands-on construction training and certification program that is offered in four locations in the Metro Atlanta region. The Construction Ready program connects participants to some of



Atlanta's top construction companies, which quite often leads to employment. This is a FREE background friendly and drug-free class for all eligible residents in the **City of Atlanta** and the following counties: **Cobb, Cherokee, Clayton, DeKalb, Douglas, Fayette, Fulton, Gwinnett, Henry and Rockdale**. Interested participants, MUST attend an Information Session to start the process of enrollment. To learn more about Construction Ready, [click here](#). To learn more about Construction Ready's Training Partner HB NEXT, [click here](#). If you have any questions as to what Information Session you should attend, contact Veda White, Student Success Manager, at 404-692-1542 or email [veda.white@cefga.org](mailto:veda.white@cefga.org). Please see the following information session locations to apply.

- **Construction Ready at Westside Works** is offering Information Sessions for residents of **30314** and **30318** zip codes at **Integrity Transformations** (692 Lindsay Street NW Atlanta, GA) on Wednesdays at 9:30 AM. [Click here](#) to receive info & to sign up for the next Information Session.
- **Construction Ready at Build Cobb Partnership** is offering Information Sessions for residents of **Cobb County** at **The Collective at Cumberland** ([3110 Sports Avenue Smyrna GA](#)) every Tuesday and Thursday at 9:00 AM. [Click here](#) to receive info & to sign up for the next Information Session.
- **Construction Ready at Georgia Hill** is offering Information Sessions for priority enrollment for residents of **NPU-V** in **30310, 30312** and **30315** zip codes (Mechanicsville, Pittsburgh, Peoplestown, Adair Park and Summerhill). [Click here](#) to receive info & to sign up for the next Information Session.
- **Construction Ready at Aerotropolis Atlanta** is offering Information Sessions for priority enrollment for residents of **30213, 30236, 30238, 30260, 30273, 30274, 30288, 30291, 30294, 30296, 30297, 30310, 30311, 30315, 30331, 30337, 30344, 30349, and 30354** zip codes. [Click here](#) to receive info & to sign up for the next Information Session.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** hosts **Weekly Job Training Information Sessions** at its 13 Goodwill Career Centers each month. The **Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Works Program** ([snapworks@ging.org](mailto:snapworks@ging.org)) at Goodwill provides funds for able bodied adults who are eligible to receive food stamps. The **Good Transitions: Young Adult (DOL-ETA) Program** ([goodtransitions@ging.org](mailto:goodtransitions@ging.org)) at Goodwill provides funds for individuals 18-24 who have had involvement with the criminal justice system in high-poverty, high-crime areas. To learn more about all that Goodwill offers, interested participants can attend an information session at any Goodwill Career Center. Goodwill is also actively recruiting for ongoing job training programs at the sites noted below. [Click here](#) to register on **Career Connector for Virtual Services** and find additional career center information and locations.
  - **Cartersville – Skills Training Information Sessions** – Tuesdays, 10AM, **Cartersville Career Center** (929 Joe Frank Harris Parkway SE, Cartersville, GA). Contact Ashia Walker at [awalker@ging.org](mailto:awalker@ging.org) or 770-276-7036 for more information. Currently recruiting for upcoming Logistics, Hospitality and Forklift training programs.
  - **Decatur – Customer Service Contact Center Training Information Sessions** – Thursdays, 2:00 PM, **Decatur Career Center** (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Suite 200, Decatur,



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- GA). Contact Sylvia Mosley at [smosley@ging.org](mailto:smosley@ging.org) or 404-554-9600 for more information.
- **Duluth – Skills Training Information Sessions** – Tuesdays, 11:00 AM, **Pleasant Hill Career Center** (1502 Pleasant Hill Road, Duluth, GA). Contact Sylvia Mosley at [smosley@ging.org](mailto:smosley@ging.org) or 404-554-9600 for more information.
  - **Smyrna – Skills Training Information Sessions** – Wednesdays, 2:00 PM, and **Health Environmental Services (EVS) Training Program and Technology Careers Program Information Sessions** – Tuesdays, 6:00 PM, and Wednesdays, 2:00 PM, **Smyrna Career Center** (205 South Cobb Drive, Smyrna, GA). Contact Margaret Johnson, [mjohnson@ging.org](mailto:mjohnson@ging.org) or 678-766-8173 for more information.
  - **South DeKalb – Highway Construction, Forklift, Floor Technician/Custodial, Maintenance, and Environmental Services (EVS) Technician Training Information Sessions** – Wednesdays, 2:00 PM, and **GoodBiz Information Sessions** – Thursdays, 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM, **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA). Contact Ruquais Wiley (for Skills Training Information Sessions) at [rwiley@ging.org](mailto:rwiley@ging.org) or 404-728-8605 or Rose Perry (for GoodBiz) at [rperry@ging.org](mailto:rperry@ging.org) or 404-728-8644 for more information.
  - **Stockbridge – Skills Training Information Sessions** – Wednesdays, 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM, and **GoodBIZ Information Sessions** – Thursdays, 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM, **Stockbridge Career Center** (3871 Highway 138, SE, Stockbridge, GA). A Community Block Development Grant is available to provide job training, skills training, and job placement for unemployed and underemployed Clayton County residents. To learn more about these opportunities, attend one of the Information Sessions. Contact Ray Bryant at [drbryant@ging.org](mailto:drbryant@ging.org) or 678-514-0670 for more information.
  - **Woodstock – Skills Training Information Sessions** – Thursdays, 10:00 AM, **Woodstock Career Center** (9425 Highway 92, Woodstock, GA). Contact Ashia Walker at [awalker@ging.org](mailto:awalker@ging.org) or 770-874-0901 for more information. Currently recruiting for upcoming Logistics, Hospitality and Forklift training programs
- **Atlanta Technical College** will be holding **Nursing Information Sessions** on Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 4:00 PM, and Tuesday, June 11<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 PM, in the **Multipurpose Room of Brenda Watts-Jones Allied Health and Technology Complex** at **Atlanta Tech** (1560 Metropolitan Parkway, SW Atlanta, GA). If you, or someone you know, is interested in jump starting their career in the nursing field, this is the perfect opportunity to learn more. For more information, contact Dr. Katrina Walker at [kwalker@atlantatech.edu](mailto:kwalker@atlantatech.edu) or (404) 225-4645.
  - **Atlanta Technical College’s Office of Academic and Student Affairs** hosts **Wednesday Works**, weekly information sessions for prospective students on Wednesdays, at 10:00 AM and 6:00 PM, at the **Student Success Center** (Academic Complex – Room 1113C, 1560 Metropolitan Parkway, SW, Atlanta, GA). Information sessions are held every Wednesday except for state or federal holidays. Prospective students can speak with advisors, department heads, and financial aid representatives to fast track their acceptance into Atlanta Tech. The application fee will be waived for students who apply during these sessions. Contact Elaina Chance at [echance@atlantatech.edu](mailto:echance@atlantatech.edu) or 404-225-5067 for more information.



- **Roswell United Methodist Church Job Networking** meets again on Monday, May 27<sup>th</sup>, starting at 12:30 PM. Workshops, led by highly skilled professionals who volunteer their time and knowledge, are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays of every month at RUMC, except for holidays. No advance sign up is required. The day starts with 12 afternoon workshops, and 15 evening workshops / activities starting at 7:00 PM. Visit [www.rumcjobnetworking.com](http://www.rumcjobnetworking.com) for complete workshop details, times, and directions. Information on the website will tell you how you can sign up to join the RUMC Yahoo Groups to be notified daily about new job openings and how to apply.
- **Operation Hope** in partnership with **BB&T** is hosting the **Pathway to the Future's Promise NEXT-Gen** event during its **2019 HOPE Global Forum** on Thursday, May 30<sup>th</sup>, from 9:30 AM to 6:00 PM, at the Hyatt Regency Atlanta (265 Peachtree Street, NE, Atlanta, GA). This event will bring together dynamic youth and young adults from across the country – presenting local youth associations, high schools, colleges, and professional fields for an action-packed day of programming to help empower youth to reach their personal dreams. Interested youth should [click here](#) for more information and to register.
- The **Latin American Association** is hosting **Resume Day with Deloitte** on Friday, June 7<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM at the **LAA** (2750 Buford Highway, NE, Atlanta, GA). Deloitte employees will provide personalized assistance for creating or modifying a resume. They will also offer workshops on LinkedIn and other topics. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- **WorkSource DeKalb** is holding the **WorkSource DeKalb Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Orientation** on Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 AM, at **WorkSource DeKalb** (774 Jordan Lane, Building #4, Decatur, GA). This orientation will be held every other third Thursday for the remainder of 2019. WIOA is designed to help job seekers access employment, education, training, and support services to succeed in the labor market and to match employers with the skilled workers they need to compete in the global economy. Upcoming training for eligible participants will focus on short-term in-demand industries, including: transportation, distribution and logistics; healthcare; information technology and construction. Registration for WIOA orientation will be required and seating will be limited. Interested applicants can [click here](#) to register.

[Click here](#) for the MAX Calendar of Events for job seekers.

## Special Enrollment Opportunities

- **Generation**, in partnership with **Amazon Web Services**, is launching a **Cloud Support Engineer Training Program** beginning on Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. The 12-week no-cost program is for young adults between the ages of 18 and 29 and will provide hands-on training in 12 weeks with an opportunity to earn the AWS Cloud Practitioner certification. No



experience is necessary. Trainees will learn how to launch a career in cloud computing and get help from career coaches for better resumes and interview preparation. [Click here](#) for a flyer.

- **ABCs of Customs Brokerage**, a training partner of **Atlanta CareerRise** and **WorkSource Georgia**, is accepting applications for the June 2019 class (June 10<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> and June 17<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> ). This 9-day, 72-hour dynamic training program prepares students to enter or advance as an international trade administrator, providing entry-level workers with the skills and knowledge equivalent to one year of experience as a customs specialist and the opportunity to earn national certification as a Certified Customs Specialist through the National Customs Brokers and Forwarders Association of America's National Educational Institute. Applicants must have state ID, high school diploma or GED, basic computer skills, and resume. To apply, email Donna Mullins at [donna@mullinsintlsolutions.com](mailto:donna@mullinsintlsolutions.com). [Click here](#) for a flyer.

## Ongoing Enrollment Opportunities

- **Atlanta Public Schools – Adult Education** offers **FREE GED and English as a Second Language classes** in over 14 locations throughout Fulton County. This is an all-year round program with weekly enrollment open to residents in any county. Through employer, post-secondary and workforce development partnerships, the program helps to connect students with top industries and more via career pathway opportunities. The program also assists the English language learner in developing English literacy and basic skills. Classes are offered morning, afternoon, evening and now, online for GED! Those interested in participating in a class can call 404-802-3560 for more information. [Click here](#) for a flyer for the GED classes. [Click here](#) for a flyer for the ESL classes. [Click here](#) for a flyer for Online GED classes.
- **Atlanta Technical College's Adult Education Department** offers free **Adult Literacy and GED Preparation** classes year-round. The program is self-paced with excellent instructors, an educational plan based on your needs in an interactive and supportive environment. We also assist students with furthering their education and developing skills needed to successfully compete in today's workforce. Classes are offered on the main campus of Atlanta Technical College. Potential students must register to attend orientation and testing. To complete the online registration, go to [www.atlantatech.edu](http://www.atlantatech.edu), click the Adult Education/GED Prep tab. Click the link that matches your age and complete the registration. You must print and bring the completed documents to Orientation. Contact information: Adult Education Department at 404-225-4433 and [adulted@atlantatech.edu](mailto:adulted@atlantatech.edu).
- The **City of Refuge** is recruiting for several of its **skills training programs**: Certified Nursing Assistant, culinary specialist, NAPA mechanic, and fitness instructor. Please contact Toni Jackson at **Veteran's Molding Minds** at [toni@veteransmoldingminds.org](mailto:toni@veteransmoldingminds.org) or 404 838-6799 for more information.
- **Juma Atlanta** recruiting young adults aged 18-24 for its **YouthConnect Program**. Qualified applicants receive on the job training at SunTrust Park & Mercedes Benz Stadium over the sports seasons. The six-month program provides Jumans the skill sets needed toward the road



to self-sufficiency via three key program components: **Earn, Learn, Connect.** Jumans earn money and the skills to change their future, obtain job-readiness and increase soft-skills. Various certifications and trainings are provided that include two-weeks of Customer Service Training, Sexual Harassment Sessions, Logistics, AED, First-Aid and CPR training. Jumans also learn money management from sessions led by representatives from SunTrust and Regions Banks. Finally, Jumans are connected to entry-level work opportunities from our growing list of national employer partners: Southwest Airlines, CVS, and Amazon, to UPS, Starbucks, T-Mobile and more. Contact Sharon Rowell, Career Coach, at 404-476-9835 or [sharonr@juma.org](mailto:sharonr@juma.org) for more information or [click here](#) to visit Juma's website.

- **Per Scholas Atlanta** is now in the selection process and taking applications for its **IT Support Training**. Per Scholas Atlanta, in partnership with **General Assembly**, is offering a tuition-free 17-week Coding | Web Development training. After five weeks of learning the basics in web development, students are given the opportunity to matriculate into General Assembly's 12-week Web Development Immersive training to become a full-stack web developer. Per Scholas Atlanta is also offering IT Support Training, a 10-week, full-time, tuition-free training leading to CompTIA A+ professional certification. Students are led through rigorous, hands-on curriculum by a technology instructor, learning about computer hardware and software, setting up networks, troubleshooting mobile devices, and much more. Graduates are prepared for entry-level employment in IT as Desktop Support Specialists, IT Support Analysts and Network Field Technicians. A High School Diploma or Equivalent is required with minimal experience in Information Technology for both offerings. The Per Scholas IT Support student must be able to attend the 10-week training full time, Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. The Per Scholas Web Development student must be able to attend the 17-week training full time, Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Per Scholas graduates are supported up to two years with career coaching and additional tuition-free educational opportunities. Applications can be completed at [www.perscholas.org](http://www.perscholas.org).
- **Per Scholas Atlanta**, in partnership with **WorkSource Cobb** and **CobbWorks**, is offering **FREE Computer Training and Certification** for Cobb County residents, ages 18 and up. Students have two course tracks to choose from: (1) IT Support, a 10-week course, to earn a CompTIA A+ Certification and (2) Network Support, a 15-week course to earn a CompTIA A+ Certification and Network+ Certification. Both tracks will have classes Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Students will learn about computer maintenance, computer installation and troubleshooting, networking and security concepts and mobile technology. [Click here](#) for a flyer. For more [information](#), contact Per Scholas at [atlanta@perscholas.org](mailto:atlanta@perscholas.org).
- **Southern Crescent Technical College** offers **FREE GED preparation classes** through the Southern Crescent **Adult Education Department**. Southern Crescent's adult education department prepares a competitive workforce in Butts, Fayette, Henry, Jasper, Lamar, Pike, Spalding, and Upson counties through educational programs that deliver 21<sup>st</sup> century skills which are designed to be responsive to the individual needs of the learner. Classes in Butts County are offered from 6:00 to 9:00 PM on Mondays through Thursdays. Classes in Fayette County are offered from 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM on Mondays through Thursdays, from 1:30 PM to



4:30 PM on Mondays through Thursdays, and from 5:30 PM to 8:30 PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Classes in Jasper County are offered from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Classes in Lamar County are offered from 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays and from 5:30 PM to 8:30 PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Classes in Spalding County are offered on Mondays through Thursdays at the following time intervals: 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM, 8:30 AM to 11:30 AM, 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM, and 5:30 PM to 8:30 PM. Classes in Upson County are offered from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM on Mondays through Thursdays, from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays. To register for GED prep classes, prospective students can [click here](#) or call 770-229-3176.

- **Tommy Nobis Center** is an authorized Ticket to Work provider and is now accepting applications. Ticket to Work is a federally-funded employment program designed for people who want to improve their earning potential and are committed to preparing for long-term success in the workplace. The service is free for individuals age 18 through 64 who receive Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) or Supplemental Security Income (SSI). We are now serving Cobb, Fulton, Paulding, Cherokee, Douglas, and Dekalb county residents. Contact Manish Mazyck at 678-303-3110 or [manish.mazyck@tommynobiscenter.org](mailto:manish.mazyck@tommynobiscenter.org) for more information. [Click here](#) for the flyer.
- The **WorkSource Atlanta Regional NextGen (Youth) Program** is accepting applicants for its **Social Welfare Program Initiative (SWPI)**, a program to prepare young adults to secure a future that relies on self-sufficiency through family sustaining wages. The initiative provides assistance to obtain a GED, job training and certification, paid work experience, transportation, mentorship and other supportive services. This is a FREE program for residents of Gwinnett and Clayton counties. Interested participants should be ages 18-24 who have dropped out of high school and are direct recipients of TANF, SNAP, WIC, Section 8 and/or Medicaid within the last six months. Residents of Gwinnett County, please contact Helena Wallace at 404-357-4259 or [hwallace@atlantaregional.org](mailto:hwallace@atlantaregional.org). Residents of Clayton County, please contact Kenddal Waller at 470-303-3011 or [kwallers@atlantaregional.org](mailto:kwallers@atlantaregional.org).

## SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMS

- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is actively recruiting for the **Summer 2019 This Way Ahead Internship Program**, designed to provide young adults an opportunity to gain skills and confidence in a competitive work environment. These paid internship roles are with **GAP, Old Navy, Banana Republic** and **Athleta** stores and include: sales and support; shipment; fitting rooms; merchandise replenishment; store visuals; loss prevention. Goodwill provides Job Readiness Training for interested youth beginning in March. Please email [thiswayahead@ging.org](mailto:thiswayahead@ging.org) for more information.
- **Tommy Nobis Center** is accepting applications for the **2019 Summer EYES** program. Program participants will be able to reinforce learning obtained from attending classes of PSA and JRT during the school year by working in the community sites and receiving additional





training. Participants will also gain exposure to potential employment opportunities. Each student will have gained the skills needed to obtain employment and further assist them toward goals of becoming a productive member of society. Please send referral information to Elyse Stokes, Program Coordinator, [Elyse.Stokes@tommynobiscenter.org](mailto:Elyse.Stokes@tommynobiscenter.org) by May 17<sup>th</sup>. [Click here](#) for a flyer.

- **WorkSource Cobb/CobbWorks Inc. Youth Program** is accepting applications for the **2019 Summer Youth Work Experience Program**. Program participants will gain valuable employment training experience while making \$10.00 per hour for up to 40 hours a week. The Summer Youth Work Experience program is a federally funded program serving Cobb County opportunity youth ages 16-24! [Click here](#) for a flyer. [Click here](#) for a flyer for graduating seniors. Interested participants should contact WorkSource Cobb to see if you are eligible for the program: Jacob Johnson, Youth Service Manager, at 770-528-2613, [jjohnson@cobbworks.org](mailto:jjohnson@cobbworks.org), or Angela Jackson, Work Experience Coordinator, at 770-528-2668, [adjackson@cobbworks.org](mailto:adjackson@cobbworks.org).
- **DeKalb County CEO Michael Thurmond, the DeKalb County Board of Commissioners, and WorkSource DeKalb** have launched the **2019 DeKalb Works Summer Youth Employment Program**. The six-week program runs from June 3, 2019, through July 26, 2019. DeKalb residents ages 14 to 24 are invited to apply for the program at [www.dekalbcountyga.gov/intern](http://www.dekalbcountyga.gov/intern). Interns will be paid \$10 per hour. Applications are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Questions about the internship program should be directed to Jermaine Hampton at [jlhampton@dekalbcountyga.gov](mailto:jlhampton@dekalbcountyga.gov), or 404-687-3806. WorkSource DeKalb is seeking worksites for interns. With DeKalb Works, WorkSource DeKalb will provide intern training prior to the start of the work assignments. Additionally, they will cover all payroll and workers' compensation for interns. Employers interested in participating as a worksite are encouraged to register at: [www.dekalbcountyga.gov/worksite](http://www.dekalbcountyga.gov/worksite).
- **WorkSource Fulton's Legacy Youth** program is currently recruiting for the **2019 Summer Work Experience** project. The program will provide short term paid internships for Out Of School Youth, ages 16-24, and will include jobs available in different career sectors such as customer service, healthcare, logistics, IT and telecommunications. Interested participants should call Robin Cousins, Program Manager at 404-414-4231.

## HIRING ALERTS FOR JOB SEEKERS

- **Aramark** is actively recruiting for **Jackson Healthcare – Alpharetta** for positions such as General Utility Workers, Baristas, and Cooks. [Click here](#) for more information and to apply.
- **Premier Placements** is actively recruiting for groundskeepers in the apartment industry for positions throughout metro Atlanta. The position does not require any previous experience, nor do they need to own a vehicle. Many of the opportunities are accessible through public transportation. The work is primarily outdoors. The position pays \$12 per hour. If you know of anyone who would benefit from this type of work, call 678-965-5690.



## JOB FAIRS AND HIRING EVENTS FOR JOB SEEKERS

- **Taqueria Tsunami** is hosting the **Restaurant & Hospitality Job Fair** on Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, from 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at its location (5825 Roswell Road, NE, Suite A, Atlanta, GA). Job seekers will have the opportunity to engage with representatives of restaurants and hotels in Sandy Springs and should be prepared for on-the-spot interviews. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** hosts hiring events and job fairs in partnership with employers at its Career Centers each month. Following is a look at upcoming opportunities to engage with employers. For a complete list of Goodwill events for job seekers, [click here](#) for access to event calendars for each Career Center.
  - **Atlanta – Career Fair** – Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, **Latin American Association** (2750 Buford Highway, Atlanta, GA). Contact Ariella Mendez at [amendez@ging.org](mailto:amendez@ging.org) or 678-891-0235 for more information.
  - **Atlanta – Allied Universal Hiring Event** – Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM, **Northeast Plaza Career Center** (3337 Buford Highway, Atlanta, GA). Contact Ariella Mendez at [amendez@ging.org](mailto:amendez@ging.org) or 678-891-0235 for more information.
  - **Cartersville – Randstad Hiring Event** – Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup> and Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, **Cartersville Career Center** (929 Joe Frank Harris Parkway, Cartersville, GA). Contact Beatriz Gonzalez at [bgonzalez@ging.org](mailto:bgonzalez@ging.org) or Stephanie Zalbert at [szalbert@ging.org](mailto:szalbert@ging.org) or call 770-276-7036 for more information.
  - **Cartersville – Good Jobs at Goodwill Event** – Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM, **Cartersville Career Center** (929 Joe Frank Harris Parkway, Cartersville, GA). Contact Beatriz Gonzalez at [bgonzalez@ging.org](mailto:bgonzalez@ging.org) or Stephanie Zalbert at [szalbert@ging.org](mailto:szalbert@ging.org) or call 770-276-7036 for more information.
  - **Decatur – Team WRX Hiring Event** – Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup> and Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, **Decatur Career Center** (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Suite 200, Decatur, GA). Contact Leira Garcia-Cabrera at [lgcabrera@ging.org](mailto:lgcabrera@ging.org) or 404-554-9600 for more information. (An application is required prior to this event.)
  - **Decatur – Allied Universal Hiring Event** – Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM, **Decatur Career Center** (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Suite 200, Decatur, GA). Contact Leira Garcia-Cabrera at [lgcabrera@ging.org](mailto:lgcabrera@ging.org) or 404-554-9600 for more information.
  - **Duluth – AARP Hiring Event** – Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, **Pleasant Hill Career Center** (1502 Pleasant Hill Road, Duluth, GA). Contact Anthony Sims at [asims@ging.org](mailto:asims@ging.org) or 770-921-3873 for more information.
  - **Duluth – Integrity Staffing Solution Hiring Event** – Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, **Pleasant Hill Career Center** (1502 Pleasant Hill Road, Duluth, GA). Contact Anthony Sims at [asims@ging.org](mailto:asims@ging.org) or 770-921-3873 for more information.
  - **Duluth – Waffle House Hiring Event** – Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, **Pleasant Hill Career Center** (1502 Pleasant Hill Road, Duluth, GA). Contact Anthony Sims at [asims@ging.org](mailto:asims@ging.org) or 770-921-3873 for more information.



- **Duluth – Flexible Staffing Hiring Event** – Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, **Pleasant Hill Career Center** (1502 Pleasant Hill Road, Duluth, GA). Contact Anthony Sims at [asims@ging.org](mailto:asims@ging.org) or 770-921-3873 for more information.
- **Duluth – Comfort Keepers Home Care Hiring Event** – Thursday, May 30<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, **Pleasant Hill Career Center** (1502 Pleasant Hill Road, Duluth, GA). Contact Anthony Sims at [asims@ging.org](mailto:asims@ging.org) or 770-921-3873 for more information.
- **South DeKalb – U.S. Census Bureau Hiring Event** – Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA). Contact Sherard Holt at [sholt@ging.org](mailto:sholt@ging.org) or 404-728-8605 for more information.
- **South DeKalb – Acrobat Outsourcing Hiring Event** – Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, and Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA). Contact Sherard Holt at [sholt@ging.org](mailto:sholt@ging.org) or 404-728-8605 for more information.
- **South DeKalb – WIS International Hiring Event** – Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup> and Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM, **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA). Contact Sherard Holt at [sholt@ging.org](mailto:sholt@ging.org) or 404-728-8605 for more information.
- **Stockbridge – Trace Staffing , Masis Staffing and Waffle House Hiring Event** – Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, **Stockbridge Career Center** (3871 Highway 138, SE, Stockbridge, GA). Contact Ray Bryant at [drbryant@ging.org](mailto:drbryant@ging.org) or 678-514-0670 for more information.
- **Stockbridge – Chick-fil-A Hiring Event** – Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, **Stockbridge Career Center** (3871 Highway 138, SE, Stockbridge, GA). Contact Ray Bryant at [drbryant@ging.org](mailto:drbryant@ging.org) or 678-514-0670 for more information.
  
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is co-hosting a **Career Fair** with the **Georgia Department of Labor** on Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at the **Southlake Mall** (1000 Southlake Circle, Morrow, GA). Contact Ray Bryant at [drbryant@ging.org](mailto:drbryant@ging.org) or 678-514-0670 for more information.
  
- **Atlanta City Council Member Dustin Hills** is hosting the **District 9 Career & Skills Fair** on Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 10:00 AM, at the **Springfield Missionary Baptist Church** (1730 Hollywood Road, NW, Atlanta, GA). Representatives from Amazon, UPS, Global Concessions, Lyft, Swissport, This Is It Seafood & BBQ, and Amiofor Management Company are among those who will be onsite to meet with job seekers. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.
  
- **Hire G.I.** is hosting the **Fort Gillem Career Fair** on Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at **Comfort Inn Suites** (5087 Clark Howell Highway, Atlanta, GA). Veterans and transitioning service members are encouraged to attend and the event is open to all branches of service active duty personnel, reservists, family members and Department of Defense employees. Job seekers will have an opportunity to meet face-to-face with local and national employers, network with key community resource partners, and learn about military family benefits and more. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.



- **CareerIntro.com** is holding its next **Atlanta Career Fair** on Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Hilton Garden Inn** (1501 Lake Hearn Drive, Atlanta, GA). Job seekers ranging from entry level and recent college graduates to executive level experienced professionals will have an opportunity to meet with local, regional and Fortune 500 companies with immediate job openings. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.
- **National Career Fairs** will host its **Atlanta Career Fair** on Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at **Ramada Plaza Atlanta** (450 Capitol Avenue, SW, Atlanta, GA). Job seekers are encouraged to go to [www.nationalcareerfairs.com](http://www.nationalcareerfairs.com) in advance of the event to upload resumes and search the jobs available. Click here for a flyer. [Click here](#) for more information and a link to register.
- The **City of Refuge** is holding its next **Career Fair** on Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM, in partnership with **Veterans Molding Minds**, at its **Workforce Innovation Hub** (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, Atlanta, GA). [Click here](#) for a flyer for dates on future career fairs.
- **Choice Career Fairs** is hosting its **Atlanta Career Fair** on Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **DoubleTree by Hilton Atlanta Perimeter Dunwoody** (4386 Chamblee Dunwoody Road, Atlanta, GA). Job seekers can meet face-to-face with hiring decision-makers from some of the areas top employers. [Click here](#) to register.
- The **Latin American Association** is hosting its next **Career EXPO**, Atlanta's premiere bilingual career fair, on Tuesday, June 25<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **LAA** (2750 Buford Highway, NE, Atlanta, GA). The annual Career Expo is Atlanta's Premier Job Fair for bilingual professionals and semi-professional job seekers. Career Expo provides employers seeking diversity in the workplace and bilingual talent the opportunity to connect with highly qualified bilingual talent. Employers include corporate, nonprofit and government organizations. More than 40 companies will participate in the event. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.
- **RecruitMilitary** and **DAV** are hosting the **DAV RecruitMilitary Atlanta Veterans Job Fair** on Thursday, June 27<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at the **Mercedes-Benz Stadium** (1414 Andrew Young International Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA). RecruitMilitary, a national military recruiting firm established in 1998, and DAV, a major veteran service organization established in 1920 and serving veterans of all eras, have partnered and are delivering a career fair for military veterans in the Atlanta area. Anyone who has served on active duty, in the National Guard, or in the Reserves and their spouses is invited to attend this event to find a new career. Local, regional and national companies will attend to recruit for open positions. Companies include: DAV, Allstate, Airstreams Renewables, CenturyLink, Eaton, First Command Financial Services, G4S Secure Solutions, Kroger, Lockheed Martin Corporation, Luxottica, United BMW of Roswell, and many more. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.
- **Job Fair Pro** has teamed up with **Best Hire Career Fairs** to present the **Atlanta Job Fair** on Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at **The Westin Peachtree Plaza Atlanta** (210 Peachtree Street, NW, Atlanta, GA). Job seekers can meet and interview with hiring companies



from the following sectors: accommodations, accounting, advertising, aerospace, agriculture & agribusiness, air transportation, apparel & accessories, auto, banking, beauty & cosmetics, biotechnology, chemical, communications, computer, construction, consulting, consumer products, education, electronics, employment, energy, entertainment & recreation, fashion, financial services, fine arts, food & beverage, green technology, health, information, information technology, insurance, journalism & news, legal services, manufacturing, media & broadcasting, medical devices & supplies, motion pictures & video, music, pharmaceutical, public administration, public relations, publishing, real estate, retail, service, sports, technology, telecommunications, tourism, transportation, travel, utilities, video game, and web services. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **JobFairX** is hosting its next **Atlanta Job Fair** on Tuesday, August 20<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Hilton Garden Inn Atlanta Perimeter Center** (1501 Lake Hearn Drive, Atlanta, GA). Job seekers will have the opportunity to meet and interview with hiring managers at companies ranging from small local businesses to Fortune 500 corporations and receive immediate feedback with the potential for on-the-spot hiring. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.
- **DiversityJobs.com** is holding the **Atlanta Bilingual & Diversity Job Fair** on Thursday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM, at the **Courtyard Marriott Decatur** (130 Clairmont Avenue, Decatur, GA). Attending employers include Federal Home Bank of Atlanta, Grainger, GreenSky, the U.S. Postal Service, and Voya, to name a few. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.

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## EVENTS FOR WORKFORCE DEVELOPERS AND EMPLOYERS

- The **Metro Atlanta Chamber** is hosting a **Metro Atlanta Talent Pipeline Report Experiential Learning Workshop** on Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, from 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM, at the **Metro Atlanta Chamber – Board Room** (191 Peachtree Street, Suite 3400, Atlanta, GA). The workshop provides a sneak peak into a report that reviews an analysis of interests vs. aptitudes of 21,000 high school students across Clayton, Cobb, DeKalb, Gwinnett, and Fulton counties using data from YouScience. It reveals how students match up with the region's top industries such as Healthcare, Information Technology, Distribution & Logistics, Construction, and Manufacturing. YouScience data shows that only 22% of female students and 31% and 43% of Black and Hispanic students showed interest in high demand fields, while 78% - 79% showed high aptitude. Engaging employers in education is critical to closing the skills gap and fostering economic inclusion by attracting students and jobseekers into the workforce by increasing interest in high demand fields utilizing student aptitudes to target work-based learning opportunities in these fields. [Click here](#) to register for this workshop supported through the Carl Vinson Institute of Government at the University of Georgia and to learn more.



- The **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' (HHS), Administration for Children and Families (ACF), and the Office of Family Assistance (OFA)** are hosting the **Fanning the Fatherhood FIRE: A National Fatherhood Summit** from Tuesday, June 4<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, at the Gaylord Opryland Hotel (2800 Opryland Drive, Nashville, TN). The summit will focus on the important role of fathers as family-focused, interconnected, resilient, and essential contributors to their children, families, communities, and society. The summit is intended for a broad audience, including practitioners currently or interested in serving fathers, current OFA Responsible Fatherhood grantees, federal, state, and local governments, community leaders, social service agency representatives, health and human service professionals, institutions of higher learning, researchers, philanthropies, and other stakeholders interested in exploring ways to support and promote responsible fatherhood. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.
- **The Annie E. Casey Foundation** is hosting a session on **Changing the Odds: Progress and Promise in Atlanta** on Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at the **Atlanta Metropolitan State College Easley Pavilion & Conference Center** (1630 Metropolitan Pkwy SW, Atlanta, GA). This event will bring together peers from the public, private, and philanthropic sectors to explore promising policies and approaches that are helping to change the odds for African-American families in Atlanta. Drawing on findings and recommendations from a new Casey Foundation report, attendees will examine the systemic and structural barriers that are preventing Atlantans of color, especially those living along and south of Interstate 20, from accessing the opportunities necessary to thrive — and the strategies that several forward-thinking organizations are implementing to establish more equitable pathways to education, housing, income and careers. The goal is to find scalable solutions for working together to ensure every Atlantan can access the opportunities necessary for them to fully contribute to, and benefit from, our city's growing economy. [Click here](#) to register.
- The **National Career Pathways Network (NCPN)** is holding its **Career Pathways Leadership Certification 2019 Summer Institute** from Monday, June 10<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday, June 11<sup>th</sup>, at the **Embassy Suites Las Vegas** (4315 Swenson Street, Las Vegas, NV). This program is designed for those involved in career and technical education, adult education, counseling, corrections, or workforce development with duties that include career pathway development. Topics include the need for career pathway partnerships, sector identification and employer engagement, program design and delivery, funding, academic achievement, career planning, professional development, and begin with an end in mind. [Click here](#) to register. Or email [workshops@cord.org](mailto:workshops@cord.org) to learn more.
- The **International Association of Workforce Professionals (IAWP)** is hosting its **106<sup>th</sup> Workforce Development Conference** from Monday, June 17<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the **Omni La Mansión del Rio** (112 College Street, San Antonio, Texas). The conference is a place to meet and share ideas with hundreds of professionals who share a passion for workforce development and to learn more about innovative approaches to effective workforce practices. [Click here](#) for more information.



- The **Partnership for Southern Equity (PSE)** is hosting the **Just Opportunity Summit** on Friday, June 21<sup>st</sup>, from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, at the **Morehouse College Shirley A. Massey Conference Center** (830 Westview Drive, SW, Atlanta, GA). The day-long conference will be preceded by a reception on Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 4:00 PM at Morehouse College. This summit is co-hosted by PSE's Just Opportunity Circle, a group of 34 key regional economic development leaders who are working together to advance sustainable solutions for equitable economic opportunities for all in four key areas throughout the Atlanta region: distribution of public investments, wealth building, employment, and entrepreneurship. [Click here](#) for more details and to register.
- The **National Career Pathways Network (NCPN)** is holding its **Career Pathways Leadership Certification 2019 Summer Institute** from Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday, June 25<sup>th</sup>, at the **Nashville Airport Marriott** (600 Marriott Drive, Nashville, TN). This program is designed for those involved in career and technical education, adult education, counseling, corrections, or workforce development with duties that include career pathway development. Topics include the need for career pathway partnerships, sector identification and employer engagement, program design and delivery, funding, academic achievement, career planning, professional development, and begin with an end in mind. [Click here](#) to register. Or email [workshops@cord.org](mailto:workshops@cord.org) to learn more.
- The **National Fund for Workforce Solutions (NFWS)** will hold its **2019 Convening: The Time is Now** from Tuesday, June 25<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, June 27<sup>th</sup> at the Fairmont Dallas (1717 North Akard Street, Dallas, TX). The Time is Now is a powerful convening of workforce development professionals, employers, frontline workers, and funders. This two-day event will advance the learning agenda on critical workforce issues. [Click here](#) for more information. Registration deadline is May 24<sup>th</sup>. [Click here](#) to register.
- The **Georgia Department of Human Services (DHS)** and **Division of Family and Children Services (DFCS)** would like to invite your organization to take part in our upcoming **IWORC Community Expo and Networking Event** in Savannah, Georgia on Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, at **Savannah Technical College - Eckburg Auditorium** (5717 White Bluff Road, Savannah, GA). DHS and DFCS invite local providers that provide direct services in and around the Savannah area. The expo will provide participants with the opportunity to meet human service providers who provide the following services: workforce development, housing, financial literacy, homelessness, fatherhood programs, employment, education etc. The day of activities will include entertainment, light refreshments, and tons of resources for individuals and families. As a valued community partner, DHS and DFCS would like your organization to set up an exhibitor booth to provide specific information about your program and services. The event will be at no charge to your organization or participants. For additional details about this event, [click here](#).
- The **National Career Pathways Network (NCPN)** will hold its **2019 Conference** from Friday, October 11<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup> at **Renaissance Orlando SeaWorld®** (6677 Sea Harbor Dr, Orlando, FL). Conference strands include Career Counseling, Development, and Advising; Designing/Delivering Programs; Developing and Sustaining Partnerships; and



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