

# MAX MONDAYS: MARCH 18, 2024

MAX Mondays provides a central place to stay abreast of the many workforce happenings in our region and state. Special thanks to everyone for your submittals and efforts to keep our workforce development community informed!

MAX Minutes Walks Through Georgia's New Labor Exchange Platform – The WorkSource Georgia Portal – with Rhonda Waite, TCSG: On Friday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, Rhonda Waite, Director, Policy, Training & Compliance, with the Technical College System of Georgia (TCSG), reviewed the features of the WorkSource Georgia Portal for job seekers and employers. Through the portal, job seekers can explore careers, access education planning and financial aid resources, find training opportunities, prepare for employment, and search for a new job. Job seekers can also upload multiple resumes tailored to specific job postings and be alerted when jobs are posted that are a potential fit. Employers can post jobs, screen several suitable candidates, determine how well each job seeker matches the job requirements, and access labor market information and industry data to inform decision making. Waite provided a live demo of the portal's features and functionality. Click here for a recording.

REMINDER: MAX Academy on Trauma-Informed Care to Provide CEUs for Rehabilitation Counselors + Social Workers: The Commission on Rehabilitation Counselor Certification (CRCC) has approved the MAX Academy: Delivering Trauma-Informed Customer Care on March 27, 2024 as training that counts as continuing education hours (CEUs) for Certified Rehabilitation Counselors (CRCs). Special thanks to Goodwill of North Georgia for serving as the sponsor with the CRCC for this workshop. This training with Georgia State University not only provides 3.0 clock hours of continuing education for rehabilitation counselors, the CEUs can also be used to fulfill core hours or general continuing education requirements for license renewal for social workers and non-core related hours for marriage and family therapists and professional counselors. Special discount benefits available for MAX members. Click here to learn more and register.

MAX ALERT: Georgia Launches New Tool for Individuals and Employers to Receive Rapid Response Help: The Technical College System of Georgia's Office of Workforce Development administers the Rapid Response services for employers and individuals in the state of Georgia. These services are available for employers who are downsizing or at-risk for closure and for individuals affected by employment loss. TCSG has recently launched a Rapid Response online tool to make it easier for employers and individuals to access the help they need. Individuals who have been laid off and employers closing operations or laying off workers can visit www.GANewJob.com to connect to helpful resources. Click here to learn more.



REMINDER: MAX Annual Survey Moves to First Quarter: What Is Keeping You Up at Night? How Can MAX Help?: The MAX Annual Survey is a vital tool for collecting your input on important workforce matters affecting the landscape for employers and job seekers in metro Atlanta. In addition, the advisement shared by workforce developers will inform how MAX can best serve the workforce community in the days ahead. The survey to inform our efforts in 2024 was initially launched in late 2023. Recognizing year-end and year-start are particularly busy times, the brief survey remains open to maximize the opportunity for input. Translation: If you have not already shared your input via this survey, we still want to hear from you! Click here to share your insights today!

ARE YOU A MAX MEMBER? If not, what are you waiting for? Join MAX and engage with a strong and dynamic network of workforce professionals who stand ready to provide peer-to-peer support and explore how to work jointly in best serving the job seeker and employer. CLICK HERE to learn the latest on the benefits of becoming a MAX member and join today.

- Job Fairs and Hiring Events
- Employers Hiring Today
- <u>Career Development Programs</u>
- Training & Education Programs
- Supportive Services
- Events for Workforce Developers and Employers
- Workforce Development Insights
- MAX Job Board
- MAX RFP Board

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#### JOB FAIRS AND HIRING EVENTS

- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting an Allied Security Hiring Event every Thursday, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the Decatur Career Center (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Decatur, GA, 30033). For more information, call 404-554-9600. Click here to learn more.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting a Goodwill Store Hiring Event every Wednesday, from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM, at the Cornelia Career Center (308 Habersham Hills Circle, Cornelia, GA, 30531). For more information, call 706-894-4905. Click here to learn more.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting an Ingles Hiring Event every Monday, from 12:00 PM to 5:00 PM, at the Cornelia Career Center (308 Habersham Hills Circle, Cornelia, GA, 30531) For more information, call 706-894-4905. Click here to learn more.



- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting KPower Interviews on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the East Athens Career Center (4070 Lexington Road, Athens, GA, 30605). Apply on Indeed.com first! For more information, call 706-395-1560. Click here to learn more.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting a Toyo Tires Hiring Event on Mondays and
  Wednesdays, from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the Cartersville Career Center (929 Joe Frank
  Harris Parkway, SE, Carterville, GA, 30120). Toyo Tires is seeking to hire Manufacturing
  Techs for night shift positions. For more information, call 770-276-7036. Click here to fill out
  an application before you arrive. Click here to learn more.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting Marriot Mondays, every Monday, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the South DeKalb Career Center (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA, 30032).
   Join us each Monday to learn about and review the endless career possibilities at Marriot hotels. For more information, call 404-728-8614. Click here to learn more and register.
- Northside Hospital is hosting a Security Officer Job Fair on Monday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the Northside Hospital Atlanta Interchange Building 4<sup>th</sup> floor (5780 Peachtree Dunwoody Road, Atlanta, GA, 30342). Northside Hospital is seeking great employees to fill roles in the Security Department at the Atlanta location. Six months of hospital experience or security/safety, fire, police, EMT, or similar occupation is required. Full-time positions are available. Be sure to bring a resume. Click here to learn more and register.
- Schneider is hosting a Truck Driver Recruiting Event on Monday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, from 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM, at the Goodwill Career Center (1301-D South Park Street, Carrollton, GA, 30117). Experienced truck driver looking for a change? Recent driving school graduate or looking to get your CDL? Whatever your level of truck driving experience, get a chance to have all your truck driving related questions answered at one of our casual truck driver recruiting events. Click here to learn more and register.
- CareerEco is hosting a Biomedical and Life Sciences Virtual Career Fair on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. Click here to learn more and register.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting a Job and Resource Fair on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the Cornelia Career Center (308 Habersham Hills Circle, Cornelia, GA, 30531). Embark on a journey towards career success at this job fair, where a myriad of



employment opportunities and valuable resources await to empower you. For more information, call 706-894-4905. Click here to learn more and register.

- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting a USPS Hiring Event on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the Pleasant Hill Career Center (1502 Pleasant Hill Road, Duluth, GA, 30096). The United States Postal Service is hiring and offering great benefits. For more information, call 770-564-2447. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- RecruitMilitary is hosting a National Virtual Career Fair for Veterans on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This event will feature employers that represent nearly 3,000 available job opportunities. Join us for this free event and meet with recruiters from local and national companies. Click here to learn more and register.
- TeamWork Online is hosting an Atlanta Sports and Entertainment Career Fair with the College Football Hall of Fame on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at the College Football Hall of Fame (250 Marietta Street, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30313). Don't miss this unique opportunity to meet sports employers and hiring managers from organizations in the Atlanta area. Most positions will be focused at the entry and intern levels and all attendees will receive a ticket to the career fair and a tour of the museum. Bring several copies of your resume and meet with teams for a potential interview. Click here to learn more and register.
- Wellstar is hosting a CT Technologist Interview Day on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the Spalding Medical Center (601 South 8<sup>th</sup> Street, Griffin, GA, 30224). Are you looking to join an organization that promotes growth and values your passion for providing care and services to patients, families, and our community? Join this event to learn about open opportunities for all shifts, full-time, and PRN. You could even be eligible for a sign-on and relocation bonus. Click here to learn more and register.
- CareerEco is hosting a Native American and Indigenous Work Force Virtual Career Fair on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Native American/Indigenous identifying professionals, ranging from current college students and recent graduates to professionals with backgrounds in all career disciplines are invited to attend. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- Emory Hospital is hosting an Environmental Services Technician Hiring Event on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 12:30 PM to 2:00 PM and 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at Emory University Hospital Midtown (550 Peachtree Street, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30308). Grow your career with an employee-empowered health care organization who offers life-saving,



innovative care. If you can't attend the event, candidates are encouraged to apply today to request an invitation to interview. Click here to learn more and register.

- Georgia Piedmont Technical College is hosting a Career Fair on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the DeKalb Campus Conference Center (495 North Indian Creek Drive, Clarkston, GA, 30021). Students will have the chance to find out more about full-time, part-time, and internship opportunities from a variety of different employers.
   Click here to learn more.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting a Goodwill Store Hiring Event on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM, at the Cornelia Career Center (309 Habersham Hills Circle, Cornelia, GA, 30531). For more information, call 706-894-4905. Click here to learn more and register.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting a Multi-Employer Job Fair on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the Decatur Career Center (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Decatur, GA, 30033). Attend this multi-employer job fair featuring over 20 employers onsite and ready to hire. Be prepared for an interview and bring copies of your resume. For more information, call 404-554-9600. Click here to learn more and register.
- Hiring Our Heroes is hosting a Government Contracting and Consulting Virtual Hiring Fair on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Register now for this virtual hiring event focused on employment opportunities in government contracting. These positions include roles in information technology, data analytics, logistics, defense systems, and more. Employers are looking for talent from the military community and hiring for hundreds of open positions. This event is open to transitioning service members, veterans, military spouses, and military caregivers. Click here to learn more and register.
- Northside Hospital is hosting a Cherokee NICU RN Virtual Hiring Event on Wednesday.
   March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 11:30 AM to 2:00 PM. To care for the youngest and smallest of patients, join Northside Hospital at our virtual hiring event. We are seeking NICU RNs with over one year of experience to join us on these rewarding night shift opportunities in our Special Care Nursery at our Cherokee location. Click here to learn more and register.
- Northside Hospital is hosting a Choice + Local Hiring Event on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM, at the Hyatt House Atlanta Perimeter Center Ballroom (5785 Peachtree Dunwoody Road, Atlanta, GA, 30342). Northside Hospital is seeking Registered Nurses for their Acute Care, Oncology, Critical Care, Intermediate Care, Surgical Services, Emergency Services, and Women's Services departments. Other positions Northside is seeking candidates to fill include Radiology Techs, Lab Techs, Surgical Techs, Respiratory



Therapists, Physical Therapists and more. Don't miss your chance to become part of a team that empowers you to do your best work. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply for a Registered Nurse position. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply for a Tech or Therapist position.

- United Career Fairs is hosting an Atlanta Job Fair on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM, at Embassy Suite by Hilton Atlanta Galleria (2815 Akers Mill Road, SE, Atlanta, GA, 30339). This fair is sales and management focused and designed to connect job seekers with hiring managers from several companies in one location. Candidates will enjoy an intimate setting while accomplishing several days' worth of interviewing in just a couple of hours. Don't miss your chance to skip resume screens, phone interviews, personality profiles, and jump right to meeting hiring managers from several companies. Click here to learn more and register.
- Wellstar is hosting an Experienced and New Graduate Registered Nurses Virtual Hiring
  Event on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Are you a compassionate RN
  looking to take your career to the next level? This is your opportunity to speak with us
  about your future in nursing. Wellstar has openings at various hospitals including Cobb,
  West Georgia, Spalding, Paulding, Windy Hill and many more. Click here to learn more and
  register.
- **City of Refuge** is hosting a **Job Fair** on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Workforce Innovation Hub** (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). Companies present looking to hire include Zaxby's, FedEx, AARP, Global Con., and more. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Department of Juvenile Justice is hosting a Veterans Affairs Career Fair/Metro RYDC on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at Goodwill Atlanta (2160 Metropolitan Parkway, SW, Atlanta, GA, 30315). Looking to make a difference? The DJJ is seeking candidates to fill positions for Juvenile Correctional Officer, Food Service Worker, Housekeeper, Juvenile Detention Counselor, Mental Health Therapist, and more. Click here to learn more and register.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting a BIG Job and Resource Fair on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the Pleasant Hill Career Center (1502 Pleasant Hill Road, Duluth, GA, 30096). For more information, call 770-564-2447. Click here to learn more and register.



- CareerEco is hosting a Business and HR Virtual Career Fair on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- Corporate Gray is hosting a Virtual Job Fair on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. This military-friendly job fair provides military-experienced job seekers the opportunity to interview with employers nationwide via text chat and video. The event is for transitioning service members, veterans, and military spouses. Candidates must preregister. Click here to learn more and register.
- JobFairX is hosting an Atlanta Healthcare Virtual Job Fair on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. JobFairX provides a seamless virtual interview experience, allowing you to attend interviews effortlessly. No matter which device you prefer, whether it's a desktop, mobile, or tablet, you can conveniently interview on the day of the event. Click here to learn more and register.
- MUST Ministries is hosting an On Ground Job Fair with Express Employment Professionals and Cherokee County School District on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM, at MUST Ministries Cherokee Client Services Center (111 Brown Industrial Parkway, Canton, GA 30114). Jobs include custodian, warehouse, logistics, material handler, assembly, quality control and accounting, paying from \$15 to \$30 per hour. Click here for a flyer. For more information, email wd@mustministries.org.
- Northside Hospital is hosting a Gwinnett Radiology Hiring Event on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at Tequila Mama (340 Town Center Avenue, Suwanee, GA, 30024). Northside Hospital has positions open for Radiologic Techs and Assistants for all shifts. Interviews will be conducted at the event and offers will be made on-the-spot, so don't miss this opportunity. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) is hosting a DJJ Central Office/Metro
   Atlanta/Decatur Career Fair on Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, at the
   Department of Juvenile Justice (3408 Covington Highway, Decatur, GA, 30032). Looking to make a difference? The DJJ is seeking Juvenile Correctional Officers, Food Service Workers, and Housekeepers to fill full and part-time positions. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Georgia Driving Academy is hosting a Stevens Truck Driver Recruiting Event on Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, starting at 12:45 PM, at the Conyers Campus (1035 Sigman Road, NE, Conyers, GA, 30012). Attend this free, no-obligation information session with a representative from Stevens Trucking. Learn more about our CDL training courses, receive a campus tour, and hear about the many job opportunities for recent graduates. Find out how Stevens is ready



to jumpstart your new trucking career with on-the-job training and support. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.

- The Cobb County School District is hosting a 2024 Job Fair on Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at Truist Park, Third Base Entrance (2565 Circle 75 Parkway, Atlanta, GA, 30339). All CCSD K-12 schools will be represented at the job fair and are seeking candidates for teaching positions for the 2024-2025 school year, as well as support staff positions (bus drivers, food nutrition team, and more). Come join this great event and the Best-In-State and Nation Employer by Forbes magazine. Click here to learn more and register. Click here to fill out an application before arriving to the job fair.
- The Gwinnett County Police Department is hosting a Police Officer Hiring Event on Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM, at the Gwinnett County Police Training Center (854 Winder Highway, Lawrenceville, GA, 30045). This is a special opportunity to complete the entire first phase of the two-phase hiring process. Conditional job offers may be given during this event. Those attending will complete some or all of the following: a physical ability test (obstacle course comprised of nine interspersed individual tasks), an orientation, a more detailed application, a credit check, and an oral interview. The entire process typically takes two to three hours, although it may take longer. It is suggested that you bring water and a snack. Part of this event will occur outside. Once your Indeed application has been received, a recruiter will email you the information to get you setup with the event application. Once you complete the event application, your assigned investigator will call to set up an appointment time for the event. Those who have submitted applications but do not have an appointment are still welcome, although wait times will be longer. Click here to learn more and apply.
- The Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) is hosting a Marietta Regional Youth Detention Center Career Fair on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the Marietta Regional Youth Detention Center (1575 County Services Parkway, Marietta, GA, 30008). Looking to make a difference? The DJJ is seeking candidates to fill positions for Juvenile Correctional Officer, Food Service Worker, Housekeeper, Juvenile Detention Counselor, Mental Health Therapist, Behavioral Health Aide, and more. Click here to learn more and register.
- Gwinnett County Public Schools is hosting a Regional Job Fair Teachers and Paraprofessionals on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM, at Brookwood High School (1255 Dogwood Road, Snellville, GA, 30078). During this event, you will be able to explore teaching and paraprofessional positions within the Brookwood Cluster. Connect with school and district leaders while you take the next step in your career. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.



- JobFairX is hosting an Atlanta Entry-Level Virtual Job Fair on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. JobFairX provides a seamless virtual interview experience, allowing you to attend interviews effortlessly. No matter which device you prefer, whether it's a desktop, mobile, or tablet, you can conveniently interview on the day of the event. <u>Click</u> <u>here</u> to learn more and register.
- The Northeast Georgia Health System is hosting a Nursing Hiring Event on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at Corporate Plaza (3137 Frontage Road, Gainesville, GA, 30504). Looking for a meaningful opportunity for your next full-time, part-time, PRN, or night-shift role? The Northeast Georgia Health System is seeking Registered Nurses (RN) and Licensed Practical Nurses (LPN) for positions at all hospital locations. During this event, hiring managers will be on-site, so you could be interviewed and given an offer on the same day! Sign-on and relocation bonuses are available. Click here to learn more and register.
- Northside Hospital is hosting an Intermediate Care, ED, and Cardiology Hiring Event on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 4:30 PM to 7:00 PM, at HobNob Halcyon (6690 Town Square, Suite 420, Alpharetta, GA, 30005). Meet with the hiring team and learn all about the exciting opportunities at the Forsyth location. Positions looking to be filled include Intermediate Care Clinical Supervisors, Intermediate Care RNs, Patient Care Techs, Cardiac Sonographers, Monitor Techs, Medical Assistants, and more. Click here to learn more and register.
- Westside Works is hosting its inaugural Opportunity Fest Career Fair on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at Westside Works (261 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). Westside Works will connect job seekers with employment opportunities, prepare untrained talent for entry-level positions, and coordinate with metro organizations to build a robust talent pipeline. Click here to learn more.
- Champions of Diversity is hosting an Atlanta Career Fair on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the Hilton Garden Inn Atlanta Perimeter Center (1501 Lake Hearn Drive, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30319). Career Town Network, Champions of Diversity and Choice Career Fairs have partnered to present this unique multimedia career fair experience. Are you ready to elevate your career fair experience? Our event redefines the possibilities by seamlessly blending the best aspects of in-person and virtual the best aspects of in-person and virtual formats. See multiple industries and opportunities in one place and meet the recruiters personally. This event is free for all job seekers and walk-ins are welcome. Click here to learn more and register.



- The Georgia Driving Academy is hosting a Swift Truck Driver Recruiting Event on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, starting at 5:45 PM, at the Conyers Campus (1035 Sigman Road, NE, Conyers, GA, 30012). Attend this free, no-obligation information session with a representative from Swift Trucking. Learn more about our CDL training courses, receive a campus tour, and hear about the many job opportunities for recent graduates. Find out how Swift is ready to jumpstart your new trucking career with on-the-job training and support. Click here to learn more and register.
- Kennesaw State University is hosting a Public Service and Non-Profit Career Day on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at the Kennesaw Recreation Center (2737 Watts Drive, Kennesaw, GA, 30144). Each Fall & Spring semester, we invite public service, government, and non-profit entities to connect with students for opportunities in the humanities, social sciences, liberal arts and more. This event will host a job fair floor as well as breakout sessions for students. Click here to learn more and register.
- Northside Hospital is hosting a Cherokee Environmental Services (EVS) Job Fair on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the Fairfield Inn & Suites (120 Reinhardt College Parkway, Canton, GA, 30114). Join hiring representatives and find out more about open opportunities at the Cherokee campus. As part of the team, you'll enjoy a great work environment, opportunities for growth, generous benefits, childcare, and more. Click here to learn more and register.
- Northside Hospital is hosting a Coffee and Careers Duluth Acute Care Hiring Event on
  Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 7:00 AM to 10:00 AM, at the Northside Hospital Duluth –
  Outpatient Center Atrium. Northside Hospital is seeking RNs, RN Leadership, and PCTs
  (CNAs) in Acute Care at the Duluth location. This is an opportunity to gain experience caring
  for a diverse patient population as you grow personally and professionally. Interviews will
  be conducted at the event and offers will be made on-the-spot, so don't miss this
  opportunity. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Word of Faith Family Worship Cathedral is hosting a Free Second Chance Job and Resource Fair on Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the Word of Faith Family Worship Cathedral (212 Riverside Parkway, Austell, GA, 30168). Come join us for the Second Chance Job & Resource Fair, a fantastic opportunity to receive encouragement & motivation from our guest speaker panel, connect with employers and access valuable resources to enhance your future. Whether you're looking for a new job or seeking to improve your current employment situation, this fair is designed to give you a second chance at success. Don't miss the chance to meet with potential employers, learn about job openings, and gain access to valuable resources that can help you in your job search. Mark



your calendar and get ready to take the next step towards a brighter future! <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.

- **JobFairX** is hosting an **Atlanta Technology Virtual Job Fair** on Monday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. JobFairX provides a seamless virtual interview experience, allowing you to attend interviews effortlessly. No matter which device you prefer, whether it's a desktop, mobile, or tablet, you can conveniently interview on the day of the event. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- Bender Consulting Services, in partnership with CareerEco, is hosting a Bender Virtual
   Career Fair on Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM. Job seekers can connect
   with employers and recruiters virtually. This job fair is open to experienced and early career
   jobseekers with disabilities nationwide. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- RecruitMilitary is hosting a Job Fair on Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at The 1918 Club (7010 Morrison Road, Building 128, Fort Moore, GA, 31905). Job seekers with military experience are welcome to meet with recruiters from local and national companies. This free event has over 20 registered exhibitors ready to meet with you. Candidates are responsible for obtaining their own access to Fort Moore. Click here to learn more and register.
- Northside Hospital is hosting a Coffee and Careers Gwinnett Acute Care Hiring Event on Thursday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, from 7:00 AM to 10:00 AM, at the Northside Hospital Gwinnett Resource Center (665 Duluth Highway, Suite 101, Lawrenceville, GA, 30046). Northside Hospital is seeking RNs, RN Leadership, and PCTs (CNAs) for exciting opportunities in Acute Care at the Gwinnett location. This is an opportunity to gain experience caring for a diverse patient population as you grow personally and professionally. Interviews will be conducted at the event and offers will be made on-the-spot, so don't miss this opportunity. Click here to learn more and register.
- Schneider is hosting a Truck Driver Recruiting Event on Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup>, from 2:00 PM to 4:30 PM, at Katlaw School (5000 Austell Powder Springs Road, Austell, GA, 30106).
   Experienced truck driver looking for a change? Recent driving school graduate or looking to get your CDL? Whatever your level of truck driving experience, get a chance to have all your truck driving related questions answered at one of our casual truck driver recruiting events.
   Click here to learn more and register.
- **JobFairX** is hosting an **Atlanta Entry-Level Virtual Job Fair** on Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. JobFairX provides a seamless virtual interview experience, allowing you to attend interviews effortlessly. No matter which device you prefer, whether it's a desktop,



mobile, or tablet, you can conveniently interview on the day of the event. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.

- Kennesaw State University is hosting a Spring Virtual Job and Internship Fair on Wednesday, April 10<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Whether you are searching for an internship, co-op, full-time, or part-time positions, this event has it all. Students of all majors and class levels are encouraged to attend. Click here to learn more and register.
- CareerEco is hosting a US Enterprise Computing Virtual Career Fair on Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, from 12:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. This job fair is open to all candidates that have completed the IBM Z Xplore Foundations and Concepts courses and received their badges prior to the fair. Click here to learn more and register.
- DiversityHiringExpos.com is hosting a MEGA Atlanta Career Fair on Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the Town Center at Cobb (400 Ernest W. Barrett Parkway, NW, Kennesaw, GA, 30144). This free mega career fair will feature Fortune 500 companies, small business, federal and state local governments, and colleges all searching for the perfect candidates to fill numerous positions. Professional dress is required and make sure to bring copies of your resume to prepare for possible on-the-spot interviews. Click here to learn more and register.
- Gwinnett County Public Schools is hosting a Regional Job Fair Teachers and Paraprofessionals on Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM, at Discovery High School (1335 Old Norcross Road, Lawrenceville, GA, 30046). During this event, you will be able to explore teaching and paraprofessional positions within the Discovery Cluster. Connect with school and district leaders while you take the next step in your career. Click here to learn more and register.
- CareerEco is hosting a Skilled Diaspora Healthcare Virtual Recruitment Event on Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This fair is open to all healthcare professionals interested in varying positions. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- The Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport is hosting an ATL Airport Spring 2024 Community Hiring Event on Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at Benjamin E. Mays High School (3450 Benjamin E. Mays Drive, SW, Atlanta, GA, 30331). This is the perfect opportunity for qualified applicants to apply for positions such as managerial roles, jobs with airlines, cargo, maintenance, concessions, and other companies that make Hartsfield-Jackson an industry leader. Over 40 employers will be present so bring copies of



your resume and dress professionally because interviews will be given on-the-spot. <u>Click</u> <u>here</u> to learn more and register.

- JobFairX is hosting an Atlanta Diversity Virtual Job Fair on Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00
   AM to 2:00 PM. JobFairX provides a seamless virtual interview experience, allowing you to
   attend interviews effortlessly. No matter which device you prefer, whether it's a desktop,
   mobile, or tablet, you can conveniently interview on the day of the event. Click here learn
   more and register.
- CareerEco is hosting a Diversity and Inclusion Virtual Career Fair on Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. Click here to learn more and register.
- Hiring Our Heroes is hosting a Virtual Career Summit on Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM. This hiring fair will feature on-demand career preparation workshops and networking with dozens of employers across multiple industries. Employers are looking for talent from the military community and are hiring for thousands of open positions. Whether you're looking for work now or exploring future possibilities, representatives are ready to meet you and answer your questions. This event is open to transitioning service members, veterans, military spouses, and military caregivers. Click here to learn more and register.
- Northside Hospital is hosting a Forsyth All Specialties Hiring Event on Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the Lanier Tech Conference Center (3410 Ronald Reagan Boulevard, Cumming, GA, 30041). Join hiring representatives and learn more about open opportunities at the Forsyth campus including Pharmacists, Pharmacy Techs, RN Leadership, Staff RNs, LPNs, Physical Therapists, Audiologists, and more. Click here to learn more and register.
- CareerEco is hosting an AI and Machine Learning Virtual Career and Grad Fair on Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- Corporate Gray is hosting a Virtual Job Fair on Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. This military-friendly job fair provides military-experienced job seekers the opportunity to interview with employers nationwide via text chat and video. The event is for transitioning service members, veterans, and military spouses. Candidates must preregister. Click here to learn more and register.
- **GRID Alternatives** is hosting an **RE+ Southeast: Clean Energy Job Fair** on Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM, at the **Georgia World Congress Center** (285 Andrew Young



International Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30313). Meet face-to-face with top industry employers who are hiring now. Attendees will have the opportunity to speak with clean energy employers offering the following opportunities: Account Manager, Sales Manager, Solar Installer, Accountant, HR Associate, Designer, Mechanical Engineer, and more. Join this free event and learn how you can expand or increase your skills within the growing clean energy industry. Click here to learn more and register.

- Job Expo Connect is hosting a Spring into Success Job Fair on Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Atlanta (4156 Lavista Road, Atlanta, GA, 30084). Whether you're a seasoned professional, a recent graduate, or contemplating a career change, this is your chance to connect with leading employers from diverse industries. Don't miss this chance to network, showcase your skills, and take control of your professional journey. Click here to register. Click here to learn more.
- Trinity Presbyterian Church is hosting a Career Fair on Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, from 11:30 AM to 3:00 PM, at the Trinity Presbyterian Church (3003 Howell Mill Road, Atlanta, GA, 30327). During the event, the Fulton Solicitor General's office will be present to help with record restrictions. Free parking will be available, and the location has easy access to Marta bus #12. Please join this exciting event to connect with services and potential job opportunities. Email Ginny Hobbs with any questions at <a href="mailto:ghobbs@atlantaspeechschool.org">ghobbs@atlantaspeechschool.org</a>.
- CareerEco is hosting a Career Services Virtual Career Fair on Tuesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. Click here to learn more and register.
- CareerEco is hosting a Government and Non-Profit Jobs Hiring Event on Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. Click here to learn more and register.
- CareerEco is hosting a Women in Business and Tech Virtual Fair on Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. Click here to learn more and register.
- Best Hire is hosting an Atlanta Job Fair on Thursday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at The Westin Peachtree Plaza (210 Peachtree Street, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30303). Best Hire Career Fairs has a proven track record of organizing exceptional hiring events nationwide for the past seven years. What sets us apart is our ability to identify the specific skills and experiences employers seek and connect them with top-notch candidates like yourself. Whether you're craving a fresh start or eager to take your career to new heights, this event is tailor-made for you. Get ready for an incredible experience at the Atlanta Job Fair! Picture



yourself face-to-face with decision-making hiring managers from leading companies in your area - no more wasted hours sending out resumes without any response. It's time to revamp your resume, dress professionally, and bring your absolute best self to stand out amongst the competition. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.

- Future and Active Pilot Advisors (FAPA) is hosting a Pilot Job Fair on Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup>, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the Westin Peachtree Plaza Atlanta (210 Peachtree Street, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30303). If you are a pilot with at least 250 hours and within three months of earning your commercial license, come meet with recruiters and line pilots from regional airlines, private and business aviation carriers, government agencies and industry organizations. On-site interviews will be offered by some companies. Click here to learn more and register.
- JobFairX is hosting an Atlanta Technology Virtual Job Fair on Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00
   AM to 3:00 PM. JobFairX provides a seamless virtual interview experience, allowing you to
   attend interviews effortlessly. No matter which device you prefer, whether it's a desktop,
   mobile, or tablet, you can conveniently interview on the day of the event. Click here to learn
   more and register.
- The Griffin Regional Educational Service Agency is hosting Georgia's Largest Teacher Job Fair on Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at Luella High School (603 Walker Street, Locust Grove, GA, 30248). Meet staff and representatives from eight South Metro Suburban School Systems representing 125+ schools and over 100,000 students during the largest teacher job fair in Georgia. Our region has something for everyone including rural, suburban, and urban schools and we offer great salaries and affordable housing. Click here to pre-register since it is a requirement. For more information, call 770-229-3247. Click here for a flyer.
- Gwinnett County Public Schools is hosting a Regional Job Fair Teachers and
  Paraprofessionals on Tuesday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM, at Seckinger High
  School (3655 Sardis Church Road, Buford, GA, 30519). During this event, you will be able to
  explore teaching and paraprofessional positions within the Seckinger Cluster. Connect with
  school and district leaders while you take the next step in your career. Click here to learn
  more and register.
- JobFairX is hosting an Atlanta Diversity Virtual Job Fair on Tuesday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00
   AM to 2:00 PM. JobFairX provides a seamless virtual interview experience, allowing you to
   attend interviews effortlessly. No matter which device you prefer, whether it's a desktop,
   mobile, or tablet, you can conveniently interview on the day of the event. Click here learn
   more and register.



- CareerEco is hosting a Law Enforcement and Social Justice Virtual Job Fair on Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Candidates seeking full-time, part-time, internships, and co-ops are invited to attend this job fair. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. Click here to learn more and register.
- CareerTown.AI and Champions of Diversity are hosting a Georgia Virtual Job Fair on Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM. Connect and communicate in real-time with thousands of diverse job seekers. This free event allows you to see multiple industries and opportunities in one place and meet with recruiters personally. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- CareerEco is hosting a Neurodiversity Virtual Career Fair on Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Job seekers can connect with employers and recruiters virtually. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- RecruitMilitary is hosting a National Virtual Career Fair for Veterans on Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This event will feature employers that represent nearly 3,000 available job opportunities. Join us for this free event and meet with recruiters from local and national companies. Click here to learn more and register.
- Choice Career Fairs is hosting an Atlanta Career Fair on Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the Hilton Garden Inn Atlanta Perimeter Center (1501 Lake Hearn Drive, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30319). Are you ready to take your career to the next level? During this event, you'll have the chance to meet face-to-face with recruiters and hiring managers, explore open job opportunities, and make connections that can help you advance in your career. Dress professionally and bring plenty of resumes. Click here to learn more and register.
- RecruitMilitary is hosting an Atlanta Veterans Job Fair on Thursday, May 30<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00
   AM to 3:00 PM, at the Georgia International Convention Center (2000 Convention Center
   Concourse, Atlanta, GA, 30337). Job seekers with military experience are welcome to meet
   with recruiters from local and national companies. This free event has over 16 registered
   exhibitors ready to meet with you. Expect to be interviewed and even offered a job on-the spot! Click here to learn more and register.
- City Career Fair is hosting its 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Diversity Employment Day Career Fair and Job Fair on Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at Piedmont Park-Magnolia Hall (1320 Monroe Drive, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30306). Meet in-person with Atlanta's major employers and their recruiters, staffing managers, and HR directors who are seeking to hire many positions. Click here for a flyer. Click here to learn more and register.



#### **EMPLOYERS HIRING TODAY**

## **Specific Employers**

#### **NEW POSTINGS**

- **Emory University Hospital** is seeking candidates to fill the position **of Environmental Services Technician**. Click here to learn about a hiring event on March 20<sup>th</sup>.
- The **Georgia Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ)** is seeking candidates for the following positions: **Juvenile Correctional Officer, Food Service Employee**, **Housekeeper**, and more at various locations.
  - o Click here to learn more about a hiring event on March 21st in Atlanta.
  - Click here to learn more about a hiring event on March 22<sup>nd</sup>, in Decatur.
  - <u>Click here</u> to learn more about a hiring event on March 26<sup>th</sup>, in Marietta.
- The Georgia Department of Human Services is seeking candidates for the following positions: <u>Advocate 2 (Parental Accountability Court Coordinator)</u>, <u>Child Support Services</u> <u>Agent 3</u>, <u>Legal Secretary</u>, <u>Social Services Specialist</u>, and more. <u>Click here</u> to see all job openings.
- The **Gwinnett County Police Department** is seeking **Police Officers.** <u>Click here</u> to learn more about a hiring event on March 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- Gwinnett County Public Schools is seeking Teachers and Paraprofessionals.
  - Click here to learn more about a hiring event on March 26<sup>th</sup>.
  - Click here to learn more about a hiring event on April 11<sup>th</sup>.
  - Click here to learn more about a hiring event on April 30<sup>th</sup>.
- Northeast Georgia Health System is seeking the following positions:
  - Registered Nurse and Licensed Practical Nurse for all locations. <u>Click here</u> to learn more about a hiring event on March 26<sup>th</sup>.
- **Northside Hospital** is seeking the following positions:
  - Security Officers at the Atlanta location. <u>Click here</u> to learn about a hiring event on March 18<sup>th</sup>.
  - NICU Registered Nurses at the Cherokee campus. <u>Click here</u> to learn about a hiring event on March 20<sup>th</sup>.



- Radiology Techs, CT Techs, Lab Techs, Surgical Techs, Respiratory Therapists, Physical Therapists, and more. Click here to learn about a hiring event on March 20<sup>th</sup>.
- Registered Nurses for the following departments: Acute Care, Critical Care, Surgical Services, Emergency Services, Women's Services and more. <u>Click here</u> to learn about a hiring event on March 20<sup>th</sup>.
- o Radiology Techs and Assistants. Click here to learn about a hiring event on March 21st.
- Intermediate Care Clinical Supervisors, Intermediate Care RNs, Patient Care Techs,
   Monitor Techs, Medical Assistants and more at the Forsyth location. <u>Click here</u> to learn about a hiring event on March 26<sup>th</sup>.
- Environmental Services Techs at the Cherokee campus. Click here to learn about a hiring event on March 28<sup>th</sup>.
- Registered Nurses, Licensed Practical Nurses, and Certified Nursing Assistants at the Duluth location. Click here to learn about a hiring event on March 28<sup>th</sup>.
- Registered Nurses Licensed Practical Nurses, and Certified Nursing Assistants at the Gwinnett location. Click here to learn about a hiring event on April 4<sup>th</sup>.
- Pharmacy RNs, RN Leadership, Staff RNs, LPNs, Patient Care Techs, Audiologists,
   Security, and more. <u>Click here</u> to learn about a hiring event on April 17<sup>th</sup>.
- **Schneider** is seeking candidates to fill **Truck Driver** positions.
  - o <u>Click here</u> to learn about a hiring event in Carrollton, GA, on March 18<sup>th</sup>.
  - o Click here to learn about a hiring event in Austell, GA, on April 8th.
- The Superior Court of Fulton County is seeking candidates to fill the following positions:
   Behavioral Health Clinician, Court Reporter, Senior Staff Attorney Appointed and more.
   Click here to see all open positions.

#### **ONGOING POSTINGS**

- AccuFleet International is seeking individuals to join its team at Hartsfield Jackson Atlanta
  International Airport. Specifically, AccuFleet seeks candidates for the following positions:
  Aircraft Cabin Cleaner, Changeout Crew Agent, Exterior Wash Agent, Duty Manager, and
  Ramp Agent. Click here to learn more about AccuFleet career opportunities.
- **Aerotek** is seeking candidates to fill positions for **Repair Technician, CNC Machinist** and more. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply.
- **Allied Universal** is seeking **Security Officers** and candidates for related positions in the Atlanta area. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.



- AmeriPro EMS is seeking Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics. <u>Click here</u> for the job description for the Emergency Medical Technician. <u>Click here</u> for a job description for Paramedics. <u>Click here</u> to apply.
- **Argos** is seeking **Financial Analyst, Equipment Operator,** and candidates for other positions. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- Atlanta Botanical Garden Inc is seeking to fill positions for Gift Shop Assistant Manager, Host, Guest Experience Associate and more. Click here for more information.
- The **Atlanta Cheesecake Company** is seeking candidates to fill the role of **Production Worker**. Click here to learn more about a job fair held every Wednesday.
- The **Atlanta Fire Rescue Department** is seeking candidates to fill **Firefighter/Advanced-EMT** (Recruit) and other civilian positions. The AFRD staffs 35 fire stations, including five stations at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply.
- Atlanta FSM Group has immediate openings for Aircraft Fueler, Mechanic, and Fueling Supervisor positions. Click here to learn more and apply.
- The Atlanta Hawks have full-time openings for the following positions: Building Security Officer, Assistant (Group Sales), Membership Associate, Plumber, and more. The Hawks organization also has openings for part-time and event-day roles. Click here to learn more.
- Bobby Dodd Institute (BDI) is seeking Customer Service Representative, 911 Dispatcher, Landscaper, Food Service Worker, candidates and more at multiple locations. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply.
- BrightSprings® Health Services is working with Equus Workforce Solutions to support the
  hiring needs for home health providers in the Atlanta area. Available positions include
  Regional Specialty Account Executive, Community Liaison, Foster Parent Recruitment
  Manager, Registered Nurse, and more. Click here to learn more and apply.
- Buckhead Center for Nursing and Healing is seeking candidates to fill Maintenance Assistant, Unit Manager, CNA, LPN, RN, and other positions. Click here to learn more, apply, and see all open positions.
- Children's Healthcare of Atlanta is recruiting candidates for 500+ positions in the Atlanta area. From Allied Health, Nursing, and Administrative positions to positions in Facilities



and **Information Technology**, there are a variety of opportunities to serve throughout the healthcare system. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.

- The City of Atlanta has immediate openings for Transportation Construction Inspector, Traffic Signal Technician, Community Outreach Specialist, and more. Click here to learn more.
- The City of Atlanta Department of Corrections is seeking candidates to fill positions for Corrections Officer, Firefighter Captain, Public Safety Trainer, and more. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- Cobb County Government is seeking candidates for Animal Services Officer, Automotive Technician III, Deputy Sheriff, Engineer positions, amongst others. Click here to learn more.
- Coca Cola Bottling Company United has immediate openings for CDL Driver Merchandiser.
   Click here to learn more.
- CompostNow has openings in the following positions: Onsite Operations, Commercial Box
   <u>Truck Driver</u> and <u>Sprinter Van Driver</u>. CompostNow is a local collection service who
   empowers community members and local businesses to divert their compostables from the
   landfill and, instead, use those nutrients to build healthy soil. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- CVS Health has immediate job opportunities for more than 1,000 positions serving in locations throughout the Atlanta area. Examples of available positions include but are not limited to: Pharmacy Technicians, Retail Store Associates, Retail Store Managers, and Shift Supervisors. Click here to see the list of positions in the Atlanta area. Job seekers can click here to apply online.
- Delta Airlines has immediate openings for Aircraft Support Mechanic, Aircraft
   Maintenance Technician, Co-op Flight Operations, Machinist and more. Click here to learn more and apply.
- Devereux Advanced Behavioral Health is seeking candidates to fill roles for Housekeeper,
   Officer Manager, LPN, School Counselor, Administrative Support, and more. Click here to learn more.
- **Emory University** is seeking the following positions: **Project Manager, Custodian, Locksmith,** and other **Supply Chain Technician** positions. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.



- Empire Care Centers has numerous openings for CNAs, LPNs, and RNs at their Canton, Cherokee, Cartersville, Austell, Decatur, and Atlanta centers. <u>Click here</u> to see all available positions.
- Encompass Health is seeking candidates to fill positions for Area Admissions Manager,
   Physical Therapist, Occupational Therapist, and more. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply.
- Fastenal is seeking candidates for Inventory Control, Sortation, Driver, and other positions. On site applications are accepted at Fastenal (6445 Fulton Industrial Boulevard, Atlanta, GA) on Mondays through Fridays, from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Click here to learn more about joining the Blue Team. Click here to learn more about the job openings in the Atlanta area.
- FedEx is seeking candidates for 50+ positions in the Atlanta region including Part-time Package Handler, Category Management Expert, Retail Customer Service Associate, Mechanic, and more. Click here to see available positions.
- First Step Staffing is hiring for positions in Warehouse / Distribution, Food Processing / Packaging, Hospitality, Landscaping, and Printing / Imaging. Most of the jobs are entry-level friendly. Some positions for individuals with certifications (e.g., Construction, Flagging, Forklift, CDL) are also available. Individuals can learn more and apply by coming into the First Step office to fill out an application (236 Auburn Avenue, NE, Suite 203, Atlanta, GA). Click here to learn more.
- Fulton County Schools is seeking Bus Drivers for routes in North Fulton and South Fulton.
   Fulton County Schools seeks great drivers who seek a flexible schedule. Pay starts at \$21.00 per hour and a hiring bonus of up to \$2,000 can be earned. Click here to learn more about the opportunities in North Fulton and apply. Click here to learn more about the opportunities in South Fulton and apply.
- The Georgia Department of Community Health is seeking candidates for Administrative
   Assistant, Compliance Specialist, Nurse Manager, and other positions. The Department of
   Community Health (DCH) offers a variety of rewarding employment opportunities that
   support the agency's mission of providing access to healthcare for one in four Georgians.
   <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply.
- The Georgia Department of Public Health is seeking Medical Assistants, Public Health Nurses, Health Educators and more. Under broad supervision, serve as backup to the primary Administrative Assistant3/receptionist for the Immunization Program to provide administrative support for the Education and other duties as assigned for the program.



Special thanks to WorkSource Atlanta Regional for sharing this opportunity. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply.

- Georgia Tech is seeking candidates for Assistant Athletic Equipment Manager, Counselor, Custodian, Grants Administrator Lead, A/C Mechanic, Student Assistant, Student Center Program Advisor, and other positions. Now an in-house operation, staff will be Georgia Tech employees and receive wonderful benefits. The university not only offers a competitive salary, excellent benefits, and paid time off, but also tuition reimbursement. Click here to learn more.
- Golden State Foods, one of the largest diversified suppliers to the food service industry is seeking candidates for Project Manager, Quality Assurance Technician, Janitor, and other positions. Located in Rockdale County, GSF makes sauces and processes meats for Chick-fil-A, McDonalds, Zaxby's and more. Click here to learn more.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is seeking Donor Specialists, Merchandisers, Sales & Service Team Members, and more. Click here to learn more.
- **Gordon Food Service** is seeking **Food Technician**, **LP Sanitation**, **Pouch Machine Operator**, and candidates for other positions. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- Grady Hospital is seeking to fill openings for Clinical Care Coordinators, Clinical Staff
  Managers, Pharmacy Technician, Registered Nurses, X-Ray Technicians, and more. <u>Click</u>
   <u>here</u> to learn more and see other open positions.
- Harborview Health System is seeking candidates to fill positions for RNs, LPNs, CNAs, Cooks, Maintenance Technicians, Dietary Aides, and more at their Atlanta, Decatur, and Marietta locations. <u>Click here</u> to view all open positions.
- Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport seeks candidates to fill available positions in Food Service, Retail, Professional Services, Airline Support, Airport
   Maintenance/Support, and Ground Transportation Support. Click here to learn more.
- **HireQuest Direct of East Point** has openings in Marietta for the following positions: **Belt Tech, Production Assembly, Machine Operator, Warehouse Worker**, and more. <u>Click here</u> for more information.
- Inline Plastics, a next generation food packaging company, is hiring several Production &
   Distribution positions at its McDonough Facilities. <u>Click here</u> and select Georgia as the state on the map to learn more.



- **Kroger** is seeking candidates for 1,300+ positions at locations throughout metro Atlanta. Examples of positions include but are not limited to: **Retail Clerk**, **Pharmacy Technician**, and **Grocery Clerk**. Click here to learn more.
- Lowes is seeking candidates for several positions in the Atlanta area. Examples of positions include but are not limited to: Cashier, Sales, Customer Service, Warehouse, and Merchandising. Click here to learn more.
- McDonald's is seeking Shift Managers at numerous Atlanta locations. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply.
- Microsoft has 50+ positions available in the Atlanta area from Social Media and Marketing to Program Management and Engineering. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply.
- Newrest, a catering and food services solutions company, is hiring Icer Lead, Quality
  Control Lead, Flight Manager, and other positions in support of operations at HartsfieldJackson Atlanta International Airport. <u>Click here</u> to learn more about career opportunities
  with Newrest.
- Norfolk Southern Corp has immediate openings for Mechanical Laborer, Union Electrician,
   Field Engineering Trainee, and more. <u>Click here</u> for more information and to apply.
- Northeast Georgia Health System is seeking the following positions: Registered Nurses, Licensed Practical Nurses, Certified Nursing Assistants and more. <u>Click here</u> to see all available opportunities.
- Northside Hospital is recruiting 650+ positions in the Atlanta area for both daytime and nighttime shifts. Positions include Clinicians, Food Service Workers, Pharmacy Techs, RNs, Communications System Operators, Patient Care Techs, Clinical Care Associates, and more. Click here to learn more.
- **Novo Health Services**, a leader in providing sterile linen to hospitals and medical centers, is seeking candidates for **Soil Sort, NV Driver**, **Janitor Blow Down Tech** and other positions in the Atlanta area. Click here to see available positions.
- PEPSICO is seeking candidates for several positions: Beverage Engineering Project
   Manager, Manager, Warehouse Supervisor, and more. Veterans are encouraged to apply.

   Click here to learn more and apply.



- Piedmont Hospital is seeking to fill Central Sterile Tech, Medical Tech, Registered Nurse,
   Social Worker, and more positions at the Atlanta, Stockbridge, and Snellville locations. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply.
- **Pratt Industries, Inc.** is hiring for its **Corrugating Division** located in Conyers, GA. The company is seeking candidates for the following positions: **Bander Operator, Treasurer, Accountant,** and more. Click here to learn more.
- PruittHealth, the 14<sup>th</sup> largest skilled nursing provider in the United States, is seeking candidates for 800+ positions in Georgia. The company seeks candidates for the following positions: Certified Nursing Assistants, Dietary Aides, Certified Medication Aides, Occupational Therapists, Physical Therapists, Speech Therapists, LPNs, Housekeepers, Drivers, and more. Click here to view current job openings.
- Rogers, one of the nation's leading facility service providers, is seeking candidates for Electrical Foreman, Construction Electrician, Service Electrician, and other positions in the Atlanta area. Click here to learn more.
- SK Battery America, Inc. is hiring Production Operators (Cell Assembly, Electrode, Module/Pack, and Formation) at its Commerce facility. The company is a featured employer being assisted by the Georgia Department of Labor. <u>Click here</u> for job details and a link to apply.
- Somerby Sandy Springs Senior Living is seeking to fill positions for Activity Assistant,
   Housekeeping Supervisor, Cook and many more, at both the Sandy Springs and Peachtree
   City locations. Click here to view open positions.
- Southeast Primary Care Partners is seeking candidates for the following positions: Patient Service Representative and Medical Assistant. Click here to view all current openings.
- Southern Company is seeking candidates for the following positions: Engineer,
   Commercial/Industrial Electrician, Microgrid Field Technician, and more. Click here to view all current openings.
- Sunrise Senior Living is seeking candidates to fill positions for Housekeeper, Executive Chef, Caregiver, and more at their Sandy Springs location. Click here to see all open positions.
- Swissport is hiring Cargo Agents and Duty Managers Cargo Services to serve in the Hartsfield Atlanta Jackson International Airport area. Click here to learn more.



- The Home Depot is seeking candidates for more than 800+ positions in the Atlanta area.
   This includes positions in Customer Service, Security Officer, Mechanic, Software Engineer,
   Product Manager, Analyst, Cybersecurity Engineer, and more. Remote positions are available. Click here to learn more.
- **UPS** is seeking candidates for several positions in the Atlanta area: **Interns, Associate IE Supervisor**, and more. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- The **U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs** has 200+ job openings in the Atlanta area. The VA is seeking candidates for the following positions: **RN**, **Housekeeping Aide**, **Medical Technologist**, **IT Specialist**, and more. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- Waffle House is seeking candidates for the following positions: Cook/Grill Operator,
   Server/Wait Staff, Host/Hostess, Shift Supervisor, Restaurant Manager, and Maintenance
   Technician. Click here to learn more.
- Walgreens is seeking candidates for 200+ positions in the Atlanta area, including Customer Service Associate, Shift Lead, Pharmacy Technician, and more. Click here to learn more.
- Walmart is seeking candidates for dozens of positions in the Atlanta area including Food &
  Grocery Worker, General Merchandise Worker, Cashier, Driver, Custodian, and more. <u>Click</u>
  here to learn more and enter your city location to see opportunities near you.
- Waste Management is seeking candidates for the following positions: Landfill Operations
   Manager, Scalehouse Attendant Transfer Stations, and more in the Atlanta area. Click here
   to learn more.
- Wellstar has more than 1,800 open Health Care positions in the metro Atlanta area.
   Examples of ongoing in-demand positions with Wellstar include: Registered Nurse, Certified Medical Assistant, Front Office Specialist, and Licensed Practical Nurse. Click here to learn more.
- Zoo Atlanta is seeking candidates for the following positions: <u>Summer Camp Educator</u>,
   <u>Admissions Cashier</u>, <u>Animal Nutrition Kitchen Tech</u>, <u>Maintenance Tech</u>, and more. Click on
   the job titles to learn more and apply or <u>click here</u> to see additional postings.

### **Job Boards**

• **ChooseATL** has created the **Helping Atlanta's Talent Find Jobs** web page with connections to the many businesses around Atlanta that are hiring today. <u>Click here</u> to access.



- **Cobb Chamber** is dedicated to bringing the community and its leaders together to create jobs and strengthen the economy and quality of life so businesses and the community can achieve more. The Chamber launched **CobbHires.com**, the Cobb Chamber's job board and internship board. <u>Click here</u> to access.
- The Greater North Fulton Chamber is the only regional chamber in North Fulton and serves as the recognized leader for business growth, talent development and regional prosperity.
   The Chamber recently launched NorthFultonJobs.com as a workforce development initiative connecting jobs and talent in North Fulton. Click here to access.
- The Gwinnett Chamber improves economic opportunities for all by helping existing
  businesses grow and expand and recruit quality businesses and high-wage jobs to Georgia,
  the Metro Atlanta and Innovation Crescent regions, and Gwinnett. The Chamber has
  recently launched the Gwinnett Chamber Job Board to connect employers needing talent
  with employees in need of work. Click here to access.
- Through **Home Depot's Path to Pro Network,** you can search and **apply for trades jobs** in your area for FREE. In just a few minutes, you can build a free profile and start applying today! Click here to get started.
- **Inclusively** provides an online platform that connects 50+ employers to hidden talent and provides the resources and training to drive workplace inclusion, retention, and ultimately innovation. The employment and learning platform is completely free to job seekers and to any advocate or job coach supporting them. <u>Click here</u> to access the platform.
- Integrity Transformations Community Development Corporation connects job seekers to job openings through its Community Job Connection initiative. Transportation assistance is available. Click here to access the job board.
- **JobRise**, a national social enterprise that launches winning businesses and provides life-changing, second chance employment for men and women facing barriers to employment, maintains a job board featuring a variety of positions with area employers. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- MUST Ministries operates an Employment Hotline for those seeking to find a job fast. Job seekers can call or text 470-313-1960. MUST Ministries also operates a Workforce
   Development Portal to help individuals seeking a new career. The portal includes access to a resume builder which uses ChatGPT for resumes and cover letters and offers a virtual mock interview also using ChatGPT. Click here to learn more.



- OneTen Atlanta connects Black talent to well-paying job opportunities through its Career Marketplace. No four-year degree required. Click here to learn more.
- **Opportunity ATL** is partnering with Chambers, WorkSource Boards, and local non-profits across the region to help job seekers connect with employment opportunities, free training programs and support services. Job seekers can join Opportunity ATL's database to start the free matching process. Click here to access.
- **SHRM Atlanta** maintains a job board for human resources professionals. <u>Click here</u> to access.
- The Reserves Network has launched a new mobile app, ReserveAJob, that will make it easy for you to receive and accept real-time job offers, as well as track your work schedules right from your mobile phone. Click here for a flyer with the QR code.
- WorkSource Cobb maintains a Weekly Job Leads Posting. The posting is linked through WorkSource Cobb's home page. <u>Click here</u> to access.
- WorkSource Georgia, powered by the Technical College System of Georgia, is the state's
  portal to connect job seekers with employers. The portal links job seekers to more than
  300,000 jobs throughout Georgia. <u>Click here</u> to access.

## **Paid Training Opportunities**

- Construction Ready's nationally recognized Construction Ready Training Program is an N.C.C.E.R. accredited four-week boot-camp style training program, where participants can earn up to eight industry-recognized credentials. The Construction Ready Training Program screens and trains students for entry-level positions in the construction industry and is FREE to eligible applicants who reside in metropolitan Atlanta, as well as the Augusta, Macon, and Columbus Regions in Georgia. Graduates of Construction Ready are connected to Georgia construction companies who participate in the Construction Ready Training Program. Employment is not guaranteed; however, 97% of our graduates have been placed into full-time employment. Interested candidates are REQUIRED to attend an Information Session to begin the process for enrollment. Construction Ready offers Information Sessions both in-person and virtually. Click here to get started.
- Goodwill of North Georgia offers paid training opportunities in a variety of skills programs. Jobseekers are encouraged to visit Goodwill's virtual career center at



<u>www.careerconnector.org</u> or call 844-344-WORK (9675) for one-on-one job search support from a Goodwill career coach to learn more.

- WorkSource Atlanta is interviewing youth, ages 16 to 24, for its STEP Forward Out-of-School Youth Program, a program that provides youth with work experience opportunities. Youth will have the opportunity to work for up to 40 hours a week for up to 8 weeks and earn \$12.00 an hour. Interested youth should have a photo ID, social security card, and complete an interview and assessment. Click here to submit interest in the program.
- WorkSource Cobb is recruiting Cobb County residents, between the ages of 16 to 24, to join the BOSS program. The BOSS program prepares individuals to be bold, open, skilled, and successful by providing paid work experience, professional development workshops, college, and career tours, and more. Participants can earn up to \$8,500 while they learn. Call 770-528-4300 to learn more.

#### CAREER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

### **Events**

- Goodwill of North Georgia hosts a variety of in-person and virtual career development, digital skills technology, and financial workshops each month. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
  - Topics covered in the career development workshops include resume building, interview preparation, salary negotiation, dress for success and more.
  - o For **digital skills workshops**, participants can engage in NorthStar Testing Sessions.
  - Topics covered in **financial workshops** include budgeting, understanding your credit report, planning for an emergency, planning for retirement, and more.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting a Skills Training Information Session on Mondays,
  Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM, at the
  Woodstock Career Center (9425 Highway 92, Woodstock, GA, 30188). Call 770-874-0901
  for more information. Click here to learn more.
- WorkSource Atlanta Regional hosts a Getting Hired! Workshop on Mondays, from 10:00
   AM to 11:30 AM, at the Clayton County Career Resource Center (3000 Corporate Center
   Drive, Suite 350, Morrow, GA, 30260). The Resource Room is available for self-directed job
   search. Click here for a flyer.
- City of Refuge hosts its NAPA Open House on Mondays at 3:00 PM, at the Workforce Innovation Hub (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA 30314). Join the City of



Refuge to learn about career opportunities associated with NAPA. Email <a href="mailto:imcqueen@cityofrefugeatl.org">imcqueen@cityofrefugeatl.org</a> for more information.

- The Urban League of Greater Atlanta hosts its Virtual Information Session on the YouthBuild Construction Plus (YBC+) Program every Monday at 3:00 PM. YBC+ provides free training and job placement via the career pathways approach in three major industry sectors: Healthcare (Nursing), Information Technology (IT), and the Building Trades (Construction). Free GED training and testing are also available to enrolled participants. YBC+ participants will receive industry-recognized certifications from industry leaders such as the Wellstar Health System, TechBridge, Georgia Building Trades Academy (GABTA), and GED credentialing via Atlanta Public Schools. YBC+'s target population is young adults ages 18-24 with an interest in a career in the 3 above named industry sectors and in need of a GED. For more information, contact Tyrell Brown, Career and Employment Specialist, at 404-964-9980 or <a href="majority typrown@ulgatl.org">typrown@ulgatl.org</a>. Click here
- WorkSource Atlanta Regional offers Individual Resume Assistance on Tuesdays, from 8:30
   AM to 1:00 PM, at the Clayton County Career Resource Center (3000 Corporate Center
   Drive, Suite 350, Morrow, GA, 30260). The Resource Room is available for self-directed job
   search. Click here for a flyer.
- The Urban League of Greater Atlanta hosts a weekly Financial Empowerment & Emergency Relief Center (FEERC) Orientation Session on the agency's programs and services on Tuesdays, at 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM. Program areas covered include Career Exploration, Higher Paying Employment Programs for Returning Citizens, Starting or Growing a Small Business, Older Youth & Young Adult Programs (Education, Employment, Life Skills, Mentoring), Homebuyer Education Workshops, Money Management & Credit Building Classes / Coaching, Emergency Assistance and Supportive Services, and more. Click here to register for an upcoming session. Click here to learn more.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting a WIOA Information Session on Tuesdays and Fridays, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the Woodstock Career Center (9425 Highway 92, Woodstock, GA, 30188). Call 770-874-0901 for more information. Click here to learn more.
- The Urban League of Greater Atlanta hosts its Rapid Employment Webinar on Tuesdays, at 11:00 AM. Join this webinar to learn about the Urban League's workforce programming; variety of career services such as career readiness training (soft skills), resume assistance & job placement; and employment opportunities. For more information, contact Kedra Banning, kbanning@ulgatl.org.



- The Latin American Association hosts a Weekly Employment Orientation in Spanish on Tuesdays, at 11:30 AM, at its Atlanta Outreach Center (2750 Buford Highway, Atlanta, GA, 30324). Job seekers will learn, in Spanish, how to create a résumé/curriculum, how to do a job search, how to use the LAA Job Bank, and what to do in case of problems in the workplace, as well as receiving resources about education, financial literacy, emergency contacts and other LAA services. No pre-registration is required. Click here to learn more.
- WorkSource Atlanta Regional holds an Application Assistance Day on Wednesdays, from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the Clayton County Career Resource Center (3000 Corporate Center Drive, Suite 350, Morrow, GA, 30260). Click here for a flyer.
- Westside Works, powered by CareerRise, holds its weekly Customer Orientation Session on Wednesdays, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at its offices (261 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). Learn about Westside Works and get pre-screened for an upcoming employment and training services program. Click here to register.
- The City of Refuge hosts a Cyber Security/Software Developer Training Program Open House every Monday, from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM at its Workforce Innovation Hub (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). These informative sessions serve as a gateway to explore the exciting highlights of the Tech Transformation Academy. Whether you're considering a career change, upgrading your skills, or simply curious about the possibilities within the tech realm, these open house events provide a welcoming space to learn, inquire, and envision the exciting prospects that the City of Refuge has to offer. Click here to learn more.
- Westside Works hosts Digital Skills Assessments every Wednesday, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM, at its offices (261 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). Are you interested in a career in information technology or other related tech fields? If so, come take this assessment to understand where your strengths and weaknesses are. Click here for a flyer.
- WorkSource Atlanta Regional holds a Job Winning Resumes Workshop on Thursdays, from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM, at the Clayton County Career Resource Center (3000 Corporate Center Drive, Suite 350, Morrow, GA, 30260). The Resource Room is available for selfdirected job search. <u>Click here</u> for a flyer.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Skills Training Information Session** on Thursdays, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at the **Decatur Career Center** (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Decatur GA, 30033). Call 404-554-9600 for more information. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.



- The Georgia Justice Project (GJP) hosts First Fridays virtual sessions every Friday, from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM. First Fridays helps individuals with a Georgia criminal history understand what they can do about it. Topics include reading your record, record restriction (expungement eligibility), Georgia's new law for restricting convictions, applying for a pardon, and how to apply for GJP's services. Email <a href="intake@GJP.org">intake@GJP.org</a> or call 404-827-0027, ext. 238, with questions. Click here to learn more and register.
- Goodwill of North Georgia is hosting a Skills Training Information Session on Fridays, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the Dawsonville Career Center (66 S. 400 Center Lane, Dawsonville, GA, 30534). Call 706-344-3409 for more information. Click here to learn more.
- Career Bliss Academy is hosting an Online Career Empowerment and Meditation Class on Tuesdays, starting at 8:30 PM. In this class, you will learn how to enjoy a long, successful career without burn-out and you will overcome negative thoughts that keep you from realizing your full potential in your career. Learn a unique style of meditation that can take your current career to a whole new level or reinvent your career completely. Click here to learn more and register. After signing up, you will receive a Zoom link to join the event.
- DreamWork Enterprise LLC is hosting an online Career Planning Workshop on Wednesdays and Thursdays, starting at 7:00 PM. Choosing a career is tough. Come and explore exciting ideas that you might not have realized existed for high school graduates. Learn about developing passive income streams no matter what your credit looks like or how much money you have. If going to college isn't as exciting to you as it is to your friend, learn what possibilities may lie ahead of you when you take the road less traveled. Click here to learn more and register.
- Atlanta Tech Village hosts Pitch Practice each Friday, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM, at Atlanta Tech Village (3423 Piedmont Road, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30305). Pitch Practice is a free, open, weekly meetup for entrepreneurs in Atlanta to practice delivering a 30-second, 3 minute, or 5+ minute investor pitch. The goal is to pitch, learn, and network. This get together allows you to practice and receive feedback from peers. Click here to learn more and register.
- Westside Works powered by CareerRise is hosting a Career Accelerator Bootcamp on Monday, March 18<sup>th</sup> through Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at Westside Works (261 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). Bootcamp attendees will receive personal development, professional development, and technical skills training. <u>Click here</u> for a flyer. <u>Click here</u> to register.
- Brandywine Cares is hosting a Youth-Boost your Atlanta Career 5-Week CareerKick virtual event starting Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. This virtual program,



featuring a special podcast series for additional learning, offers an immersive experience in career and personal development. Dive into topics like purpose discovery, skill enhancement, and advanced personal branding. Engage in interactive sessions and practical project work, all designed to propel your career forward. Candidates must be between the ages of 16 and 24 and submit a resume for eligibility assessment. Click here to learn more and register.

- The Center of Excellence for Veteran Student Services (CEVSS) is hosting a CEVSS Campus Event on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM, at Herzing University Atlanta (50 Hurt Plaza, SE, Suite 400, Atlanta, GA, 30303). This event is tailored for all veterans with opportunities to boost their career development by offering free headshots to elevate their professional presence, LinkedIn Premium upgrades, and a free lunch. Connect with fellow veterans, exchange experiences, and build a stronger community. Career Development will be on-site to assist in making the most of the available resources. Click here to learn more and register.
- City of Refuge is hosting Al Discovery Days on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, and Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM and 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM, at City of Refuge (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). Whether you're tech-curious or an aspiring innovator, the Al Discovery Lounge is your playground. Here, we demystify artificial intelligence, making it accessible, understandable, and interactive. Click here for more information. Click here for a flyer.
- Jewish Family and Career Services (JF&CS) is hosting a Virtual Interviewing Workshop on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM. Learn how to better prepare for an interview, understand the different types of interviews and answer common interview questions. This workshop will address how to tackle difficult interviewing moments as well as help you gain strategies on the do's and don'ts of salary negotiation. Click here for more information and to register.
- **Journey ATL** is hosting a **Resume Workshop** on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM, at the **Joan P. Garner Library** (980 Ponce de Leon Avenue, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30306). This event is a great opportunity for individuals who have never written a resume or just need help editing their current resumes. Trainers will provide hands-on guidance and feedback, so participants will walk away with a newfound confidence in their chances of securing a job. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- The Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency (GVRA) is hosting a Is VR Right for Me? Virtual Prospective Client Orientation virtually on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM. GVRA offers an online forum allowing potential clients and their families the



opportunity to walk through the VR process and learn what to expect when considering applying for GVRA services. GVRA offers this forum monthly on the third Wednesday of the month. Registration is not required. Click here to join the session on Zoom.

- Hiring Our Heroes is hosting a Virtual Amplify Workshop starting Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM. This free, two-day workshop tailored to military spouses focuses on career preparation, professional development, and networking. Amplify attendees will leave with tools, resources, and an expanded network to support their career growth. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> to learn more and register.
- Job Search Academy is hosting a Pros Working for Pros: Careers in the Sports Industry live webinar on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, starting at 1:00 PM. Indeed career strategist Matt Berndt will be joined by Katrina Palanca, VP of Global Partnerships, to provide advice and tips for those interested in pursuing a career in the sport and entertainment industry. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- Hands of Power and Love is hosting a 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Caregiver Networking Lunch & Learn on Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 10:30 AM to 1:00 PM, at Hands of Power and Love (6470 East Johns Crossing, Suite 160, Duluth, GA, 30097). Get ready for this exciting opportunity to connect, learn, and grow alongside fellow professionals in our community. Enjoy a delicious lunch as you share resources and gain valuable insights to enhance your professional journey. Networking is a vital aspect of professional development, and this event aims to provide the perfect platform for you to forge new connections and strengthen existing ones. Click here to learn more and register.
- ProNetworker is hosting a Women's Business Day and Expo on Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at Atlantic Station (1380 Atlantic Drive, NW, Atlanta GA, 30363). Join us for a day of empowerment, learning, and connection. This event is dedicated to fostering inclusivity, leadership empowerment, and allyship among women from diverse backgrounds. Through interactive activities and engaging discussions, attendees will explore ways to build bridges across differences, support each other's journeys, and collectively overcome systemic barriers as confident leaders in their industries. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> to learn more and register.
- Westside Works is hosting a Healthcare Open House on Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at its offices (261 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA). Explore the world of healthcare and discover the numerous opportunities available in this field. Interact with industry professionals, ask questions, and learn about the various educational programs offered at Westside Works. Click here for a flyer. Click here to learn more and register.



- City of Refuge is hosting a Call Center Reservationist Information Session on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM, at City of Refuge (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, Atlanta, GA, 30314). Build your professional skill set through Delta's Apprentice Program offered by the Reservation Sales and Customer Care division. Through this program you'll develop key skills to achieve your long-term career goals. After completion of the program, successful trainees may have the opportunity to join Delta's team as a full-time Customer Experience Specialist. Learn more about all the details of the program during this informative session. Call 404-564-7763 for more information. Click here for a flyer.
- Jewish Family and Career Services is hosting a Virtual LinkedIn Workshop on Tuesday,
   March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Learn how to set up a profile and use the job
   search resources offered through LinkedIn during this 2-hour virtual workshop designed to
   give job seekers and those in career transition a solid base of information to strengthen
   their brand on LinkedIn. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- Keller Williams Realty is hosting a Career Day on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at Keller Williams Realty (3325 Paddocks Parkway, Suite 190, Suwanee, GA, 30024). Are you a newly licensed realtor? Looking for a career change? Join us for this career day for an opportunity to sit in on the weekly sales meeting and get a firsthand look at what life is real estate looks like. Lunch will be provided as you gain the tools and resources you need to be successful. Click here to learn more and register.
- Job Search Academy is hosting an HBCU SpringComing Career Incubator: Professional Networking Strategies for Career Advancement live webinar on Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, starting at 3:00 PM. Join Indeed Career Strategist Matt Berndt and Executive Talent Strategy Advisor Dr. Chela White, for an in-depth discussion and Q&A on relationship building strategies that could help you advance in your career. This is part one of a three-part series. Click here to learn more and register.
- Atlanta Black Chambers, in partnership with the ABC Veteran Entrepreneurs Group is hosting an SBA Boots to Business Reboot on Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM, at the Russell Innovation Center (504 Fair Street, Atlanta, GA, 30313). This one-day event is designed to assist participants in understanding the steps, stages, and activities related to launching and growing a sound and successful business post-military career. At Boots to Business, you'll have the opportunity to learn from experienced professionals, network with like-minded individuals, and gain valuable insights into the world of entrepreneurship. Click here to learn more and register.



- Ladies of Legacy are hosting The Networking Event of the Year on Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the Courtyard by Marriot (3209 Holcomb Bridge Road, Norcross, GA, 30092). Join us for the most anticipated networking event of the year. Get ready to connect with industry leaders, entrepreneurs, and professionals from all walks of life. This in-person event is your golden ticket to expand your network and forge valuable connections that can propel your career or business to new heights. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> for a flyer.
- Victory Church is hosting a Rock Your Profile Event Money and Wisdom Career Mentoring event on Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at Victory Church (5905 Brook Hollow Parkway, Norcross, GA, 30071). Career guidance is a new program within Money and Wisdom for those seeking biblical and practical guidance as it relates to their career advancement. A major part of developing your career includes your presence online when employers and clients search for your name. During this session, you'll be trained to maximize your skills, work experience, and connections to build your online professional presence. Bring a laptop and a list of your recent job and professional accomplishments to include in your online profile. Click here to learn more and register.
- Women in Technology (WIT) is hosting a WIT Girls & State Farm Digital Visionaries: AI Powered Creativity Unleashed event on Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at State Farm (236 Perimeter Center Parkway, NE, Sandy Springs, GA, 30328). Discover the fascinating world of AI powered imaging at State Farm. Join us for an engaging learning experience where you will explore the latest AI-powered tools and techniques used to enhance images and graphics. Come and discover how to make your digital creations stand out and become more compelling with the power of AI. Click here to learn more and register.
- Job Search Academy is hosting an Ask a Career Strategist live webinar on Monday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, starting at 9:00 PM. Bring your job search questions to this live Q&A session with Indeed Career Strategists, Matt Berndt and Clint Carrens. The ability to register will be available soon. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- Brandywine Cares is hosting a webinar on Business Planning Basics on Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. This webinar is the first session of the *Career \$hift Small Business Bootcamp series* occurring every Wednesday. At the end of this life-changing career shift, you'll be armed with the knowledge, tools, and resources to build a sustainable and successful business. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Alliance is hosting a Hotspot with James Coleman event on Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM, at the Hotel Indigo Atlanta Airport (1776 Harvard Avenue, College



Park, 30337). This event is designed to be a catalyst for professional development, offering a unique blend of insights and hands-on training to propel your career forward. Join us as we delve into strategies for success and connect with like-minded professionals. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.

- City of Refuge is hosting a Call Center Reservationist Information Session on Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, from 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM, at City of Refuge (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, Atlanta, GA, 30314). Build your professional skill set through Delta's Apprentice Program offered by the Reservation Sales and Customer Care division. Through this program you'll develop key skills to achieve your long-term career goals. After completion of the program, successful trainees may have the opportunity to join Delta's team as a full-time Customer Experience Specialist. Learn more about all the details of the program during this informative session. Call 404-564-7763 for more information. Click here for a flyer.
- City of Refuge, in partnership with NPursuit Career Partners, is hosting an EmployED Workshop on Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM at City of Refuge (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). This one-week program, hosted once a month, will help take your career to new heights through emerging technologies, customized skill development, and expert guidance. Enhance your interview skills and show confidence and professionalism with practice and expert feedback. Click here to learn more. Click here for a flyer.
- Docent Admissions Consulting is hosting a College Admissions Personal Essay: Story Development Workshop on Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM, at the Sandy Springs Library (395 Mount Vernon Highway, NE, Sandy Springs, GA, 30328). You have a story to tell, and college admissions committees want to hear it. Learn how this in-person, low-stakes workshop will help you explore and develop personal essay topics. You'll gain an insider's view into the mind and dynamics of an admissions reader and learn what makes an eye-catching personal essay. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency (GVRA) is hosting a Virtual Transition Forum for Parents, Students, and Professionals on Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM. This event will walk parents, students, and special education professionals through the process of getting connected with GVRA, who qualifies for Pre-Employment Transition Services and Transition Services through GVRA, and the continuum of services that fall under transition at GVRA. Click here to join the event via Zoom.
- Brandywine Cares is hosting a webinar on Business Expert Panel Discussion on Wednesday,
   April 10<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. This webinar is the second session of the Career \$hift –
   Small Business Bootcamp series occurring every Wednesday. At the end of this life-changing



career shift, you'll be armed with the knowledge, tools, and resources to build a sustainable and successful business. Click here to learn more and register.

- Job Search Academy is hosting a Getting a Fair Chance: Strategies for Job Seekers with Criminal Records webinar on Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. Everyone deserves a fair chance to pursue better work, but that fair chance is often elusive to job seekers with criminal records. Matt Berndt welcomes Dr. Genevieve Rimer from the Center for Employment Opportunities and Dr. Melissa Thompson from the Mount Vernon Career Center to share their advice on reintegrating into society, getting a job, and pursuing a career. The ability to register for this event is coming soon and will be updated. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> to learn more.
- The **U.S.** Patent and Trademark Office is hosting a Patent Pro Bono Program: Pathways to Inclusive Innovation in-person event on Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM To 2:00 PM, at Emory University (1301 Clifton Road, Atlanta, GA, 30322). This event welcomes all entrepreneurs and aspiring entrepreneurs who are interested in learning more about succeeding in business, identifying, and protecting intellectual property, securing options for funding, and expanding business networks. This event is designed for inventors and small-businesses to discover pathways to pursue IP protection and commercialization of ideas. Click here to learn more and register.
- Westside Works powered by CareerRise is hosting a Career Accelerator Bootcamp on Monday, April 15<sup>th</sup> through Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at Westside Works (261 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). Bootcamp attendees will receive personal development, professional development, and technical skills training. <u>Click here</u> for a flyer. <u>Click here</u> to register.
- StartUp Fayette is hosting a Mastering E-Commerce and Online Sales workshop on Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, starting at 5:00 PM, at the Fayette Chamber of Commerce (600 West Lanier Avenue, Suite 205, Fayetteville, GA, 30214). Join us as we focus on the growing field of e-commerce, discussing strategies for enhancing online sales, digital marketing techniques, and ways to effectively leverage e-commerce platforms for business success. Click here to learn more and register.
- Brandywine Cares is hosting a webinar on Marketing and Social Media Strategies on Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. This webinar is the third session of the Career \$hift – Small Business Bootcamp series occurring every Wednesday. At the end of this life-changing career shift, you'll be armed with the knowledge, tools, and resources to build a sustainable and successful business. Click here to learn more and register.



- Encompass, Simply Parts is hosting an Encompass Day of Appliance Repair Training on Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM and Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM, at Encompass Supply Chain Solutions Training Center (776 Tipton Industrial, Lawrenceville, GA, 30046). Join us for an informative day of appliance repair training. This in-person event is designed to equip you with the skills and knowledge needed to excel in the appliance repair industry. Our expert instructors will guide you through various repair techniques, troubleshooting methods, and industry best practices. Whether you're a seasoned professional looking to sharpen your skills or a beginner eager to enter the field, this event is perfect for you. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> to learn more and register.
- The Marietta Children's Business Fair is hosting a Business Fair on Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM, at iTHINK Financial (647 Roswell Street, NE, Marietta, GA, 30060). The Marietta Children's Business Fair (MCBF) provides young entrepreneurs with an opportunity to create, learn, and earn. The goal is to help them be amazing business owners. During the process, the children have the support of the MCBF team to market and sell their products to the community. We partner with Acton Children's Business Fair as the Marietta Fair host in Georgia. We need the community to come out and support the young business owners. They will be set up and ready for your purchases. Bring Cash, card, phone payment apps. Click here to learn more and register. Click here for a flyer.
- Rejoice in the Word Church is hosting a Free Game College and Career Day event on Tuesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM, at Rejoice in the Word Church International (383 Swanson Drive, Lawrenceville, GA, 30043). Come join us for an extraordinary day of learning about college and career opportunities, all for free with prizes. This event is designed for people who want to prepare themselves for a successful transition into higher education and the workforce. Topics to be covered during the event include scholarship and grant resources, resume writing, how to dress for success, the importance of networking, and more. This event will be Atlanta's next best forward initiative to help push individuals in the community to their next level of development. Click here to learn more and register.
- Brandywine Cares is hosting a webinar, Become Certified: Minority or Woman-Owned Business, on Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. This webinar is the fourth session of the Career \$hift Small Business Bootcamp series occurring every Wednesday. At the end of this life-changing career shift, you'll be armed with the knowledge, tools, and resources to build a sustainable and successful business. Click here to learn more and register.



- King Center for Nonviolent Social Change is hosting an EmpowHer: Empowering Black Girls Initiative on Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at The King Center (449 Auburn Avenue, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30312). This cohort serves an all-black female cohort (ages 13-18), with a focus on character development, wellness, and career readiness. The career readiness segment will include programming around LinkedIn, resume writing, and interviewing. The cohort consists of monthly sessions four in-person Saturday sessions in Atlanta and three Tuesday evening virtual sessions. Click here to learn more and register.
- **2Fly Airborne** is hosting a **Become a Pilot Seminar** on Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at **Courtyard by Marriot Atlanta Downtown** (133 Carnegie Way, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30303). Have you ever dreamed of becoming a professional pilot? The global pilot demand requires more than 649,000 new commercial pilots over the next 19 years. This free seminar will detail the economic outlook of pilots, how to get your career off the ground, and employment opportunities. You'll also learn about 2Fly Airborne's zero to flight instructor training program. Parents and sponsors are welcome to attend but we ask that all attendees be at least 17 years of age or older. Click here to learn more and register.
- Young Physicians Initiative is hosting a 2024 Doctor for a Day Conference on Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine Georgia Campus (625 Old Peachtree Road, NW, Suwanee, GA, 30024). This free event for high school and pre-medical students allows for the opportunity to meet with accomplished physicians and medical students to learn more about the path to becoming a physician. Candidates will participate in hands-on medical cases and sessions, motivational stories, and be offered crucial guidance and advice into pursuing medicine as a career. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. Click here to learn more and register.
- Women in Technology is hosting a WIT YoPros & Southwire: Owning Your Development Journey event on Tuesday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM, at Southwire (950 Battery Avenue, SE, Suite 2000, Atlanta, GA, 30339). Join us for an engaging session with Rebecca Cranford, a successful professional with years of experience in her field. This event will provide ample opportunities to network with peers and make new connections, all while having fun. Don't forget to participate in the raffle, and you may just win exciting prizes. Click here to learn more and register.
- Brandywine Cares is hosting a webinar, Business Funding: Apply for a Loan and Credit as a
  Business Asset, on Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. This webinar is the fifth
  session of the Career \$hift Small Business Bootcamp series occurring every Wednesday. At
  the end of this life-changing career shift, you'll be armed with the knowledge, tools, and



resources to build a sustainable and successful business. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.

- City of Refuge, in partnership with NPursuit Career Partners, is hosting an EmployED Workshop on Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM at City of Refuge (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). This one-week program, hosted once a month, will help take your career to new heights through emerging technologies, customized skill development, and expert guidance. Enhance your interview skills and show confidence and professionalism with practice and expert feedback. Click here to learn more. Click here for a flyer.
- Brandywine Cares is hosting a webinar, Elevator Pitch Competition and Graduation Ceremony, on Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. This webinar is the final session of the Career \$hift Small Business Bootcamp series occurring every Wednesday. At the end of this life-changing career shift, you'll be armed with the knowledge, tools, and resources to build a sustainable and successful business. Click here to learn more and register.
- Westside Works powered by CareerRise is hosting a Career Accelerator Bootcamp on Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup> through Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at Westside Works (261 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30314). Bootcamp attendees will receive personal development, professional development, and technical skills training. <u>Click</u> <u>here</u> to register.
- StartUp Fayette is hosting a Customer Experience and Retention Strategies workshop on Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, starting at 5:00 PM, at the Fayette Chamber of Commerce (600 West Lanier Avenue, Suite 205, Fayetteville, GA, 30214). Join us to discuss the importance of customer experience in a startup's growth, exploring methods to enhance customer satisfaction and loyalty, which are key to achieving long-term success. Click here to learn more and register.
- StartUp Fayette is hosting an Innovation and Product Development Workshop on Tuesday, June 18<sup>th</sup>, starting at 5:00 PM, at the Fayette Chamber of Commerce (600 West Lanier Avenue, Suite 205, Fayetteville, GA, 30214). This program offers entrepreneurs essential insights, networking, and tools to transform ideas into businesses, suitable for beginners, those facing challenges, or needing a refresh. Tackling a startup alone can be overwhelming, requiring learning and skill development. This program will help provide access to expert guidance and training, streamlining your journey to successful entrepreneurship. Click here to learn more and register.



• Women in Technology is hosting a Girls Job Shadow Week from Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup>, through Friday, July 19<sup>th</sup>, at Women in Technology Spaces at Two Ballpark Center (800 Battery Avenue, SE, Suite 100, Atlanta, GA, 30339). During this event, teenage girls are provided with a glimpse of the day-to-day excitement of a career in technology. For one-week, high school girls are paired with various technology centered organizations to experience the possibilities of a career in a STEAM field. Volunteers at these organizations share their education and career path with the girls, giving them an idea of what it takes to succeed. Click here to learn more and register.

Click here to see the MAX Calendar of Events.

### **Virtual Services**

- The **Georgia Department of Labor** provides **Online Services** to explore career options and plan your job search. Choosing the right career and conducting an effective job search requires organization and a calculated effort. Whether just starting out or deciding on a new career, learn how to be successful. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- Goodwill of North Georgia offers Virtual Career Services through <u>CareerConnector.org</u>. Job seekers logging on to CareerConnector.org can access an online environment with the same level of care and guidance found in our physical Career Center locations. Job seekers can access virtual career services job board, resume builder, digital skills classes, skills assessments, career planning tools, and community resources at CareerConnector.org. Click here to learn more.
- The **U.S. Department of Labor** offers a virtual **Career OneStop** for job seekers to explore career options, find training and education programs, engage in job search planning, and find other helpful resources. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- WorkSource Georgia provides several online career services tools through the WorkSource Georgia Portal. Job seekers can access the state's job board, create a resume, find career information, learn about education and training programs and more. <u>Click here</u> to access the portal.
  - Career Explorer helps job seekers learn about the job and personal skills they have and how those skills relate to specific occupations or careers. The tool also allows job seekers to find occupations that are like their current or previous jobs based on factors such as required knowledge, skills, and abilities needed to perform successfully.
  - Job Market Explorer helps job seekers find occupations that match their education, experience, and desired income level.



- Career Informer provides specific information on occupations such as wages, employers, future employment outlook, work activities and conditions, required skills and abilities, and job listings.
- The team at WorkSource Metro Atlanta is here to help job seekers find the job they really want. Whether it's resume and application help, job readiness workshops, or training, our career coaches are here to make sure job seekers don't have to do it alone. Job seekers can begin to access this support through WorkSource Metro Atlanta's online portal: www.atlworks.org.

#### TRAINING & EDUCATION PROGRAMS

- Atlanta Public Schools Adult Education is now enrolling for its free High School Equivalency Classes. The program helps adult learners gain the academic, college and career readiness skills needed to enter and succeed in the workforce and/or postsecondary education and serves residents of all counties. New students admitted every Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday; see flyer on how to register or call 404-802-3560. Click here to learn more. In addition, we offer English classes for speakers of other languages. Click here for a flyer in English. Click here for a flyer in Spanish. Contact APS Adult Ed at adulthelp@apsk12.org or 404-802-3560 for more information.
- Atlanta Technical College is offering two (2) High School Equivalency options the GED and HiSET, with the testing center on campus offering both exams. These options are available through "hybrid classes" where students can attend in-person, virtually via Blackboard, and/or through a combination of both. <u>Click here</u> for more information and to register.
- Atlanta Technical College's Economic Development Division is providing access to free online, self-paced tutorial courses that highlight a mix of hard and soft skills essential to success in today's rapidly changing job market. Atlanta Technical College is providing these courses at no cost to support our communities, business and industry, and individuals in this time of need. These online courses can be useful both professionally and personally. The 10 free courses are offered in partnership with the Technical College System of Georgia. These courses encompass a variety of topics useful in any work environment. For course and registration information visit: <a href="https://gvtc.tcsg.edu/econdev">https://gvtc.tcsg.edu/econdev</a>. The courses are: (1) Ten Soft Skills You Need, (2) Attention Management, (3) Business Etiquette, (4) Customer Service, (5) Emotional Intelligence, (6) Goal Setting and Getting Things Done, (7) Job Search Skills, (8) Telework and Telecommuting, (9) Time Management, and (10) Workplace Diversity.
- **CareerRise** is partnering with <u>Prologis</u>, the world's largest logistics real estate investment company, and <u>Jobs for the Future (JFF)</u>, a national nonprofit that drives transformation in



the American workforce and education systems, to offer a new training program designed to rapidly skill up displaced workers for careers in transportation, distribution and logistics. With demand for skilled logistics workers at an all-time high as more and more consumers shop for goods online; the Prologis Warehousing and Distribution Program is designed to help job candidates learn more about the industry and prepare them for success in logistics roles. The program is **free** and open to anyone interested in a job or career in the logistics industry. Prospective learners can learn more and sign up online at <a href="https://www.logisticscareers.prologis.com/">https://www.logisticscareers.prologis.com/</a>. For more information, contact Nate Futrell, Industry Partnerships Manager, at <a href="mailto:nfutrell@unitedwayatlanta.org">nfutrell@unitedwayatlanta.org</a>.

- Topics covered include safety and quality control principles in a warehouse environment, material flow, order processing, inventory control, and product management fundamentals, and environmental sustainability in the warehousing and logistics industry, among many others.
- Trainings are fully online and can be taken on any computer, tablet, or smartphone; learners who wish to use their mobile devices are encouraged to download the Go.Learn app from the <u>Apple App Store</u> or <u>Google Play</u> for the best experience.
- Courses are 30-45 minutes each and are designed to be taken at each learner's own pace; learners will be able to pause courses in progress and resume where they left off.
   The full Prologis Warehousing and Distribution Program will take about 20 hours to complete.
- Courses include interactive written/visual content as well as audio narration and are written at a 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade reading level to maximize accessibility.
- Learners will receive a downloadable certificate upon completing each course and passing a short online assessment.
- Supplemental training is also available in professional skills such as communication, decision-making, collaboration, and self-awareness, and career management skills such as interviewing and resume-writing.
- Chattahoochee Technical College helps you prepare for employment in some of today's hottest careers with a comprehensive, affordable, and self-paced Online Career Training Program. You can begin these Programs at any time and learn at your own pace. Upon successful completion of all required coursework, you will receive a Certificate of Completion in your subject area. Careers available in our 6 to 18-month offerings include Arts and Design, Business, Computer Applications, Computer Programming, Construction and Trades, Health and Fitness, Hospitality, and Information Technology. Click here for more information and program details.
- Chattahoochee Technical College has partnered with the CE Shop to offer Real Estate courses. Interested in a career in real estate? Click here for information on continuing education and licensing prep in real estate through Chattahoochee Tech.



- The Economic Development Division at Chattahoochee Technical College provides dynamic career and workforce development opportunities on campus and online. To learn more about these opportunities visit <a href="https://www.chattahoocheetech.edu/economic-development-and-continuing-education/">https://www.chattahoocheetech.edu/economic-development-and-continuing-education/</a> for more information on these classes or contact the Economic Development Department at <a href="mailto:corporatetraining@chattahoocheetech.edu">corporatetraining@chattahoocheetech.edu</a> or 770-529-2345.
- The City of Refuge offers Job Training Courses that will give you the skills and confidence needed to earn a job and start a rewarding career. <u>Click here</u> to review details online. <u>Click</u> here to apply.
  - NAPA Automotive Technician Training (16 weeks): This course introduces basic concepts and technical training in automobile mechanics.
  - Culinary Arts (15 weeks, 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM daily): The Culinary Arts Program provides insight into food production skills, various levels of industry management, and hospitality skills for students interested in pursuing a career in the foodservice industry. Each student receives hands-on experience. The course is structured to teach the fundamentals and basic concepts of culinary techniques. Also, it develops critical skills such as punctuality, appearance, communication, and customer service.
  - Forklift Training (2 days): The Forklift Training will provide entry-level skills necessary to gain employment. The course offers hands-on training in a warehouse setting covering critical training areas to receive certification.
  - Coding Bootcamp (16 weeks full-time / 26 weeks flexible): Coding boot camp provides the basics necessary for employment within the Information Technology field. Graduates will be recognized as a "full stack web developer" upon course completion.
  - Cyber Security (40 weeks): Cybersecurity students will have a choice to train and test for the following industry-recognized certifications: CompTIA ITF+, CompTIA Net+, CompTIA Security+, and SOC Analyst.
  - SSG Appliance Training (2 weeks): This extensive and comprehensive two-week appliance repair course is designed to delve into the inner workings of various household appliances. Hands-on training will cover fundamental concepts, troubleshooting techniques, and practical repair procedures.
  - Data Cabler Installer (2 weeks): Students will learn general safety practices, ladder and lift training, and the basics of low voltage wiring and installation. Successful completion of the course will obtain Data Cabler Installer and Aerial Lift Certifications.
- The **Construction Ready Pre-Apprenticeship** program is a nationally recognized construction training program accredited by N.C.C.E.R., which provides training and job placement. Construction Ready's 20-Day Pre-Apprenticeship program promotes construction as a career-focused, intensive training and the placement of graduates in



stable construction jobs with advancement potential. Earning up to eight industry-recognized credentials, graduates are trained, credentialed and ready to work.

The Construction Ready Pre-Apprenticeship program screens and trains students for entry-level positions in the construction industry and is fully funded to eligible applicants who reside in metropolitan Atlanta and other regions in Georgia. Graduates of Construction Ready are connected to construction companies that participate in Construction Ready. Employment is not guaranteed; however, 97% of Construction Ready graduates are connected into full-time employment.

Interested candidates are required to attend an Information Session to begin the process for enrollment. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and sign up for a Construction Ready Information Session. If you have questions about the Construction Ready Pre-Apprenticeship program or the Information Sessions, please contact the Recruitment Team via email: <u>TrainME@Constructionready.org</u>.

Below is a list of the training locations in metro Atlanta:

- Construction Ready at Westside Works (261 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA)
- o Construction Ready at Build Cobb (1940 Exchange, SE, Atlanta, GA)
- Generation USA, in partnership with Verizon Skill Forward, is hosting the Introduction to
  Technology Workshop. The workshop length is 3.5 hours and runs every two weeks on
  Wednesdays at 3:00 PM. Through this workshop, you'll learn about the technology industry,
  what a day in the life is like in the tech industry, the different technology pathways out
  there, and Generation's various technology program offerings. Click here to learn more and
  register.
- The Georgia Building Trades Academy (GABTA) is enrolling participants for its YouthBuild Program. This program is a construction pre-apprenticeship program designed to prepare young people ages 16-24 for careers in the building trades. The program is free and provides hands-on training, educational tutorials and GED instruction, soft skills training, leadership development skills, career counseling, and job readiness training. To be eligible, applicants must be either a high school dropout, have a high school diploma or GED but not be enrolled in college, and meet certain income or background criteria. We believe that this program has the potential to make a real difference in the lives of young people in our community and provide them with valuable skills and experiences to help them succeed. Click here to learn more and apply.



- The Georgia Institute of Technology is accepting applications for its 2024 Georgia Tech Excel Program. The Excel Program is a 4-year certificate program for students, between the ages of 18 and 26, with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Students develop academic skills, live rich social lives, practice independence by living on campus or close to campus and develop the career skills needed to pursue their future jobs. Click here to learn more and apply.
- Goodwill of North Georgia offers several Job Training Programs through its metro Atlanta
   Career Centers that provide many opportunities for individuals to increase their
   marketability with industry-recognized credentials for today's workforce. Click here to see a
   catalog of high-demand, short-term trainings or call 1-844-344-9675 for more information.
   All programs require candidates to attend eligibility screenings prior to enrollment, site and
   program contacts are outlined below.
  - Cartersville Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Forklift Training Program,
     Logistics Training Program and Welding Training Program.
  - Decatur Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Welding Training Program and the Logistics Training Program. For the Welding program, participants will receive training in blueprint reading basics, 2 American Welding Society Certifications, CPR/First Aid Certification, OSHA 30 Certification, a paid internship, and job placement assistance. For the Logistics program, participants will receive 2 Georgia Tech Supply Chain Certificates, OSHA 10 Certification, CPR/First Aid Certification, their CDL A, and job placement assistance.
  - Oakwood Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Welding Training Program. The class includes two weeks of JRT, two weeks of welding class time, and 2 weeks of internship. The Center is also recruiting candidates for its Forklift Training Program.
  - Old National Career Center is recruiting candidates for its four-week Forklift Training Program.
  - Old National Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Supply Chain w/CDL A
    Training Program.
  - Old National Career Center is recruiting candidates for its 12-week GoodBiz Training Program. The fee for this class is \$250 per person.
  - Pleasant Hill Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Supply Chain Training
     Program. The class includes two weeks of JRT, two weeks of class time, and 2 weeks of internship. The Center is also recruiting for its Forklift Training Program.
  - Smyrna Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Forklift Training Program. The
    program prepares participants for a career driving forklift. Participants will be certified
    by the American Welder's Association, receive OSHA 30, and adult CPR/first aid AED
    certifications.



- Smyrna Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Technology Careers Training Program held in partnership with TechBridge. Program prepares participants for careers in technology, equipping them with relevant credentials.
- Smyrna Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Environmental Services Training Program. The program is designed to prepare students for careers in the Environmental Service Industry (EVS) in healthcare and in the commercial cleaning industries. It is an 8week training program that includes techniques used by EVS technicians and highdemand training in floor care. Participants who complete the course will receive internationally recognized EVS certifications and employment assistance.
- South DeKalb Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Building Maintenance Training Program. Students will be engaged in a 7-week training program that provides hands-on skills training in partnership with Atlanta Apartment Association and employers in the residential housing industry. Provides credentialing opportunities for trainees that enjoy working with their hands in construction and building trades. Credentialing opportunities include basic construction, punch-out skills, EPA/HVAC & R410 national testing & certification, heating & heat pump maintenance, Certified Pool Operator Industry Certification, and appliance repair exposure.
- South DeKalb Career Center is recruiting candidates for its GoodBiz Entrepreneurship Program, a training program for aspiring entrepreneurs and micro-business owners. In this 12-week program students receive instruction to help them establish and prospect business ownership while implementing and refining their business plan. The GoodBiz program offers a robust curriculum that integrates business development planning, one-on-one business coaching and technical assistance opportunities for aspiring entrepreneurs and existing micro-business owners.
- South DeKalb Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Highway Construction Training Program. This 8-week program is designed to prepare students for high demand careers in the construction industry. Training includes exposure to basic carpentry, electrical and plumbing industries with opportunities to receive CDL licensure, flagging, OSHA 30 and first aid/CPR certifications.
- Stockbridge Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Supply Chain Logistics with CDL A Training Program. Individuals must have clean MVR and the ability to pay for CDL permit testing.
- Stockbridge Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Forklift Training Program.
   This is a two-week training program with forklift certifications in sit down and stand-up forklift operations.
- Stockbridge Career Center is recruiting candidates for its GoodBiz Training Program.
   The fee for this program is \$250.
- Stockbridge Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Welding Training Program.
   This 8-week program is held in collaboration with Southern Crescent Technical College and provides training in Stick Welding. Individuals completing program will be able to sit



for the Welding test and once passed will be certified through the American Welding Society. The program also includes training and certification in OSHA 30, first aid/CPR, paid internship, employment assistance and wrap around supportive services. Individuals aged 18 to 24 are encouraged to apply.

- Woodstock Career Center is recruiting candidates for its Forklift Training Program, Logistics Training Program, Medical Billing & Coding Training Program, Technology Careers Training Program, and Welding Training Program.
- The Home Depot's Path to Pro program provides FREE introductory trades training and resources for those interested in growing a career in the trades through the Path to Pro Skills Program, now available in English and Spanish. You can also build a FREE profile in the Path to Pro Network to apply for trade jobs in your area and connect with hiring trades professionals looking for skilled workers at all experience levels. Learn more at PathtoPro.com.
- The Latin American Association is hosting in-person Spanish Classes at the Atlanta Outreach Center (2750 Buford Highway, Atlanta, GA, 30324) as well as online. LAA's Spanish-language program uses a communicative approach to language learning to help students of all levels achieve fluency. All teachers are native Spanish speakers or have native speaker proficiency. Click here to learn more and register.
- MUST Ministries, in partnership with Kennesaw State University, has launched a training initiative known as the Aspiring Community Entrepreneurs (ACE) Program. ACE is part of the Urban Poverty and Business Initiative (UPBI), a network created by Notre Dame of universities and nonprofit organizations dedicated to facilitating business growth among America's most economically challenged neighborhoods. Through ACE, participants have access to a six-week boot camp that introduces essential business tools and monthly training forums along with mentoring and consulting services. Click here for a flyer. Click here to learn more and apply.
- Paper is partnering with Atlanta Public Schools to provide free tutoring, 24/7, to help students excel. This includes homework help on any academic subject, feedback on written assignments, and study support for preparing for exams. Students can chat with a tutor anytime, day or night, and have unlimited sessions. Multilingual services are available. <u>Click</u> <u>here</u> to learn more.
- United Education Institute is offering a Business Office Administration Diploma training
  program. The program is 36 weeks long and consists of eight modules. The first seven
  modules are 80 hours each and focus on accounting principles, MS Excel fundamentals,
  spreadsheets for finance, business applications, office administration, customer service &



ethical business practices, and communications. The eighth module is a 250-hour on-the-job-training externship. The program prepares students for positions such as Administrative Assistant, Customer Service Representative, Secretary, Office Clerk, Office Assistant, Receptionist, Office Coordinator, Clerk, Office Manager, and Program Assistant. Click here for a flyer.

- The University System of Georgia offers 100% online post-secondary eMajor degrees and credentials that address the high-demand workplace needs of Georgia and beyond. Programs range from Business Administration, Nursing, Criminal Justice, Cybersecurity, Organizational Leadership, and other highly sought-after degrees all through public University System of Georgia institutions you know and trust. eMajor degrees are ideal for both traditional and non-traditional students who wish to take advantage of online course delivery in a flexible, accessible, and affordable manner. Tuition for all eMajor programs is just \$199/credit hour. Eligible students with previous work experience, military training, or other relevant training can click here to learn how to shorten their time to degree completion by earning college credit for prior learning. Click here to visit the eMajor website to learn more about 100 percent online eMajor degrees offered through the University System of Georgia.
- The University System of Georgia presents USG Learning Everywhere, an online platform to access a diverse set of educational resources to anyone, anywhere, who wants to learn and experience new things online. From lifelong learners to those just starting out, these free materials help meet the needs of a rapidly changing, increasingly digital world. In addition to providing materials for adult learners, the platform provides access to resources such as Georgia's Public Libraries, open textbooks, and Georgia's virtual library GALILEO to assist K-12 students as they are home-schooling. Click here to learn more.
- The University System of Georgia's Georgia ONmyLINE is a database of online programs
  and courses offered through the accredited institutions within the University System of
  Georgia. The Georgia ONmyLINE resource is designed for professionals, adult learners,
  military service members, teachers, traditional students, or those looking to continue their
  education to have a central place to search for Georgia public online learning. <u>Click here</u> to
  explore courses and degrees.
- The UpSkill learning program includes 4 weeks of workforce training followed by 4 weeks of
  workforce experience, where participants will have the opportunity to demonstrate their
  new skills working in entry level technology administrative roles for local businesses and
  nonprofits. Applications are being accepted for youth (ages 18-24) in Nassau County, NY,
  Suffolk County, NY, and Atlanta, GA. Click here to learn more.



- The Urban League of Greater Atlanta's Pathways to Empowerment (P2E) platform offers a phenomenal 8-week virtual career readiness program to adults 18 years and older. Our goal is to assist those who are either new to the workforce, long-term unemployed, underemployed, and/or underpaid who are seeking personal, career, and financial gain and stability. The following services are provided at NO COST: case management, individual assessments, service plans, support services, financial coaching, wealth building, career coaching, career placement assistance, upskilling/reskilling, apprenticeship opportunities in various fields, access to ULGA's entrepreneurship and homeownership workshops, GED enrollment, and computer literacy classes for older adults ages 50 plus. If you are ready to embark on the journey to achieve your dreams, contact Leah Pulliam, Sr. Empowerment Advocate, at 404-840-6295, <a href="mailto:lpulliam@ulgatl.org">lpulliam@ulgatl.org</a>, to enroll in P2E today!
- The Urban League of Greater Atlanta's Young Adult Reentry Program is a five-to-seven-week program, which empowers students to discover their career interests, values, and skills, while developing a roadmap (vision board) on the "How To" of reaching their goals. The YARP initiative aims to remove the barriers to education and training for the young adult (ages 18-24) reentry population through monetary incentives for reaching milestones, in addition to transportation, housing, employment assistance, and other supportive services. Students develop interpersonal, soft, hard, and transferable skills so that they are successful in the pursuit of their career goals, which are accomplished through our workforce skills development training sessions and weekly motivational speakers. YARP participants that attain industry recognized credentials are matched and placed with employers in the respective career pathway with the goal of earning a livable wage. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> to learn more.
- The Urban League of Greater Atlanta's YouthBuild Construction Plus (YBC+) Program provides free training and job placement via the career pathways approach in three major industry sectors: Healthcare (Nursing), Information Technology (IT), and the Building Trades (Construction). Free GED training and testing are also available to enrolled participants. YBC+ participants will receive industry-recognized certifications from industry leaders such as the Wellstar Health System, TechBridge, Georgia Building Trades Academy (GABTA), and GED credentialing via Atlanta Public Schools. YBC+'s target population is young adults ages 18-24 with an interest in a career in the 3 above named industry sectors and in need of a GED. To learn more, click here to register today for the Urban League's



**Virtual Information Session**, held every Monday at 3:00 PM. For more information, contact Tyrell Brown, Career and Employment Specialist, at 404-964-9980 or <a href="mailto:tybrown@ulgatl.org">tybrown@ulgatl.org</a>.

- WorkSource Cobb has partnered with Chattahoochee Technical College, Construction Ready, Goodwill of North Georgia, Per Scholas, and TechBridge to provide Industry Specialized Trainings in high-demand fields. <u>Click here</u> for a flyer.
- WorkSource Cobb provides ESL, citizenship, and GED classes through its English Language Learners Initiative (ELLI). Through ELLI, WorkSource Cobb also provides assistance with job search and new career development. Click here for a flyer.
- WorkSource Cobb provides No Cost Job Training for Cobb Residents to prepare for several high demand jobs, such as Insurance Management, CDL Basic Tractor Trailer Training, A+, Net+/PC Technician, General Construction, Certified Logistics Training, Project Management Professional, Certified Nursing Assistant/Patient Care Technician, and Medical Assistant. Click here for a flyer.
- WorkSource Cobb has launched PowerUp! 2.0, a Plumbing Pre-Apprenticeship Program.
   This is no-cost training that connects individuals, ages 18-24, with an opportunity to earn a weekly wage while receiving on-the-job industry-recognized training and mentoring by licensed plumbers. Participants can also receive supportive services such as transportation and childcare. Click here for a flyer. Email <a href="mailto:information@cobbworks.org">information@cobbworks.org</a> for more information.
- WrightNow Solutions offers industry certification earning classes to help individuals reskill
  or upskill. Examples of offerings include Technology Certification classes, Life & Career
  Readiness workshops, Management & Leadership learning experiences, and Diversity,
  Equity, and Inclusion workshops to help elevate careers and organizations. Click here to
  access the Course Catalog and more information. To learn more about group classes and
  pricing, contact WrightNow Solutions at wnslearn@wrightnowsolutions.com.

### SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

The Atlanta Community Food Bank connects public benefits to families and individuals who
qualify through its Benefits Outreach Program, helping them secure assistance with food,
healthcare, childcare and more. The Benefits Outreach team can assist individuals with
navigating the new rules regarding SNAP to access SNAP benefits. Click here for more
information on the Benefits Outreach Program.



- Aunt Bertha is a Social Care Network that connects people seeking help with verified social care providers that serve them. Thousands of nonprofits and social care providers serve their communities. But for most people, navigating the system to get help has been difficult, time consuming, and frustrating. Too many Americans are suffering, and they don't need to. The online service makes it easy for people to find social services in their communities, for nonprofits to coordinate their efforts, and for customers to integrate social care into the work they already do. The nationwide service provides the opportunity to find social care providers by zip codes including those serving in the Atlanta region. Click here to learn more.
- Empowerline provides a front desk for people who need help navigating life changes and surprise obstacles in their homes, with their health, and in their communities. The service, powered by the Aging and Independent Services Group of the Atlanta Regional Commission, helps connect people with private and publicly funded resources from more than 26,000 community-based providers. Empowerline is part of Georgia's Aging and Disability Resource Connection (ADRC) network, a No Wrong Door access point for information requests and assistance. Together, we work to simplify complex program offerings, identify long-term services, support solutions, and reduce caregiver burden. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> for more information.
- **Find Help Georgia** is an online portal to find help in your community. Whether it's financial assistance, food pantries, medical care, childcare, job training, and other free or reduced-cost services specific to your area, essential resources can be found here. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- The **Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning** maintains an updated listing of childcare centers and pre-K programs. Need help finding quality childcare that is open? <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- The Georgia Department of Human Services, Division of Family and Children Services has created Georgia Gateway to make it easier to access social services benefits online.
   Individuals can apply for benefits and learn the latest on SNAP, TANF, Medicaid, PeachCare for Kids, and other benefits. <u>Click here</u> to access.
- The **Georgia Department of Public Health** administers the **Georgia WIC** program which is open for women, infants, and children. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- Tommy Nobis Center is an authorized Medicaid Waiver program provider. Medicaid Waiver
  is a federally funded program that helps provide services to people who would otherwise be
  in an institution, nursing home, or hospital to receive long-term care in the community.



Tommy Nobis offers two types of Medicaid waiver programs: Community Access, and Prevocational. Contact Yovani Stephens at 770-427-9000 ext. 5124 or Yovani.Stephens@TommyNobisCenter.org for additional information.

- Unite Us is a coordinated care network of health and social care providers that
  communicate and track outcomes together. The group seeks to align all stakeholders from
  healthcare, government, and the community around a shared goal to improve health and
  connect residents of Georgia to the services they need faster. Joining Unite Us is free for
  non-profit organizations. <u>Click here</u> to join Unite Us. Unite Us provides access to almost 200
  partners across the metro Atlanta area. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- United Way of Greater Atlanta continues to provide the Atlanta region's most comprehensive resource for information and referral services through its online 2-1-1 Contact Center. The digital platform connects families with community resources that enables them to thrive resources like food pantries, job search and placement agencies, and financial emergency assistance agencies. This help is provided so that families can recover and become sustainable once again. There are more than 5,000 agencies listed in the 2-1-1 database. 2-1-1 is free, confidential, and available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, in over 140 different languages. Click here to learn more.

### EVENTS FOR WORKFORCE DEVELOPERS AND EMPLOYERS

# **Opportunities with Local Hosts**

- **Fathers Incorporated** is hosting a weekly podcast, **I Am Dad**, every Sunday, at 8:00 AM. I Am Dad is a one-of-a-kind brand that celebrates the beauty of fatherhood and the important essence of manhood. Our intention is to give voice and relevance to the masculine side of love and life. Today where so many voices are looking to be heard, the voices of dad, too, cry out. This forum is just one way to express the unique position of the voice of dad. Click here for more information. Click here to access on YouTube.
- Atlanta Technical College hosts a weekly podcast, Atlanta Tech Talks, every Tuesday, at 12:00 PM. From in-demand careers to emerging industries, each episode of our Atlanta Tech Talks podcast series is designed to highlight the very best of ATC, our dedicated partners, and our community leaders. Viewers will learn how ATC leverages its strategic relationships to increase opportunities for students as it maintains a 99% job placement rate. Hosted by community leader, Antonio Hicks, our podcast delves into the exciting world of ATC, as the College continues to innovate workforce development by closing the skills gap and increasing economic mobility. Click here to access on YouTube.



- CareerRise is hosting a webinar on Industry Insights: Healthcare on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 AM. This webinar is part of CareerRise's Untapped Workforce Webinar series, made possible with support from WorkSource Georgia through the QUEST Dislocated Worker Grant awarded to the Technical College System of Georgia by the U.S. Department of Labor. In this webinar series, CareerRise will provide content to support employers and workforce development professionals with hiring and retaining untapped labor pools. Attendees will learn innovative practices, real-world examples, and practical tools for meeting critical hiring needs. This webinar series will center on engaging specific populations, addressing common barriers to employment, and industry-specific conversations. Guest speakers from across Georgia will discuss how they have developed partnerships that serve the needs of employers and workers. Click here to learn more and register.
- Georgia Center for Nonprofits is hosting an Employee Performance Challenges event on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM at GCN Headquarters (881 Memorial Drive, SE, Atlanta, GA, 30316). Handling performance issues is one of the most common and challenging tasks a manager can face. Investigating employee complaints must be done with an open mind and plenty of forethought, because not dealing with employee issues can lead to bigger problems down the road. Similarly, conflicts between employees can create workforce stress that impacts performance and teamwork. Because it is critical to address these issues quickly, efficiently, and fairly, managers must have skills at the ready for investigating and resolving them. Participants in this course will learn how to develop solutions for dealing with problems and employee conflict. Click here to learn more and register.
- Georgia Center for Nonprofits is hosting a webinar on Engaging Your Nonprofit Board on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM. Serving on a nonprofit board can be demanding in terms of both time and resources. In this session, we'll look at the factors that can contribute to board member disengagement and identify strategies that can help ensure everyone on your board stays connected and attentive to your mission. We will also cover best practices for sharing the information and materials that board members need to achieve a successful tenure with your organization. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> to learn more and register.
- StartUp Fayette is hosting an Effective Team Building and Management Workshop on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, starting at 5:00 PM, at the Fayette Chamber of Commerce (600 West Lanier Avenue, Suite 205, Fayetteville, GA, 30214). Join us for a workshop on building a strong team, where we'll focus on effective recruitment strategies, understanding team dynamics, and applying management techniques tailored for startup environments. StartUp offers entrepreneurs essential insights, networking, and tools to transform ideas into



businesses, suitable for beginners, those facing challenges, or needing a refresh. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.

- Women in Technology (WIT) is hosting a March WIT Forum on Breaking Barriers: Women Leading with AI in Business Innovation on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 7:30 AM to 9:00 AM, at Maggianos Buckhead (3368 Peachtree Road, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30326). From insightful discussions to practical insights, WIT aims to empower women to harness AI for driving innovation, overcoming challenges, and creating inclusive business environments. Together, we can pave the way for a future where women thrive at the forefront of AI-driven innovation in business. Breakfast is included during this exclusive event. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta in partnership with the Financial Innovation Lab is hosting the Georgia Tech-Atlanta Fed Household Finance Conference starting Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, starting at 12:30 PM, at the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (1000 Peachtree Street, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30309). This two-day conference will feature academic sessions, keynote addresses, and practitioner panels with industry executives to discuss the macroeconomic landscape, various issues impacting household balance sheets and the challenges and opportunities to increase financial inclusion. The goal of the conference is to bring together academic researchers, regulators, and industry experts to a common platform for discussion on important topics in household finance. Click here to learn more.
- The National Black MBA Association, Atlanta Chapter is hosting a President's Fireside Chat on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 5:30 PM to 8:30 PM, at the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (1000 Peachtree Street, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30309). The partnership between the National Sales Network Atlanta Chapter and the National Black MBA Association Atlanta is proud to bring together these two influential organizations dedicated to empowering our community. Join this enlightening event moderated by Cindy Wilson, President of the NSN Atlanta Chapter and Travis Townsend, President of the NBMBAA Atlanta Chapter. Discover their inspiring journeys into the non-profit sector and gain insights into leading a national-level organization with profound impact. Click here to learn more and register.
- Georgia Center for Nonprofits is hosting a Managing Productivity and Prioritization event on Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM, at GCN Headquarters (881 Memorial Drive, SE, Atlanta, GA, 30316). This is the third course in the Management Accelerator 1 series. When time and resources are limited, techniques for working smarter are essential. Participants will learn to diagnose productivity challenges in teams and individuals, and practice frameworks for improving time awareness, prioritization, and organization. Click here to learn more and register.



- Women in Technology is hosting a Technology Uncorked: How to Navigate the AI Landscape event on Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM, at Eleanor's Place (3535 Northside Parkway, NW, Suite 3516, Atlanta, GA, 30327). Al's challenges, misconceptions, and innovative applications make for an engaging discussion. This exclusive opportunity is designed for women leaders as a safe place for technology conversations amongst leaders. Participants must be Senior Leaders with budget responsibilities. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> to learn more and register.
- SelectCobb is hosting a CITA & Cobb Workforce Partnership Kick-off on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at the Cobb Innovation and Technology Academy (114 Windy Hill Road, Marietta, GA, 30060. The availability of skilled labor continues to be a top site selection criterion for economic development projects. In addition, recruiting and retaining a qualified, trained, and reliable workforce is one of the greatest challenges for employers across the nation. Cobb Workforce Partnership 2024 Kick-Off brings together Cobb's workforce ecosystem for a unique exploration of collaborative growth, business resources and strategic workforce planning opportunities. Participants can engage with local schools, colleges, vocational training centers and workforce providers and enjoy valuable insights, networking, and refreshments. For more information, call 770-859-2374.
  Click here for a flyer.
- Georgia Center for Nonprofits is hosting an Executing and Analyzing Digital Campaigns event on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 4:30 PM, at GCN Headquarters (881 Memorial Drive, SE, Atlanta, GA, 30316). Take a final deep dive into the live campaign period, with a focus on optimizing your email, social, and text communications to mobilize and equip your supporters to give, fundraise on your behalf, and help spread the word. {participants will identify key audience segments, as well as the most likely "cause ambassadors" to amplify their campaign and create a post-campaign analysis report to ensure a data-informed. Strategic approach to future online fundraising. Click here to learn more and register.
- Georgia Center for Nonprofits is hosting an Understanding People, Building Teams event on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM, at GCN Headquarters (881 Memorial Drive, SE, Atlanta, GA, 30316). Managing successfully in an organization centers not only on the efficiency of a team, but also on a manager's ability to inspire the team and focus on people issues. In this course, participants will get an understanding of what it means to create high functioning teams and the role of the supervisor as a "team builder." Participants will understand the process for creating team-building programs that they can implement in their own organization. Click here to learn more and register.



- The Metro Atlanta eXchange for Workforce Solutions (MAX) is hosting MAX Academy: Delivering Trauma-Informed Customer Care, powered by Georgia State University, on Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at Atlanta Technical College, Cleveland L. Dennard Conference Center (1560 Metropolitan Parkway, SW, Atlanta, GA). The last few years have been especially overwhelming for participants in our workforce development programs who had already felt vulnerable and insecure. Through our next MAX Academy, we will explore the use of a trauma-informed perspective to support customers who have a history of, or are in the midst of, traumatic experiences. The training will provide key knowledge and skills related to understanding the impact of trauma and how to work more effectively with customers using a trauma-informed perspective. Attendees will learn how to adjust their practices and approaches to better meet the needs of their customers and leave the training with strategies that they can immediately put into practice. Click here to learn more and register.
- Nodeflo is hosting an event, The Al Advantage Shaping the Future of Business, on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at Atlanta Tech Village (3423 Piedmont Road, NE, Atlanta, GA, 30305). Join us for an in-depth conversation with Al industry experts and leaders to uncover Al's impact on business innovation, practical applications, and ethical considerations. Gain valuable insights, network with like-minded entrepreneurs and professionals, and stay ahead of the rapidly evolving business landscape. Embrace the Al advantage and shape the future of your business. Click here to learn more and register.
- Robinson Production Events is hosting a Bites and Banter at IPIC event on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 12:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at IPIC Atlanta (1197 Peachtree Street, NE, Suite 350, Atlanta, GA, 30361). Since COVID, businesses and professionals in Metro Atlanta have been longing for a quality, revenue-generating, and fun networking experience. Enjoy delicious bites and drinks while connecting with like-minded individuals. Plus, we will have expert guest speakers from diverse industries like marketing, nonprofits, IT, and cybersecurity. Don't forget to bring your business cards and prepare to mingle with the best of Atlanta's businesses. Click here to learn more and register.
- Georgia Center for Nonprofits is hosting a webinar on Managing Staff and Volunteers on Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM. Human capital is one of the most important assets of a nonprofits organization. Too often, the assets are not effectively utilized. Having an effective resource plan is essential. Nonprofit organizations must have a key focus on creating an organizational culture where all stakeholders are motivated to move the mission of the organization forward. Participants will be presented with tools for designing and implementing effective systems for recruiting and retaining exceptional people. Click here to learn more and register.



- The Carl Vinson Institute of Government (CVIOG) at the University of Georgia is hosting its Labor Market Information Open Course 2024 on Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 12:30 PM to 5:00 PM, and on Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, at UGA's Gwinnett Campus (2530 Sever Road, NW, Lawrenceville, GA 30043). Workforce development in Georgia is rapidly changing. The volume and complexity of labor market data can be overwhelming for workforce development professionals. This course will prepare workforce development and economic development professionals with knowledge, skills and tools to make data a regular part of their strategy and analytical processes. Attend this one-and-a-half-day workshop to prepare your organization to use data to make informed decisions. You will gain tools, skills, and techniques to access, analyze and utilize labor market and economic data. Click here to register.
- Georgia Center for Nonprofits is hosting a Coalition Building and Partnership Development webinar on Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM, at GCN Headquarters (881 Memorial Drive, SE, Atlanta, GA, 30316). The ability to collaborate effectively with diverse partners is a critical leadership skill, whether you are building or strengthening a coalition, engaging with the communities most affected by the issues you address, or partnering with other nonprofit organizations to advance a shared goal. Partners can contribute essential skills, relationships, and resources to your efforts; they also bring credibility and support to your programs, and increase the impact and reach of your work, by ensuring that key stakeholders have a voice in decision-making. While the benefits are clear, partnership work is inherently challenging. Using real-world examples from collaborative efforts in the nonprofit field, this interactive course will demonstrate best practices for effective partnerships, allow you to practice playing a role in managing conflict with partners, and provide useful tools that you can apply to clarify partner roles, track progress, and collaborate successfully. Click here to learn more and register.
- Georgia Center for Nonprofits is hosting a Delivering Effective One-on-Ones event on Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM, at GCN Headquarters (881 Memorial Drive, SE, Atlanta, GA, 30316). This is the fourth course in the Management Accelerator 1 series. Effective managers use one-on-one meetings differently. More than a simple update opportunity, one-on-ones can be used to build trust, remove obstacles, and develop professionally. This workshop shares easy methods and techniques to help direct reports learn, grow, and connect through one-on-ones, leading to greater mutual success and mission impact. Click here to learn more and register.
- Georgia Center for Nonprofits is hosting a webinar on Strategic Human Resources
   Management on Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM. No matter how large or small
   an organization is, it is essential that there is direction and structure in place around HR
   policies that protect the organization and its most valuable asset: people. In today's



changing environment, HR professionals must be well-informed business partners as well as strategic leaders. This course will provide participants with a strategic view of human resources management and give them an opportunity to see how strategies implemented in HR actually fit into the strategic plan of the organization. Click here to learn more and register.

- CareerRise is hosting a webinar on Parents & Caregivers: Overcoming Workforce Challenges on Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 AM. This webinar is part of CareerRise's Untapped Workforce Webinar series, made possible with support from WorkSource Georgia through the QUEST Dislocated Worker Grant awarded to the Technical College System of Georgia by the U.S. Department of Labor. In this webinar series, CareerRise will provide content to support employers and workforce development professionals with hiring and retaining untapped labor pools. Attendees will learn innovative practices, real-world examples, and practical tools for meeting critical hiring needs. This webinar series will center on engaging specific populations, addressing common barriers to employment, and industry-specific conversations. Guest speakers from across Georgia will discuss how they have developed partnerships that serve the needs of employers and workers. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) Atlanta is hosting its SOAHR 2024 Annual Conference on Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, at the Atlanta Convention Center (213 Williams Street, NW, Atlanta, GA, 30303). This event is the premier metro Atlanta HR conference, featuring 50+ speakers, industry resource partners, and networking opportunities. SOAHR 2024 will expand your capacity to meet current challenges and succeed in the future. You and your organization will benefit from the two days you spend immersed in learning from thought leaders and peer practitioners. Advance registration ends February 2<sup>nd</sup>. Click here to learn more and register.
- Georgia Center for Nonprofits is hosting a Managing with Emotional Intelligence event on Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM, at GCN Headquarters (881 Memorial Drive, SE, Atlanta, GA, 30316). This is the final course in the Management Accelerator 1 series. Team dynamics can have a profound effect on direct reports' productivity, satisfaction, and performance and those dynamics depend enormously on Emotional Intelligence (EQ), a set of competencies that enhance your ability to use empathy and constructive communication to create a collaborative, cooperative work environment. When managers relate well to others, they can accomplish more via encouragement, persuasion, and inspiration, ultimately leading others to achieve their best work. Click here to learn more and register.



- The Carl Vinson Institute of Government (CVIOG) at the University of Georgia is hosting its Workforce Development Course on Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, at the KIA Georgia Training Center (900 Kia Boulevard, West Point GA 31833). This is a core course for the Georgia Certified Economic Developer (GCED) program. This course will help the economic development professional understand the importance of workforce development and how it directly impacts their role as well as every aspect of their community. During this course, professionals will start a plan to analyze the current and future workforce data for their community. Additionally, they will begin to identify stakeholders and resources for their workforce development plan and understand how to package their workforce development assets. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) Atlanta is hosting a Strategic Leadership Institute on Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM, at the Terry Executive Education Center Buckhead (3475 Lenox Road, Atlanta, GA, 30326). This institute goes beyond traditional HR training, enabling professionals to contribute meaningfully to the success, growth, and sustainability of the business. The program uses a carefully crafted curriculum, combining theoretical frameworks with practical applications to equip participants with the tools needed to navigate complex challenges and drive organizational success. It is tailored for seasoned HR professionals looking to elevate their strategic thinking, leadership capabilities, and organizational impact. Click here to learn more and register.
- CareerRise is hosting a webinar on Industry Insights: Transportation, Distribution, & Logistics on Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, at 10:00 AM. This webinar is part of CareerRise's Untapped Workforce Webinar series, made possible with support from WorkSource Georgia through the QUEST Dislocated Worker Grant awarded to the Technical College System of Georgia by the U.S. Department of Labor. In this webinar series, CareerRise will provide content to support employers and workforce development professionals with hiring and retaining untapped labor pools. Attendees will learn innovative practices, real-world examples, and practical tools for meeting critical hiring needs. This webinar series will center on engaging specific populations, addressing common barriers to employment, and industry-specific conversations. Guest speakers from across Georgia will discuss how they have developed partnerships that serve the needs of employers and workers. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Georgia Association of Colleges and Employers (GACE) is hosting its 2024 GACE
   Conference starting Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup> through Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, starting at 12:00 PM, at
   the Sea Palms Resort (515 North Windward Drive, St. Simons Island, GA, 31522). Come
   network with career services, talent acquisition, and human resource professionals with a
   view of the ocean. Hear about the latest and greatest tech innovations impacting colleges



and employers during the Experiential Learning Summit. Learn best practices that you can adapt for your college or organization, become engaged with professional development activities, and share challenges and solutions to recruiting issues. Click here to learn more and register.

## **Opportunities with National Hosts**

- The Aspen Institute is hosting a webinar on Workers on the Line: Improving Jobs in Meat and Poultry Processing on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 2:00 PM to 3:15 PM. Meat and poultry processing are core to our food supply chain. Workers in these sectors face some of the harshest conditions in the US. These conditions affect some of our most vulnerable compatriots, including undocumented workers and even children who have been found to be working in these facilities. Join the Aspen Institute's Food and Society Program and Economic Opportunity Program for this virtual webinar and discuss the challenges workers face, ideas for improving their jobs and well-being, and the policies and practices to reshape this industry. Click here to learn more and register via Zoom.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on How Fertility Benefits Support all Generations on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, starting at 12:00 PM. From Gen Z to Baby Boomers, today's workforce includes multiple generations of employees all looking for something different from their benefits package. While meeting these disparate needs can be challenging, a comprehensive fertility benefit can support everyone from junior staffers learning about their fertility health to senior leadership managing menopause and low testosterone symptoms. Join this webcast for a discussion on how age-inclusive fertility benefits help recruit and retain employees looking for a values-driven company, create a more productive workforce by addressing healthcare needs and more. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on Recognition as a Reflex: Frequent, Meaningful Recognition for a Better Workplace on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. Wondering how to improve your culture? Recognition is one of the best ways to improve employee morale and engagement at work. In this webcast, Jackie Adams, Engagement Specialist at Nectar, covers what HR teams need to know to improve their 2024 recognition programs. Presenter topics will include what is employee recognition, frequency of meaningful recognition, and starting/improving an employee recognition program. Click here to learn more and register.
- Workforce GPS is hosting a webinar on Turning Your Strategic Plans Into Action on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. This webinar is designed to answer questions for state and local workforce development board leaders, staff, and workforce



partners on creating state, local, and other strategic plans with actionable, manageable strategies where all partners can benefit and participate in the efforts. There will be a panel of presenters who will answer questions focused on how to simply separate strategic plans into implementable strategies for all parties involved in the creation process. Click here to learn more and register.

- The National League of Cities is hosting a webinar on Optimizing Public Spending with the Capital for Communities Scorecard on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM. The Capital for Communities Scorecard, a vital tool from The Urban Institute, is designed to evaluate the potential social, economic, and environmental effects of proposed real estate developments or business investments. Its assessment aims to support projects that enhance communities. Provide advantages to residents, and address disparities in access to opportunity based on race and geography. Attend this webinar to learn more about how the Scorecard can support decision-makers in prioritizing investments that contribute positively to community well-being and align with community priorities. Click here to learn more and register via Zoom.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on Voluntary Benefits: A Big Bang for Small but Mighty HR on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, starting at 12:00 PM. Voluntary benefits enable smaller employers to offer a customized suite of financial protections, without adding more work or cost for the business. These benefits help protect workers in times of inflation and rising medical costs, while driving more retention and productivity for your business. In this webcast benefits experts from Eastbridge and Colonial Life will share the latest trends in voluntary benefit usage and how to make these programs really work for your employees and your business's bottom line. You will also hear from a Colonial Life Rock Enroll winner and hear how they engaged employees and made their enrollment a spectacular success. Click here to learn more and register.
- Chmura is hosting a webinar on Hiring Trends: Strategies for Talent Acquisition Teams and Job Seekers on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Is there a soft skills shortage? What is labor hoarding? Join Dr. Chris Chmura and the staffing experts from Express Employment Professionals for a discussion on the challenges and solutions the current labor market presents to talent acquisition professionals and job seekers. Dr. Chmura will kick off the discussion with a review of the labor market at the national level and offer insights into major challenges and trends for employers and employees alike. Click here to learn more and register.
- Lightcast is hosting a webinar on Empowering Economic Growth: Three Essential Tools for Data-Driven Business Attraction on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. Participants will learn to pinpoint growing businesses rip for relocation, assess the strengths of their



workforce, and effectively communicate data about communities to stakeholders. Attendees will also discover a connected workflow for leveraging Lightcast data and tools to identify expanding business, assess local workforce strengths, and engage stakeholders with public dashboards and data displays. Examples of how economic developers and chambers of commerce across the US and Canada already use these tools will be shared. Click here to learn more and register.

- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting a webinar on Women in URR and Career Services Celebrate International Women's Month on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. NACE's Women in URR and Career Services Affinity Group is proud to celebrate International Women's Month by hosting an amazing panel of women leaders in the profession. In keeping with the 2024 theme of #InspireInclusion, panelists will share stories from their career paths and the mentorship and allyship they have received and shared along the way. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on How to Create a Total Rewards Statement That Boosts Recruitment and Retention on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. Mom and pop operations and Fortune 500 companies alike are vying for the best talent every day. As the competition rages, employers must deploy increasingly creative solutions to engage candidates and retain the ones they have. The rewards employees want go far beyond the salary figure. As you work to maximize available resources in a difficult economy, how do you communicate your offerings, so candidates are motivated to pick you as their future employer? In this webcast, you'll learn about understanding the benefits of a total rewards statement, showing prospective employees the tangible and extrinsic rewards you offer, and how to stand out from other employers vying for the same talent. Click here to learn more and register.
- California Workforce Association (CWA), in collaboration with the National Association of Workforce Boards (NAWB) proudly presents the 2024 Executive Boot Camp starting Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, starting at 10:00 AM, at The Madison Hotel (1177 15<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Washington, DC, 20005). This 5-session program is designed for professionals in the workforce development sector and offers a rich blend of personal, organizational, and leadership development, coupled with insights into the broader workforce ecosystem. This event combines in-person and virtual sessions structured around four core training modules, supplemented by a practical Workforce Board Simulation. Key benefits you'll take away include: the development of leadership skills tailored to the unique challenges of workforce development, engage in a mixture of interactive workshops, discussion, and practical simulations as well as connecting with industry leaders and peers. Click here to learn more and register.



- The National Association of Workforce Boards (NAWB) is hosting its Good Jobs Challenge Pre-Conference Convening from Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 8:00 AM through Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 12:00 PM, at the Washington Hilton (1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, DC, 20009). The meeting will be an opportunity for all 32 Good Jobs Challenge grantees to meet, share innovative strategies, and discuss evidence-based approaches to strengthening, scaling, and sustaining sector partnerships that support regional workforce training systems. In addition to a full agenda with speakers and breakout sessions, participants will be able to meet directly with EDA, JFF, and subject matter experts (SMEs) on TA needs. Stay tuned for more information on the agenda and guidance on preparing for the meeting. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Conference of State Legislatures is hosting a webinar on Postsecondary Career and Technical Education Pathways on Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, starting at 3:00 PM. Career and technical education pathways in community colleges are an important source of local talent for high-needs fields. Who are the students accessing CTE programs at community colleges and what are their challenges? Learn about state policies that support students pursuing career and technical education programs at community colleges across the country. Click here to register.
- The National Association of Workforce Boards (NAWB) is hosting The Forum 2024 from Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, through Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, at the Washington Hilton (1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, DC, 20009). The Forum. It's the nation's largest annual workforce development conference. Advance your skills, so you can advance theirs. Feel the energy at the center of it all as we convene in our nation's capital on March 23-26, 2024. Yes, you will network and learn. You'll also recharge and reconnect with your purpose and your mission. Be inspired by and with others who want to unlock creativity and unleash potential. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on The Future of Talent Management: How AI Can Help You Attract and Retain Top Talent on Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. AI, machine learning and talent intelligence are transforming the way organizations attract, engage, and retain top talent. In this webcast, Somen Mondal and Shaun Ricci with Dayforce, explore how this technology will change the HR landscape and how you can leverage it to improve end-to-end talent management. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> to learn more and register.
- Brookings is hosting a webinar on Creating a New Model for Advancing Community Data
  Justice on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. It's time to reimagine a new
  framework for community-engaged research through the lens of data ethics and justice.
  Toward this goal, the Brookings Institution worked with key stakeholders to create a



framework to help communities lead and inform the research process, developing a new model that will advance an equitable infrastructure that prioritizes communities in their own research design, collection, application, and analysis. Join this webinar to discuss the project findings and recommendations to enhance community-based research. Panelists will also discuss the goals of the project and why action was required. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.

- The International Economic Development Council (IEDC) is hosting a two-day webinar on Technology-Led Economic Development on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 6:00 PM. This course explains the importance and impact of technology in economic development. Participants will also learn how to partner with government, industry, higher education, and/or the private sector to create a highly integrated network of technology and innovation. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of Counties (NACo) is hosting a webinar on Demystifying Student Debt Forgiveness for County Employees on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. Did you know that it is highly-likely that many of your county employees qualify for this new student debt forgiveness that seems to be dominating the headlines? With 150+ debt relief programs out there and different qualification requirements for each, the process remains confusing and cumbersome. Please join us as we speak with student debt forgiveness expert Tony Raffa, who will clear up much of the confusion as we cover eligibility, common issues, and upcoming deadlines those with student debt need to be aware of. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a Future-Proof Your Benefits: Takeaways from Maven's State of Women's and Family Health Benefits Report webinar on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. In 2024, healthcare costs are rising, and employees are expecting more support along their reproductive health journey. Are your benefits keeping up? As an HR leader, your people are your top priority, and you can care for them through women's and family health benefits that provide better care and drive ROI. Join Maven Clinic to explore how to build family benefits that give employees the support they want—and need. During the webinar, leading experts in the industry will dive deeper into insights from our annual State of Women's and Family Health Benefits report. We'll examine how top employers are navigating new challenges while providing comprehensive care to employees. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting a Trend Watch: New Data on the Gen Z Recruitment Landscape webinar on Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Explore fresh insights on Gen Z recruitment based on the latest data from RippleMatch. Discover how university recruitment teams are connecting with today's



candidates and shaping their strategies. Our in-depth analysis will showcase the trends, technologies, and tactics that are fueling the hiring process, equipping you with the knowledge needed to stay ahead of the curve. Don't miss this opportunity to learn from real-world data and stay informed about the transformative strategies that are defining the future of early career hiring. Click here to learn more and register.

- The National Association of Counties (NACo) is hosting a webinar on Insights from the Reaching Rural Initiative Navigating Leadership, Innovation, and Community Impact in Addressing Substance Use Disorder in Rural Communities on Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM. The Reaching Rural Initiative brings together rural practitioners from different professional backgrounds to advance solutions to address the persistent challenges of substance use in their communities. Over the last year, Reaching Rural fellows convened, received coaching, and participated in skill-building workshops to help them improve outcomes in their home communities. This webinar will highlight key insights gleaned from county elected officials who joined Reaching Rurals and charted their course for continued progress in addressing substance use. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of Workforce Development Professionals (NAWDP) is hosting a Form I-9 and E-Verify 30 Minutes of Excellence Session webinar on Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. During this session, our presenter will discuss the most current Form I-9 and address many areas including common mistakes made while completing the I-9, how the I-9 can be completed on a new hire before they start working for pay, along with best practices for reviewing and copying documents. In addition, there will be a discussion on E-Verify, the free web-based service system that allows enrolled employers to electronically verify the employment eligibility of their new hires. Click here to learn more and register.
- REMI is hosting a Wild Pig and Foreign Animal Disease Outbreaks: Understanding Spread, Mitigation, and Economic Impacts webinar on Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. This presentation will explore results related to a study examining the relative economic impact of ASF and CSF in swine and FMD in swine and cattle on the U.S. economy. An epidemiological disease spread model was used to predict the potential spread of these diseases. Spread results were then analyzed using REMI PI+ to estimate the relative economic impacts on the U.S. domestic economy and exports. Outbreaks started in locations with the highest risk of introduction tended to be small, frequently only infecting a few animals due to the disconnect between introduction risk and the presence of the livestock industry. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on Claims
   Payment Integrity: Chipping Away at Your Workforce Health Care Spend on Wednesday,



March 27<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. Balancing the rising costs of health care with employee benefit needs can be difficult. Plan sponsors can start by learning where to look for savings. Claims payment integrity is often undervalued, but it can play a critical role in delivering savings for plan sponsors and their employees. Partnering with a health plan carrier that provides best-in-class claims payment integrity solutions is key. Complexities with provider contracts, and the claim submission process increase the potential for inaccurate claims and payments. Best-in-class claims payment integrity programs reduce claim costs through all phases of the claim lifecycle. A robust claims payment integrity program will ensure that claims are paid based on nationally accepted billing policies (AMA, CMS), reducing fraud, waste, abuse and more. This webcast will dive into why, more than ever, claims payment integrity should be a priority for plan sponsors as they look to effectively manage their costs and those of their employees. In this session, you'll hear from Michael Bucci, Vice President of Sales Enablement; Matthew Harms, Head of National Business Development; and Peter Sanderson, Executive Director of Actuarial for Aetna National Accounts. Click here to learn more and register.

- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a From Insight to Impact: Winning CEO Support for Talent Intelligence webinar on Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, starting at 12:00 PM. For HR leaders, the value of talent intelligence is clear. They channel the power of deep-learning AI to inform and enhance every stage of the talent lifecycle, including recruiting, developing, and retaining talent. But what about the rest of the organization? What about the C-suite? Why should they care about talent intelligence, especially with the rise of generative AI and all the other departments itching for new AI capabilities? In this webcast, Jason Cerrato with Eightfold AI and Kathi Enderes with The Josh Bersin Company will dive into why every executive needs to make talent intelligence a priority in 2024 and how to get buy-in from your executives. Click here to learn more and register.
- Brookings is hosting the BPEA Spring 2024 Conference starting Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, at 1:00 PM through Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>. This virtual, semi-annual academic conference and journal pairs rigorous research with real-time policy analysis to address the most urgent economic challenges of the day. This conference is open to anyone who wishes to observe the vanguard of economic thought around global economic issues. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- The International Economic Development Council (IEDC) is hosting a webinar on Harnessing AI to Tackle Workforce and Talent Shortages on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. With talent shortages and workforce gaps posing significant challenges to sustainable economic progress, it is critical for economic developers to lead the way in leveraging artificial intelligence (AI) to revolutionize large-scale workforce attraction,



engagement, and upskilling. Dive into this webinar to discover cutting-edge AI tools reshaping the global workforce landscape and gain valuable insights from industry experts on how to align industry needs, educational systems, and the workforce seamlessly. Discover how to identify potential pitfalls, bypass obstacles, and apply strategies from lessons previously learned to create next-gen AI talent attraction campaigns to drive sustainable local growth. Click here to learn more and register.

- The International Economic Development Council (IEDC) is hosting a Neighborhood Development Strategies online course on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup> and Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 6:00 PM. This course identifies common neighborhood actors and their objectives, discusses strategies for redevelopment, and reviews the steps necessary to create a strategic economic development plan that can meet neighborhood development goals. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting a Pathways to Prosperity: Helping Veterans Build a Mindset for Success in Civilian Life webinar on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Throughout this presentation, information will be shared to benefit both members of the military profession and those who support veterans and their community. To begin, insight into the cultural differences between the military and civilian sector will be examined followed by some of the most common hurdles veterans face when transitioning from "green to grey." Additionally, there will be real-world examples and lessons learned by our veteran community. At the end of this presentation, attendees will be provided with resources to assist the military community on their pathway. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of State Workforce Agencies (NASWA) is hosting a webinar on Mastering dX: Upskilling Your Workforce for the Age of AI on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 12:30 PM to 1:15 PM. This session will focus on helping system leaders better understand the emerging technology and how it can be employed to improve system productivity and value for the customer. Our panelists, Beth Simone Noveck, and Seth Harris will explore AI and its potential role in system transformation. Both speakers will provide information on The Burnes Center's offerings that can assist system leaders in preparing their workforce for the safe and effective use of AI. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on A Behavioral Approach to Neuro-inclusivity in the Workplace on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, starting at 12:00 PM. Explore the role behavior plays in fostering a neuro-inclusive culture. Beyond having a general awareness of neurodiversity and the unique strengths neurodivergent team members bring, our actions lay the foundation for shaping workplace culture and relationships. This program examines how our behaviors, even more than our



attitudes or beliefs, have enduring effects on our environment. Gain practical insights into why shifting behaviors can help bridge existing gaps and inspire us to embed systemic solutions to workplace challenges. Click here to learn more and register.

- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on Employee Engagement 101: How it Delivers Higher Profits, Greater Productivity, and Lower Turnover on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. The future has always been hard to predict, however, an increasingly uncertain work landscape has only accelerated the rate of change. In this session, Culture Amp's Senior People Scientist, Amanda Blinebry, will go back to basics on how companies who prioritize their people are more likely to drive profits and productivity than those who neglect it. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on How to Cultivate a Thriving Workplace Through Employee Engagement on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, starting at 1:00 PM. Employee engagement is a key measure of organizational health. But while employee engagement surveys are a great way to understand what impacts employee engagement over time, using surveys alone to measure engagement and retain talent isn't enough. In this webinar, Tyler Cahill with Culture Amp and Laurie McIntosh will discuss the real impact of employee engagement in building a dynamic workplace for the future. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on Insights into Retention: Leveraging Analytics for Employee Engagement on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, starting at 4:00 PM. Discover the potential of integrating people analytics within your organization with Culture Amp. In this session, learn how people analytics can be effectively utilized to establish an inclusive workplace culture that fosters employee satisfaction and retention. You'll learn innovative retention strategies, showcase real-world examples, and identify key metrics and methodologies that enable organizations to predict and mitigate retention challenges. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is hosting a webinar on Strategic Approaches to Employee Engagement and Onboarding Excellence on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, starting at 3:00 PM. In this webcast, you'll explore the significance of prioritizing people objectives and creating a seamless onboarding process. Drawing insights from leading resources, you'll discover strategies to boost employee engagement and ensure a successful onboarding journey. Discover actionable steps to enhance your organization's performance through effective people management. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Coalition on Adult Basic Education (COABE) is hosting a Role Plays and Reducing
   Correctional Student Anxiety webinar on Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. Attendees



will receive information about how real-world role plays can assist adult learners. Helping students to anticipate and deal with issues prior to release strengthens their chance for successful reentry. Role plays can utilize the themes – life skills, employment, education, and family. A tool for how to create unique role play activities will also be shared. Click here to learn more and register.

- The Coalition on Adult Basic Education (COABE) is hosting an Advocacy April Prep Webinar
  on Monday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. Advocacy April is a great time to raise visibility in
  your local program, community, and state. Join us for this short and informative live session
  with tools and skills you can put to use right away. Click here to learn more and join the
  event via Zoom.
- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting a ChatGPT for Career Coaches: Scale Up Your Coaching webinar on Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. Providing specific career advice for each student, alum, or client is a monumental task—especially when you serve hundreds or thousands of job seekers. But ChatGPT is a chance to fundamentally reshape that equation, leveraging your existing coaching expertise in concert with this new technology to dramatically scale up your impact. Know exactly what ChatGPT can do for you from helping your clientele find the perfect path to helping you work more effectively than ever. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National League of Cities is hosting a virtual course on Racial Equity for Municipal Leaders, Session One, starting Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 3:00 PM to 4:15 PM. This course will provide local leaders with an introductory overview of institutional and structural racism in the United States. The first session meets from 3:00 PM to 4:15 PM every Tuesday from April 2 to May 21. It is specifically designed for leaders who are shepherding racial equity work in their municipalities, including elected officials, DEI/racial equity officers, and local government staff. It will equip participants with a shared language for racial equity, provide an understanding of racial equity leadership behaviors, and position leaders to visualize a racially equitable municipality. Participants will establish a Community of Practice and learn how to identify institutional bias in local government, their role in leading effectively through change management, the importance of solidarity, and policy areas to get started advancing racial equity. Click here to learn more and register.
- Brookings is hosting a Find Common Ground for Working Families event on Wednesday,
  April 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM, at the Brookings Institute Falk Auditorium (1775
  Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20036). Throughout 2023, the Convergence
  Collaborative brought together experts from across the political spectrum to find common
  ground on challenges facing working families with young children. The resulting consensus
  document was released in January of this year. During this event, you'll learn about the four



pillars making up the Convergence Collaborative's blueprint for action, then two members of the Collaborative will discuss the four areas of common ground for working families. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.

- The **Site Selectors Guild** is hosting its **Annual Conference** starting Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> through Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at the **Grand Hyatt Nashville** (1000 Broadway. Nashville, TN, 37203). Visit the Chmura team at this annual conference and discuss how JobsEQ data can help site selectors compare labor availability and wages in multiple regions, use awards data to determine if the talent pipeline in a region can match demand, get demographic and diversity data for regions, and more. Breakout sessions will be held to share insights and foster discussion. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- The National League of Cities is hosting a Cities of Opportunity Learning Lab: Aligning City Departments to Advance Equity webinar on Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Have you wanted to easily collaborate with your colleagues and work across the city but found that it's difficult? In this conversation, we'll explore strategies that align efforts, streamline teamwork, and boost community health. Attendees will learn how to strategically share resources and information efficiently. This Learning Labs webinar allows city leaders, staff, and partners to come together as peers to share what's working (and what's not). These conversations explore the transformation that occurs when city leaders choose to become champions for health and equity. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Conference of State Legislatures is hosting a webinar on Beyond
  Infrastructure: Solutions to Deployment Barriers on Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM.
  Join this webinar to learn more about policy barriers that state broadband offices are facing, including digital equity, broadband adoption, and affordability, and learn about solutions states have identified to funding barriers. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Aspen Institute, in partnership with Rutgers University is hosting an Employee Ownership Ideas Forum 2024: Employee Ownership on the Ground on Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 4:45 PM, and Wednesday, April 10<sup>th</sup>, from 8:15 AM to 5:00 PM, virtually. This year's program will bring innovative employee share ownership initiatives from around the country to DC to highlight how this bipartisan approach to improving jobs, wealth creation, and business performance is helping create more equitable economies in states, cities, and rural communities. The forum will bring together members of Congress and their staff, government officials, practitioners, researchers, think tanks, philanthropy, investors, and the leaders of employee-owned companies to learn about and discuss the latest in policy, research, finance, and practice. Click here to learn more and register.



- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting a webinar on Mental Health Awareness for HSI Career Services and Early Talent Recruitment on Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. As we seek to serve those who are Hispanic/LatinX or attending an HSI, our work can become overwhelming and stressful, especially at key points during the semester. We will host a panel comprised of career services, early talent recruitment, and mental health/wellness professionals to share tips on being mindful of our personal mental health and to identify resources, tools, and exercises to cope with stress or overwork. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Conference of State Legislatures is hosting an After the Voting is Over: Counting, Results Reporting, Recounts (and more) webinar on Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. The election doesn't end when the polls close. Counting (and confirming the count) comes next—along with reporting results and, sometimes, recounts. Join us for the second installment of NCSL's four-part webinar series on election administration to learn about what happens after voting is over. U.S. Election Assistance Commissioner Donald Palmer will consider how all states address these tasks that ensure accurate and verifiable results. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Coalition on Adult Basic Education (COABE) is hosting a New Frontiers in Jail Education How Adult Education Providers Can Partner with Jails to Drive MSGs, Diplomas, and Life-Changing Experiences webinar on Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. We are at the edge of a new frontier in education. As tablet technology and secure internet access is growing in jails across the U.S., the ability to deliver a new level of educational opportunities grows as well. There are now more than 700,000 tablets deployed in prisons and jails across the country. This delivery mechanism is changing the way adult education providers can partner with jails to impact their communities. Join this session to see the cutting-edge technology, learn ways in which your program can innovate jail education, and develop a plan for beginning or enhancing jail education in your community. Click here to learn more and register.
- Jobs for the Future (JFF) is hosting its 2024 ASU & GSV Summit starting Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 10:00 AM, at the Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego (1 Market Place, San Diego, CA, 92101). At Jobs for the Future (JFF), we are looking forward to an inspiring three days of learning and networking at the ASU+GSV Summit in San Diego. We are excited about the opportunity to reconnect with longtime partners and supporters and forge new alliances with innovators and leaders from across the learn and work ecosystem. Each year, thousands of industry leaders, investors, entrepreneurs, and educators come away from the Summit with new relationships, meaningful connections, and a wider, deeper network. The Summit has become the most important space in EdTech for networking, deal-making, idea-sharing, learning from thought leaders, meeting



innovators, finding investors and foundation funders, and more. Let's join in imagining a new era in which all people have equal access to the future. Click here to learn more. Click here to register.

- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting a NACE Competencies Deep Dive: Institution-Wide Competency Integration event on Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 AM to 2:30 PM, at Yello Headquarters (55 East Monroe Street, Chicago, IL, 60603). This interactive day will focus on discussions about how to best integrate competencies into academic and student affairs experiences to support the career readiness of students. The event includes three themes: creating institutional capacity to scale competency implementation on campuses, collaborating with faculty to infusing competencies into the curriculum, and implementing an assessment strategy to measure the success and impact on the institution and students. Click here to learn more and register.
- Brookings is hosting a Symposium on Education Systems Transformation For and Through Inclusive Education on Thursday, April 18th, from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM, at the Brookings Institution Falk Auditorium (1775 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20036). Despite extensive global policy conversations about the need to meet the United Nations sustainable development goals supporting more equitable educations, no nation has come close to achieving truly inclusive classrooms and school communities at scale. This year, we will be co-hosting the event with Special Olympics and the Global Partnership for Education. The event will feature a variety of interactive in-person sessions and ample networking time. This symposium will convene key policy and decision makers, researchers, and practitioners committed to advancing education for people with disabilities, as well as learners with IDD themselves, to address the question "What would it take to transform education systems to be truly inclusive for learners with disabilities?" The forum will seek the answer this question by elevating the voices of those who are actively engaged in advancing social inclusion for children and young people with disabilities in schools and communities across the globe. For those unable to attend in person, the opening and closing sessions will be livestreamed. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting a NACE Virtual 30-Hour Career Coaching Institute starting Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> through Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. This program is designed for career services members wishing to demonstrate their success as a career coach using proven ethical and professional standards in their pursuit of the Board-Certified Coach credential. Attendees will learn strategies and skills to create an environment that supports mutual respect and learn methods to communicate effectively during a coaching session. Attendees will use



empowerment and positive reinforcement to create a coaching alliance and contribute to a practice. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.

- The Coalition on Adult Basic Education (COABE) is hosting a webinar on Updates from the Enhancing Access for Refugees and New Americans Project on Tuesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. Join OCTAE's Enhancing Access for Refugees and New Americans (EARN) project as we highlight and discuss newly available and upcoming resources to support IELCE implementation. EARN resources include videos, spotlights on effective practices, and guide and tools to support implementation on the topics of immigrant integration. Click here to learn more and join via Zoom.
- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting a webinar on Change Agents for Equity: A Case Study Addressing Uncompensated Internships on Tuesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. In this session, participants will explore the history and prevalence of uncompensated internships, how the School of Human Ecology's career development team is working to address equity issues related to internships and reflect on how you can be a change agent for equity in your own work in advising or career services. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting a webinar on Supporting the Unique Career Development Needs of Graduate Students on Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. Graduate students often manage diverse life complexities and represent multiple life stages, generations, and industries. They must sometimes justify their degree's ROI or navigate internal pressures when pursuing non-academic routes. This presentation will highlight the unique career development needs of graduate students and support strategies across multiple universities. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of Workforce Development Professionals (NAWDP) is hosting a Decoding Labor Market Data webinar on Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, from 2:00 PM to 2:30 PM. Providing good service to job seekers and businesses requires understanding the economy and business market within which they work. But all too often, the program side of the workforce system and the data side work separately. State labor market information departments can serve as a vital resource for helping workforce professionals understand the local business environment. Learn more about key Labor Market Information (LMI) tools and how professionals can use them to tell the local economic story and better serve all our customers. Join presenter William Lutz, Economist, Texas Workforce Commission, during this sessifon to gain more insight on using LMI! Click here to learn more and register.



- The **Aspen Institute** is hosting the **2024 Collective Impact Action Summit** virtual event starting Tuesday, April 30<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>. This fully virtual event is designed to offer participants both inspiration and practical advice for how to engage in community collaborations that center equity and belonging in collective impact work. Sessions will take place on Zoom. The Summit will also host participants, share resources, and curate additional discussion threads in a robust virtual community on Whova. <u>Click here</u> to learn more and register.
- The International Economic Development Council (IEDC) is hosting a webinar on Workforce Development Communications 101 on Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 11:00 AM to 6:00 PM. Discover the art of crafting a powerful marketing strategy, mastering strategic storytelling, and fostering synergy in workforce and economic development techniques. Enroll in this class to leverage data-driven insights, strategic communication principles, and social and digital media to promote local workforce development initiatives and economic prosperity. Click here to learn more and register.
- The International Economic Development Council (IEDC) is hosting Economic Development Week 2024 starting Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup> through Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>. Economic Development Week highlights, celebrates, and recognizes the contributions and efforts of professional economic developers in creating more economically vibrant, equitable, and resilient communities throughout North America. IEDC created Economic Development Week in 2016 to increase awareness for local job-creating programs, advance career development opportunities, and improve the quality of life and livability of communities everywhere. Click here to learn more.
- The National Skills Coalition is hosting its largest event of the year, The Skills Summit on Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, through Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>, at the Capital Hilton Hotel (1001 16<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Washington, DC, 20036). The Skills Summit convenes every stakeholder, every system, every movement, and political stripe to advance equity and break down the systemic barriers that prevent too many Americans from accessing high-quality inclusive skills training leading to good jobs and careers. The Summit brings the field together to talk about opportunities happening right now in Washington, D.C. to scale and sustain best practices through public policy. You'll hear from partners, workers, panelists, and leading innovators in the field. Click here to learn more. Click here to register.
- The Association for Talent Development is hosting its Annual ATD24 Conference starting Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 8:00 AM to 6:00 PM, at the New Orleans Ernest N. Morial Convention Center (900 Convention Center Boulevard, New Orleans, LA, 70130). Prepare to recharge your soul at ATD24, the world's largest learning and development conference, uniting professionals from across the globe. Our mission is to



refresh your expertise, renew your enthusiasm, and re-engage in meaningful connections within the community. With various educational opportunities, cutting-edge solutions at the expo floor, and networking at every turn, ATD24 is your hub for revitalization and success. Join us in New Orleans to nourish your spirit and advance your career. Click here to learn more and register.

- The National Association of Workforce Development Professionals (NAWDP) is hosting its 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Monday, May 20<sup>th,</sup> through Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, at the San Antonio Marriott Rivercenter (101 Bowie Street, San Antonio, TX). NAWDP's Annual Conference has become one of the largest annual gatherings of workforce development professionals, with more than 1,600 attendees from across the country. Join us for networking, sharing best practices and innovative programs and partnerships, and learn about potential solutions to issues in your area. Sessions will be geared to attendees from the full range of career experience in the industry, from senior leaders to entry-level employees. Click here to learn more and register.
- The Association for Institutional Research is hosting its 2024 AIR Forum starting Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup> through Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, at the Colorado Convention Center (700 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Denver, CO, 80202). Join the Chmura team at AIR Forum to learn how JobsEQ data can help higher education professionals gain insights from traditional labor market data and real-time job posting data in one platform. AIR Forum includes more than 200 presentations by colleagues and though leaders representing all sectors of higher education and an Exhibit Hall featuring the latest tools and resources to support data use for decision-making. This four-day conference presents a unique opportunity to network with peers, share best practices, and learn from practical workshops and sessions lead by the field's leading experts. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of Workforce Development Professionals (NAWDP) is hosting May POWER HOUR with Maria R. Brady on Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 PM. Part one of the POWER HOUR will focus on CLEAR, the Clearinghouse for Labor Evaluation and Research, a not so well-known clearinghouse of information dedicated to making research on labor topics more accessible- to not just policymakers and researchers- but to practitioners and the public as well. Part two will focus on E2A or the Evidence to Action initiative, which is all about translating research evident into actionable insights. Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting its 2024 NACE
   Conference and Expo starting Monday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> through Wednesday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, at the
   Phoenix Convention Center (100 North Third Street, Phoenix, AZ, 85004). NACE24 is the
   signature event of the year where over 2,000 career services, early talent recruiters, and



business solutions providers converge. Elevate your skills and expand your network as you hear from industry leaders and connect with an engaging community of like-minded professionals. Click here to learn more and register.

- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting its 2024 NACE Conference and Expo virtually on Wednesday, June 26<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, June 27<sup>th</sup>. This is the virtual option for attending the NACE24 conference. NACE24 is the signature event of the year. Elevate your skills and expand your network as you hear from industry leaders and connect with an engaging community of like-minded professionals. Be a part of an extraordinary journey of growth and inspiration, all from the comfort of your desk! Click here to learn more and register.
- The National Association of Counties (NACo) is hosting its Annual Conference and Exposition starting Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup>, through Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup>, in Hillsborough County, Tampa, FL. The National Association of Counties (NACo) Annual Conference & Expo is the largest meeting of county elected and appointed officials from across the country. Participants from counties of all sizes come together to shape NACo's federal policy agenda, share proven practices and strengthen knowledge networks to help improve residents' lives and the efficiency of county government. Registration will open soon with details of the event's location. Click here to learn more.
- Jobs For The Future is hosting Horizons 2024-The Power of Us on Monday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> and Tuesday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>, at the Marriot Marquis Washington, D.C. (901 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20001). Join us at this annual summit, where we center inclusivity and accessibility to bring everyone to the table. Horizons is where learners, workers, educators, employers, and leaders from across our ecosystem come together to drive equitable economic advancement for all. Listen and learn from people from all walks of life and from both sides of the aisle, centering on a person-first experience. Build partnerships and amplify collaborative efforts to build strong systems that lead to powerful results. Click here to learn more.
- The National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) is hosting its 2024 NACE Management Leadership Institute on Monday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> through Thursday, July 25<sup>th</sup>, from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM each day, at the Swissotel Chicago Hotel (323 East Wacker Drive, Chicago, IL, 60601). Now more than ever, career services leadership plays a critical role in institutional effectiveness and student success. The MLI curriculum, taught and facilitated by nationally recognized faculty, is designed to deliver substantive and timely strategies and practices for leading and contributing to successful career services initiatives. Designed for emerging and aspiring leaders, you'll strengthen the leadership skills needed to contribute to and build a stronger and more successful career services team. This program will also



promote evidence-based leadership strategies to excel within the field of career services and pave your way to greater organizational success. Participants will meet virtually prior to the four day in-person experience. After attending the in-person program, the MLI cohort will meet quarterly to gain further insights and discuss critical challenges in their leadership journey. Click here to learn more and register.

<u>Click here</u> to see the MAX Calendar of Events.

# **WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT INSIGHTS**

- From Accenture: The harmony between people, tech and business is showing tensions, and society is in flux. Five trends explore the decline of customer obsession, the influence of generative AI, the stagnation of creativity, the balance of tech benefits and burden, and people's new life goals. Opportunity abounds for business and brands in the coming twelve months and beyond read Accenture Life Trends 2024 to find out more. Click here to read more.
- From The Annie E. Casey Foundation: When compared to peers who are in school or working, opportunity youth are more likely to experience a range of challenges in adulthood, such as employment difficulties, low incomes, and poor physical and mental health. Conversely, youth with education and employment experience gain connections to good jobs, earnings, health care and other resources. Stable, caring relationships with adults are also key to helping young people navigate the hurdles of school, work, finances, and life as they transition to adulthood. Click here to read more.
- From The Aspen Institute: Over the past year, the volume and power of employee voice surprised many American business leaders. High-profile union organizing captured headlines to a degree not seen in many people's careers. Return to office policies opened difficult conversations about employee expectations of managers, workplaces, and work itself. Employees expect to have a say not only on traditional working conditions, but also in how the company responds to important societal and global challenges. And the wide array of issues that employees are weighing in on is exceedingly difficult for business leaders to track in real time. Click here to read more.
- From Brookings: The seeming disconnect between consumer sentiment and the state of the
  macroeconomy has been a defining characteristic of the post-COVID economy. By most
  widely accepted measures, the state of the macroeconomy is historically robust: The topline
  unemployment rate has remained below 4% for the past two years, economic growth has
  been steady and recovered pandemic-era losses, and inflation has retreated to historical
  norms. Click here to read more.



- From Center for American Progress: The United States has experienced a historically strong economic recovery from the COVID-19 recession, with more jobs and a larger inflation-adjusted gross domestic product (GDP) in 2023 than expected before the pandemic. GDP growth has been stronger in the United States than in other advanced economies, and the latest data show that U.S. inflation is among the lowest in the Group of Seven (G7) economies. For many families, however, these statistics only matter if they are reflected in higher real wages—that is, wages adjusted for cost of living—since that means purchasing power also rises. And the news on that front is also good: Many economists have pointed out that real wages for a typical worker today are higher than they were before the pandemic and are growing at about the pre-pandemic rate. Click here to read more.
- From Center on Budget and Policy Priorities: Many children and their custodial parents receive child support payments from non-custodial parents to help cover child-rearing costs. Child support can be a significant source of family income for families struggling to make ends meet. That is especially true for families receiving cash payments from the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program, who receive benefits that still leave them at or below 60 percent of the federal poverty level in every state. However, child support payments often do not reach families participating in TANF. And even after they leave TANF, states still keep some of their child support payments. State child support policies typically prioritize reimbursing the state and federal government for TANF cash payments provided to families during times of need, rather than directing payments to the children for whom they are intended. States have policy options to direct more child support payments to families who receive or used to receive TANF assistance, but only half of states have chosen to exercise any of those options. Click here to read more.
- From Economic Policy Institute: Over the past decade, 15 states and the District of
  Columbia have enacted laws requiring employers to allow workers to earn paid sick time. As
  a result, the share of workers who have access to paid sick leave nationwide has increased
  over this time. However, lack of paid sick days is still a real problem for many workers—
  especially low-wage workers. Click here to read more.
- From the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta: In trying to find quality jobs and advance in their careers, participants exercised job autonomy and pursued credentials and skill-building. In some cases, individuals described securing better jobs and higher pay, but many did not. Varied experiences with exercising job autonomy and skill-building, along with the lack of reliable outcomes, indicate a possible disconnect between low-wage, sub-baccalaureate workers, and employment opportunities. Addressing this disconnect could improve the efficacy of workers' and job seekers' efforts to improve their outcomes and more broadly facilitate greater economic mobility among non-degreed workers. Click here to read more.



- From Gallup Workplace Insights: In 2024, employers and employees are heading for a relationship reset. This shift partly stems from changes in where and how people work. In 2019, 60% of remote-capable employees spent their week working fully on-site, whereas that figure has fallen to just 20% in 2023. But that's not the complete story. Nearly five in 10 U.S. employees work fully on-site in jobs that can't be hybrid or remote. And Gallup's research indicates that how employees are managed has about four times as much influence on employee engagement and wellbeing as their work location. Click here to read more.
- From the International Association of Workforce Professionals (IAWP): In a groundbreaking research report, Accenture, in collaboration with the American Association of People with Disabilities (AAPD), has unveiled compelling evidence that companies leading in disability inclusion outperform their peers financially. The report, titled "The Disability Inclusion Imperative," builds on the landmark 2018 study on disability inclusion in the United States, exploring the evolving landscape across 346 companies using the Disability Equality Index (DEI) as a benchmark. For workforce development professionals, this research offers critical insights into the undeniable benefits of fostering an inclusive workplace for individuals with disabilities. <a href="Click here">Click here</a> to read more.</a>
- From Jobs for the Future: Our nation's economy is at an inflection point. Employers are
  struggling to find qualified workers to fill critical job openings. Meanwhile, despite positive
  job growth and wage gain trends, recent polling and labor strikes suggest that many people
  in this country feel unsupported by the job market and overall economy, a sentiment
  reflected in a Jobs for the Future (JFF) analysis showing that 92 million U.S. workers are
  currently shut out of quality jobs and face systemic barriers to advancement. Click here to
  read more.
- From Manpower: With 61% of leaders saying their organizations will likely have layoffs this year, employers looking to support their exiting employees should not overlook the power of outplacement. Incorporating outplacement in their plans is critical for the exiting employee, the organization, and society as a whole. Outplacement is an invaluable resource for employees who have been laid off from their job. Individuals benefit from receiving support and guidance as they navigate the career transition process, which can be incredibly overwhelming. Click here to read more.
- From McKinsey & Company: As the world economy starts to emerge from the COVID-19
  crisis, the time will soon come for leaders to look beyond safeguarding lives and livelihoods
  and to set their sights on a more profound challenge: bettering them. This societal
  challenge might be ten times as big as the pandemic and last ten times as long. The three



goals we have in mind—growth, sustainability, and inclusion—buttress one another yet don't always pull in the same direction; we see powerful reinforcing as well as counteracting loops among them (exhibit). And so, while many might agree on the aspiration, there's a very tough question lurking in the background: How do we go about building a future that delivers growth, sustainability, and inclusion? Click here to read more.

- From the National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE): How do you define a "reimagination"? Merriam-Webster defines "reimagined" as to "imagine again or anew; specially to form a new conception of or re-create." In the current career services paradigm, reimaginations are complex and multilayered. In an ever-evolving landscape of education and work, career services professionals must adapt and innovate to guide individuals effectively on their professional journeys. With the backdrop of Kahlil Gibran's profound words in mind, we embark on a journey to reimagine career services for the future, weaving together insights from the realms of academia, practical expertise, and the wisdom of renowned professionals. Click here to read more.
- From the National Association of Counties (NACO): Criminal justice operates as an ecosystem, just like a forest, a coral reef, or a grassland. Law enforcement, court judges, court coordinators, the court clerk, public defenders, prosecutors, juvenile justice, child welfare, school districts and even financial services like bonding agencies all interact. That makes change hard, even when participants are willing and motivated, given the number of participants. Click here to read more.
- From the National Association of Workforce Boards (NAWB): In the dynamic landscape of
  the workforce, apprenticeships have emerged as a powerful tool for recruiting, training, and
  retaining skilled workers. Recognizing their effectiveness, local and state workforce boards
  across the United States are actively engaging with industries to leverage the
  apprenticeship system, aligning it with labor market needs. The National Association of
  Workforce Boards (NAWB) has been at the forefront of this movement, forging partnerships
  with various sectors to cultivate sustainable, diverse, and highly skilled workforces. Click
  here to read more.
- From the National Conference of State Legislatures: State legislators seeking to tackle housing or homelessness issues have a variety of policy levers to consider depending on their goal. For example, zoning and land use policy changes can improve the supply of housing, and reducing construction costs may help improve the affordability of rental housing. Expanding financing options could increase homeownership for low- and middle-income households, and establishing eviction alternatives is one way to increase housing stability and reduce homelessness. This collection of informational resources is a great starting point for understanding many aspects of housing and homelessness policy. Click



### here to read more.

- From the National League of Cities (NLC): It's no secret that our nation is in the midst of a mental health crisis. According to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, about 1 in 5 American adults will experience a mental health condition in a given year. Rates of anxiety, depression and other mental health conditions are on the rise, as is demand for behavioral health professionals, who are frequently in short supply. And all of this impacts our workplaces and our local economies, because when left untreated, mental health conditions can lead to absenteeism, performance issues and people leaving the workforce entirely. Click here to read more.
- From the National Fund for Workforce Solutions: For the most part, other than their unusual ownership structure, employee-owned companies tend to be pretty "normal." Which is to say they usually have fairly typical organizational charts, management structures, etc. Their workforce needs are similarly typical, for the most part they need employees with the right mix of technical, social, and critical thinking skills. But the fact that their employees are owners does distinguish them somewhat regarding their skill needs. Employee-owned companies need their workers to be able to think like owners because they are. They need more understanding of the company's workings than might be necessary at other companies; they need to be able to read and understand financial statements; they need to see the connections between their everyday activities and the company's performance. Click here to read more.
- From the National Skills Coalition: NSC began the year by releasing groundbreaking new research together with the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta that analyzed millions of "help wanted" ads. We found that 92 percent of jobs now require digital skills. The research found that demand for digital skills was robust across all industries from the obvious such as the tech sector to unexpected industries like construction, or warehousing. Digital skills are in demand from entry-level positions to those that require years of experience. Previous research found that 1/3 of workers don't have the foundational digital skills necessary to enter and thrive in today's jobs. Together, the two findings shine a light on a digital skill divide that negatively affects workers, businesses, and our economy. The digital skill divide disproportionally impacts workers of color, low-income people, and rural residents due to historic underinvestment and structural inequities. Click here to read more.
- From **Prosperity Now**: Step Up Savannah is a nonprofit organization founded in response to stagnantly high multi-generational poverty in Georgia and the surrounding region. Central to the agency's work and outreach to the low-wealth community is its economic inclusion programming which includes workforce development, entrepreneurship incubation, public benefits cliff programming, financial literacy, and more. This month, Prosperity Now talked



to Alicia Johnson, the Executive Director of Step Up Savannah, member of the Affordable Housing Network Steering Committee and Prosperity Now Community Champion to learn more about the agency's work and community impact. Click here to read more.

- From the Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM): Hiring was better than expected as 2023 came to a close, with employers adding 216,000 new positions in December, while the unemployment rate held at 3.7 percent, near historic lows, according to the latest jobs report from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. Economists' expectations for job gains in December had been around 170,000. Hiring was revised down for the rest of the fourth quarter of 2023, with payrolls in November falling from 199,000 to 173,000 and in October from 150,000 to 105,000. Click here to read more.
- From the U.S. Chamber of Commerce: We hear every day from our member companies—of every size and industry, across nearly every state—they're facing unprecedented challenges trying to find enough workers to fill open jobs. Right now, the latest data shows that we have 9.6 million job openings in the U.S., but only 6.4 million unemployed workers. We have a lot of jobs, but not enough workers to fill them. If every unemployed person in the country found a job, we would still have around 3 million open jobs. Click here to read more.
- From WorkforceGPS: All workforce and education programs operate within the context of a
  regional labor market. We have developed several training offerings that help you learn
  how to apply labor market information (LMI) to employment and training programs.
  Understanding the data available, and how it can be used, assists you in putting the data to
  work where you need to make planning and program design decisions. Click here to read
  more.
- From Workforce Monitor: In the hit dystopian TV series Severance, employees at biotech corporation Lumon Industries find it easy to separate work and home life. A computer chip is inserted in their brains to act as a "mindwipe." They leave all thoughts of home behind while at work, and completely forget about their work when at home. While the show explores the pitfalls of such a split in consciousness, there's no denying it's a tantalising prospect to be able to "flick the off switch" and forget about work whenever you're not actually supposed to be working. Click here to read more.
- From **Workday**: Across the globe, we're seeing organizations become increasingly reliant on contingent labor and more people are opting in to become part of the contingent workforce. Sapient Insights Group has found that 30%–40% of the global labor market is participating in some form of contingent work, with estimates rising to 50% or more within the next few years. As many as 30% of workers in some financial organizations can be



identified as contingent labor and are expected to increase as dynamic workforce models become more common. Click here to read more.

- From WorkingNation: The demand for workers in the skilled trades is high with open positions going unfilled, according to the Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC), a trade association that represents the non-union construction industry. ABC notes the sector had more than 400,000 available jobs at the end of October. With members of the current workforce preparing for retirement, igniting the interest of young people in skilled trades careers is a challenge. Click here to read more.
- From WorkRise: Rising rents, ballooning credit card debt, and recent holiday expenses are all straining wallets as 2024 begins. Last month, more than half of US adults reported feeling stressed about either spending too much money or not having enough money. Research shows that this financial stress may be closely linked with worse psychological health, especially for those who are already disadvantaged in the labor market. Financial worries, defined as both perceptions of economic hardship and emotional responses to financial strain, are subjective measures of economic difficulties. They do not correspond directly with objective measures of finances, so two individuals with the same income may have different levels of financial worries depending on their spending habits and perceived job security. Financial worries may be more likely to cause psychological distress, including feelings of hopelessness and worthlessness, for certain populations based on variation in coping resource. Click here to read more.

# **Data Tools**

- From Atlanta Regional Commission: Each week ARC, in partnership with Neighborhood Nexus, provides updated research and analytics through the <a href="33°n">33°n</a> blog. From a look at housing, rental rates, and cost of living to the job market and the latest on wages, this blog is a onestop portal to a treasure trove of local and regional data. Click here to learn more.
- From Brookings: Using data from hundreds of thousands of real job transitions, the <u>Job</u>
   <u>Mobility and Smart Growth Toolkit</u> shows how workers can advance through labor
   markets—featuring national and citybycity data on wage levels, local labor demand, and job
   mobility rankings for 441 occupations, from retail salespeople to cooks to computer
   programmers. Click here to see the toolkit.
- From the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Center for Workforce and Economic
   Opportunity (CWEO): The <u>Unemployment Claims Monitor</u> displays data from the weekly
   and monthly unemployment claims reports from the U.S. Department of Labor. It is
   updated every Thursday. Users will find weekly and monthly data on claims and on who



have filed for unemployment insurance, including special unemployment programs like ShortTime Compensation (or Workshare), Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees, ExService Members, and Extended Benefits programs. The <a href="Opportunity">Opportunity</a>
<a href="Opportunity">Occupations Monitor</a> displays opportunity employment and its prevalence across labor markets. Opportunity employment is an estimate of the number and share of jobs accessible to workers without a bachelor's degree that pay more than the national median wage. Click here to learn more.

- From the Georgia Department of Labor: The Georgia Department of Labor provides access
  to a complete set of data tools for workforce developers to better understand the labor
  market conditions in Georgia. The portal also includes resources for job seekers and
  employers. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- From **Georgia Power**: Georgia Power's Community & Economic Development team maintains interactive tools to take a deeper dive into the data on target industries, the labor force, and more. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- From the National Fund for Workforce Solutions: The National Fund for Workforce
   Solutions' Workforce Equity Dashboard provides disaggregated data that uncovers racial
   gaps in workforce outcomes, identifies opportunities to advance racial equity across
   systems, and informs highimpact strategies to build a future where employers, workers, and
   communities prosper. This dashboard was developed in partnership with the National
   Equity Atlas. Click here to learn more.
- From Neighborhood Nexus: Neighborhood Nexus, a data partner of ARC, developed <u>Data Nexus</u>, a powerful tool to find, visualize, analyze, and download community data including demographic, education, health, and economic indicators from state and national sources, all in one place. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- From the Partnership for Southern Equity: The Metro Atlanta Racial Equity Atlas (MAREA) is designed to offer an immersive, storycentric experience that contextualizes personal narratives with engaging, interactive community data and historical background. This tool has been developed by the Partnership for Southern Equity, Neighborhood Nexus, and archi. Click here to learn more.
- From Prosperity Now: The <u>Prosperity Now Scorecard</u> is a comprehensive resource for data on household financial health, racial economic inequality, and policy recommendations to help put everyone in our country on a path to prosperity. <u>Click here</u> to access.



- From the **Technical College System of Georgia**: TCSG's Data and Research provides access to the System Scorecard, enrollment data, and more. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- From the University of Georgia, Carl Vinson Institute of Government (CVIOG): CVIOG has
  developed toolkits and other resources on a variety of workforce topics. <u>Click here</u> to learn
  more.
- From the U.S. Chamber of Commerce: Right now, there are too many jobs without people
  to fill them. As a result, businesses can't grow, compete, or thrive. The <u>America Works Data</u>
  <u>Center</u> captures trends on job openings, labor force participation, quit rates, and more.
  <u>Click here</u> to learn more.
- From **WorkSource Georgia**: Through its portal, WorkSource Georgia provides access to labor market facts, area profiles, industry profiles, educational profiles, and occupational profiles. <u>Click here</u> to learn more.

<u>Click here</u> to access the MAX Resource Library for more workforce development insights.

## MAX JOB BOARD

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### MAX PROVIDER PORTAL

The MAX Provider Portal was launched in 2014 to help local leaders gain a better understanding of metro Atlanta's workforce ecosystem – namely, who is doing what, where, and for whom. The portal provides the most comprehensive picture of our workforce ecosystem. Providers in the portal can share information on the populations and geographies they serve, the services (job search & placement, postemployment services, supportive services, and soft skills training) they provide, the specific occupations and industries they support, and more. The MAX Provider Council oversees and informs the ongoing development of the MAX Provider Portal.



<u>Click here</u> to access the MAX Provider Portal. If your organization is not already represented in the MAX Provider Portal, <u>click here</u> to get on the map today.

## MAX RESOURCE LIBRARY

The MAX Resource Library is a central clearinghouse for reports, studies, data tools, websites, online portals, and other sources of information related to workforce development to keep workforce partners informed. From data on workforce trends and barriers to the latest on the skills gap and economic mobility, a wealth of information is at your fingertips through this clearinghouse. Resources can be added to the MAX Resource Library through the recommendation of MAX members. The MAX Data Council oversees and informs the ongoing development of the MAX Resource Library. Click here to access the MAX Resource Library.

### **ABOUT MAX**

Launched in 2014, the mission of MAX is to advance economic competitiveness in the Atlanta region by strengthening connections, collaborations, and practices among workforce developers and organizations engaged in workforce development. For more information on MAX, visit <a href="https://www.metroatlantaexchange.org">www.metroatlantaexchange.org</a>.

MAX launched the <u>MAX Membership Association</u> in January 2021. While MAX continues to serve as a valuable resource for workforce partners regardless of membership, there are several MAX member-only benefits <u>Click here</u> to learn more and join MAX today.

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