



MAX MONDAYS: OCTOBER 12, 2026

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!

Leadership MAX Class of 2026, Presented by Amazon, Gathers for Managing Organizations Day at Atlanta Tech: The Leadership MAX Class of 2026, presented by Amazon, explored how leaders build strong teams, foster healthy organizational cultures, and navigate complex challenges during Managing Organizations Day on October 8, 2026, at Atlanta Technical College. Board leads Dana Inman, President & CEO of the Atlanta Center for Self Sufficiency, and Dr. Victoria Seals, President of Atlanta Technical College, thoughtfully planned and brought this meaningful learning experience to life for the Class of 2026. The day began with a fireside chat on building strong teams featuring program chairs Jenny Taylor, Chief Mission Officer and Vice President of Career Services at Goodwill of North Georgia, and Kristin Laarhoven, Assistant Commissioner for the Office of Workforce Development at the Technical College System of Georgia. [Click here](#) to learn more.

MAX Academy, Presented by Google and Powered by Georgia State, Helps Workforce Developers Walk in Their Shoes: What does it really take to navigate everyday life when financial resources are limited and unexpected challenges arise? That was the question at the heart of the September 29th MAX Academy: Walking in Their Shoes, A Poverty Simulation Experience, held at Atlanta Technical College's Cleveland L. Dennard Conference Center. Presented by Google and powered by Georgia State University's Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, School of Social Work, Professional Excellence Program, this immersive learning experience invited workforce development professionals to step into the lives of individuals and families struggling to make ends meet. [Click here](#) to learn more.

REMINDER: MAX Talks with Centennial Yards to Connect Workforce Partners with Hiring Opportunities for Job Seekers: Centennial Yards is Atlanta's transformative 50-acre, mixed-use development that is reshaping a historic area of downtown with new office, residential, retail, hospitality, and entertainment spaces while creating significant employment opportunities. The project is expected to create thousands of permanent jobs while also generating construction jobs throughout its multi-year buildout. On Wednesday, October 14th, MAX Talks with Centennial Yards will provide us with an opportunity to hear from Centennial Yards leadership about current and future workforce needs. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

REMINDER: MAX Minutes with Natalie R. Williams, The Core Method LLC, to Focus on Georgia's Workforce Readiness: Georgia's opportunity is no longer simply about job creation. It



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is about talent creation. Drawing from her report, *Georgia's Workforce Readiness Outlook: Preparing Talent for the Future of Work*, Natalie R. Williams, Founder and Principal of The CORE Method™ LLC, will join MAX on October 23rd to explore the evolving ecosystem shaping how Georgia develops talent — including advances in technology, changing employer expectations, skills-based hiring, education and workforce pathways, and the policies that influence how these systems connect. [Click here](#) to register.

REMINDER: MAX Seeks Nominations for the 2026 Wendell Dallas Excellence in Leadership Award in Honor of Founding Chair: In 2022, the MAX Board of Directors created the Wendell Dallas Excellence in Leadership Award in honor of our founding board chair, Wendell Dallas. This award recognizes individuals who have gone above and beyond in providing leadership in workforce development through the Metro Atlanta eXchange for Workforce Solutions (MAX) and/or MAX partners. An individual recognized through this award is known for leading with integrity, devotion, and selflessness in service to others in the workforce development sector. [Click here](#) to learn more.

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.

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JOB FAIRS AND HIRING EVENTS



NOTE: Before attending an event, it is highly recommended to confirm event plans with the event host.

Events This Week

- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting **Ingles Open Interviews** 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 and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **B&D Cleaning Hiring Event** every Monday, from 1:00 PM to 2:30 PM, at the **Oakwood Career Center** (3715 Mundy Mill Road, Oakwood, GA 30566). For more information, call 770-538-4209. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Diversified Staffing Recruitment/HSAGP Energy and QCells Event** on Tuesdays, from 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM, at the **Cartersville Career Center** (929 Joe Frank Harris Parkway, SE, Cartersville, GA 30120). For more information, call 770-276-7036. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Cornerstone Caregiving** is hosting **Walk-In Interviews** on Tuesday, October 13th and Wednesday, October 14th, from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM, at **Cornerstone Caregiving** (1922 GA-74, Tyrone, GA 30290). If you are a dependable caregiver who is ready to work and willing to travel to clients who need you, this opportunity is for you. Cornerstone Caregiving is seeking male and female caregivers across numerous counties to fill full and part-time roles encompassing across all shifts. Immediate hire opportunities will be present during the event. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Clayton County Government** is hosting a **Clayton County Career Fair** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Mount Zion Baptist Church Activities and Recreation Center** (7101 Mount Zion Boulevard, Jonesboro, GA 30236). Clayton County Government is hiring motivated, energetic people! This is a Clayton connected opportunity to speak directly to county departments and explore career options. Career fair attendees should come interview-ready with their resume, cover letter, and portfolio. [Click here](#) for a flyer to learn more.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Phillips State Prison Hiring Event** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an **October Career and Resource Fair** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Old National Career Center** (6175 Old National Highway, Atlanta, GA 30349). For more information, call 678-554-0412. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **New Life Community Alliance** is hosting a **Fall Career Fair** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **New Life Church** (3592 Flat Shoals Road, Decatur, GA 30034). Take the next step toward your future and connect with employers from a variety of industries who are hiring for full-time, part-time, internship, and career opportunities. Whether you're exploring new career paths, looking for your next job, or ready to grow professionally, this event is your chance to network with recruiters, learn about available positions, and make meaningful connections. Come dressed in professional attire, bring copies of your résumé, and be ready to branch into new opportunities. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **The Recruiting Network** is hosting a **Professional Hiring Event** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **Hyatt Regency Atlanta Perimeter at Villa Christina** (4000 Summit Boulevard, NE, Atlanta, GA 30319). This free event will feature employers looking to hire entry-level, skilled, or experienced job seekers. Dress to impress so you can connect live with HR teams from local and Fortune 500 companies to apply to full and part-time positions. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **TalentALLY** is hosting an **NAACP Virtual Career Fair** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Discover and connect with companies committed to becoming a more inclusive workplace! The Virtual Career Fair easily connects you – from wherever you are – with employers seeking to hire diverse professionals nationwide. It is designed to bring employers and job seekers together virtually for jobs that can be done remotely or on-site. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting an **Employer Spotlight: HCA Healthcare** on Tuesday, October 13th, starting at 1:00 PM. Join Hiring Our Heroes for an employer spotlight with HCA Healthcare. Learn about career paths, military hiring initiatives, and how to navigate opportunities within the company. Bring your questions for live Q&A! [Click here](#) to register via Zoom.
- **Schneider** is hosting a **Truck Driver and Owner-Operator Recruiting Event** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 3:00 PM to 5:30 PM, at the **Georgia Driving Academy** (1035 Sigman Road, NE, Conyers, GA 30012). Whether you're an experienced driver ready for a change or just starting your trucking journey, this recruiting event is designed with you in mind. Stop by for a casual, no-pressure conversation where you can ask questions, explore



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opportunities and get the information you need to make your next move. Your local recruiter will be available to discuss company driving jobs and owner-operator contracting jobs across our portfolio of companies: Schneider, Midwest Logistics Systems, Cowan Systems and M&M Transport Services. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an **Onin Staffing Hiring Event** every Wednesday, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 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 and register.
- **Manor Lake Assisted Living and Memory Care** is hosting a **Job Fair** every Wednesday, from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM, at **Manor Lake BridgeMill** (131 Holly Street, Canton, GA 30114). Looking for a career where you can make a difference every single day? Come join the Manor Lake BridgeMill family. Open roles include Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), PCA, MedTech, and Culinary Staff. Whether you're experienced in senior living or looking for an opportunity to grow, hiring staff would love to meet you! Come meet the team, learn about available opportunities, and see why Manor Lake feels like family. [Click here](#) for a flyer to learn more.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an **ABM Hiring Event** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Old National Career Center** (6175 Old National Highway, Atlanta, GA 30349). For more information, call 678-554-0412. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Career and Resource Fair** on Wednesday, October 14th, 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 and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **SIMOS Hiring Event** on Wednesdays, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Oakwood Career Center** (3715 Mundy Mill Road, Oakwood, GA 30566). For more information, call 770-538-4209. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an **SP+ Parking Hiring Event** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **OMG! That's Good Restaurant and Lounge** is hosting an **Atlanta Job Fair** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM, at **OMG! That's Good Restaurant and Lounge** (2002 Campbellton Road, SW, Atlanta, GA 30311). Are you friendly and dependable with a



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passion for customer service? OMG! That's Good Restaurant and Lounge is seeking Bartenders, Servers, and Line Cooks to join the team. Dress professionals and be ready to discuss your experience and availability. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **CareerEco** is hosting a **Human Services and Social Sciences Career and Grad School Virtual Expo** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This free event is designed to connect human services and social sciences candidates with organizations nationwide. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **U.S. Customs and Border Protection** is hosting a **Virtual Career Expo** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Start a career that makes a difference. The Office of Field Operations has opportunities for those seeking federal law enforcement positions, including entry-level applicants and those with one or more years of law enforcement, security, and/or military experience. Mission-support opportunities are also available for skilled, dedicated professionals. Attendees will have the opportunity to chat one-on-one with recruiters, browse virtual booths and learn insights about life as a CBP Officer. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting a **Virtual Hiring Fair: Healthcare** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Employers are looking for talent from the military community and hiring now 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, working-age dependent military children, and military caregivers. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Supreme Court of the United States** is hosting a **Supreme Court Police – Virtual Recruiting Event** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. You're invited to meet the Supreme Court Police, learn more about a law enforcement career and meet the recruitment team. [Click here](#) to learn more and register via Zoom.
- **TalentAllly** is hosting an **Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. Virtual Career Fair** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM. This event is open to all candidates across the nation, and candidates from diverse backgrounds are encouraged to attend. You do not have to be a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. to participate. Discover and connect with companies committed to becoming a more inclusive workplace! The Virtual Career Fair easily connects you – from wherever you are – with employers seeking to hire diverse professionals nationwide. It is designed to bring employers and job seekers together virtually for jobs that can be done remotely or on-site. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting **Chase Staffing Open Position Interviews** every Thursday, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **Cartersville Career Center** (929 Joe Frank Harris Parkway, SE, Cartersville, GA 30120). For more information, call 770-276-7036. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Decatur Housing Job Fair** on Thursday, October 15th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Community Resource Center – DeKalb Housing Authority** (481 Electric Avenue, Decatur, GA 30030). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Laurel Heights Hospital** is hosting a **Registered Nurse (RN) Hiring Event** on Thursday, October 15th, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Decatur Goodwill Career Center** (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Suite #300, Decatur, GA 30033). Laurel Heights Hospital is committed to providing the highest quality of psychiatric and behavioral care and is looking for compassionate Registered Nurses (RN) to fill full and part-time, day and night-shift roles. During the event, interviews will be offered on-the-spot with the chance of a same-day offer. Call 470-991-1642 or email sherri.lloyd@uhsinc.com to register. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Southside Works** is hosting a **Fall Career Fair** on Thursday, October 15th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at **Pittsburgh Yards** (352 University Avenue, SW, Atlanta, GA 30310). Come meet employers eager to hire South Atlanta residents! Plus learn about no-cost training in technology, logistics, and much more. Whether you're a recent graduate, looking to switch careers, or simply wanting to explore new possibilities, this career fair is the perfect opportunity to network and showcase your skills to potential employers. Get ready to meet representatives from a wide range of industries, including technology, healthcare, finance, and many more. They will be eager to discuss job openings, internships, and career paths within their organizations. Don't forget to bring multiple copies of your resume and dress to impress. This is your chance to make a lasting impression and stand out from the competition. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **CareerEco** is hosting a **Native American and Indigenous Workforce Virtual Career and Graduate Fair** on Thursday, October 15th, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This virtual event is dedicated to connecting Native American and Indigenous students, alumni, and professionals with inclusive employers and graduate programs that value cultural heritage, community leadership, and unique perspectives. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Corporate Gray** is hosting a **Virtual Military-Friendly Job Fair** on Thursday, October 15th, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. The Corporate Gray Virtual Military-Friendly Job Fair — powered by Absolutely American — brings together top employers who actively recruit



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veterans, military spouses, and transitioning service members. This isn't your average job fair; it's a chance to step into a virtual space where top employers are genuinely excited to meet talented, mission-driven individuals like you. Whether you're transitioning out of military service or hunting for your next career adventure, this is where you'll find organizations that see and value your skills, dedication, and one-of-a-kind experience. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **Internal Revenue Service (IRS)** is hosting **IRS Career Opportunities for Veterans and Military Spouses** on Thursday, October 15th, from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM. During this virtual information session, the IRS will provide a comprehensive overview of programs for transitioning service members, veterans and military spouses. The IRS will also discuss internships, deployment & re-integration programs, special hiring appointments, eligibility and documentation requirements for each, and go over application tips, how to apply, and how to create an effective resume. Following the presentation, there will be an open Q&A session where you will be able to ask the Veterans Program Office questions about veteran benefits and career opportunities. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **MARTA** is hosting a **Career Fair** on Thursday, October 15th, from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM, at **MARTA Headquarters** (2424 Piedmont Road, NE, Atlanta, GA 30324). MARTA has available roles for Bus and Rail Operators and Journeyman: Bus Technicians and Track Maintainers. MARTA will train all permit and Class "C" holders for their CDL. Business casual dress is required. A signing bonus will be offered to qualified candidates. [Click here](#) for a flyer containing a QR code to register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Spherion Staffing Hiring Event** on Thursday, October 15th, 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 and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Bartow County Resource and Job Fair** on Thursday, October 15th, from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM, at the **Tabernacle Church** (31 Douglas Street, Cartersville, GA 30120). For more information, call 770-276-7036. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **City of Refuge**, in partnership with **Vets Securing America (VSA)** is hosting a **Security Officer Connection Event** on Friday, October 16th, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **City of Refuge Innovation Hub** (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA 30314). Join this exclusive hiring event where you can connect with recruiters, explore available positions, and learn how you can begin or advance your career in the security industry. Pay rates start at \$14 to \$23 per hour. [Click here](#) to register. [Click here](#) for a flyer.



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- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Georgia Department of Corrections Hiring Event** every Friday, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Stockbridge Career Center** (3871 Highway 138, SE, Stockbridge, GA 30281). For more information, call 678-514-0670. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **JobFairX** is hosting an **Atlanta Technology Virtual Job Fair** on Friday, October 16th, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This event will connect job seekers directly with employers online. Attendees will be able to apply through the platform to employers posting open positions. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Councilwoman Wanda Wallace**, in partnership with the **Accession Distribution Training Center**, is hosting the **1st Annual Workforce and Job Expo** on Saturday, October 17th, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, at the **Riverdale Town Center** (7210 Church Street, Riverdale, GA 30274). The expo offers a valuable opportunity for job seekers and employers in the Riverdale community to connect directly. Attendees can explore workforce resources and discover employment opportunities across various industries. [Click here](#) to learn more and register. [Click here](#) for a flyer.

Future Events

- **JobFairX** is hosting an **Atlanta Entry-Level Virtual Job Fair** on Monday, October 19th, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This event will connect job seekers directly with employers online. Attendees will be able to apply through the platform to employers posting open positions. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Career and Resource Fair** on Tuesday, October 20th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Woodstock Career Center** (9425 Highway 92, Woodstock, GA 30188). For more information, call 770-874-0901. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an **ESS Hiring Event** on Tuesday, October 20th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **East Athens Career Center** (4070 Lexington Road, Athens, GA 30605). For more information, call 706-395-1558. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Multi-Employer Job Fair** on Tuesday, October 20th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Smyrna Career Center** (3205 South Cobb Drive, SE, Smyrna, GA 30080). For more information, call 678-766-8173. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Phillips State Prison Hiring Event** on Tuesday, October 20th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Multiple Employer Job Fair** on Tuesday, October 20th, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Rome Career Center** (154 Hicks Drive, Rome, GA 30161). For more information, call 706-292-3304. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting **Employer Previews: Financial Services Virtual Hiring Fair** on Tuesday, October 20th, starting at 3:00 PM. Get a head start on the Financial Services Virtual Hiring Fair. Join Hiring Our Heroes on Zoom to hear directly from participating employers as they share hiring priorities, locations, and what to expect at the event. [Click here](#) to register.
- **Fulton County Schools** is hosting a **Virtual Open House** on Tuesday, October 20th, from 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM. Fulton County Schools is seeking Teachers of all content and grade levels. During this event, attendees will have the opportunity to chat with recruiters about available positions within South Fulton, Fairburn, Union City and Palmetto districts. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an **Associated Credit Union Job and Resource Fair** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Decatur Career Center** (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Decatur, GA 30033). For more information, call 706-292-3304. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia**, in partnership with the **@Promise Center**, is hosting a **Fall Forward: Career and Opportunity Fair** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **@Promise Center** (2175 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, SW, Atlanta, GA 30310). You must be registered with @promise to attend. [Click here](#) to register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Job Fair** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Springfield Baptist Church** (1877 Iris Drive, SE, Conyers, GA 30013). For more information, call 678-514-0670. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Unifi Hiring Event** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **LinkedUP Church**, in partnership with **Kennesaw State University**, is hosting a **Job Fair: Connecting People to Employers** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 10:30 AM to 2:30 PM, at the **LinkedUP Church** (4331 Brownsville Road, Powder Springs, GA 30127). Don't miss this fourth annual fall hiring event that will feature over 50 employers as well as resources. [Click here](#) for a flyer. [Click here](#) to register.
- **Hire Heroes USA** is hosting an **Employer Showcase: BJC Health** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Are you interested in a career in the healthcare industry? Don't miss this virtual Employer Showcase with BJC Health. As the largest healthcare provider, employer, and nonprofit in the region, BJC Health makes it their mission to create the most fulfilling work environment possible. Learn more about the organization and career opportunities aligned with your skills and interests. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting a **Virtual Hiring Fair: Financial Services** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM. 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, working-age dependent military children, and military caregivers. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS)** is hosting a **Job Fair** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at the **S. Truett Cathy Professional Learning Center** (1087 Battle Creek Road, Jonesboro, GA 30236). Help shape the future, every route, every student, every day with Clayton County Public Schools. Open roles include School Bus Driver, School Bus Monitor, and Diesel Mechanic. CCPS offers competitive pay, flexible scheduling, training provided along with a supportive team, and much more. [Click here](#) for a flyer to learn more.
- The **City of Refuge** is hosting a **Job Fair** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **City of Refuge** (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA 30374). Attendees can find a diverse array of employment opportunities at this job fair, meet hiring and HR managers, and participate in on-site interviews with multiple employers. [Click here](#) to register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Doraville Works Career Fair** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Doraville Career Center** (5600 Buford Highway, NE, Doraville, GA 30340). For more information, call 404-554-9550. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Choice Career Fairs** is hosting an **Atlanta Career Fair** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Hilton Garden Inn Atlanta Perimeter Center** (1501 Lake Hearn Drive,



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NE, Atlanta, GA 30319). Are you ready to take your career to the next level? Don't miss this upcoming career fair and connect with top employers in your area! Meet face-to-face with recruiters while you explore open job opportunities and learn about what it's like to work at different companies. This is your opportunity to discover new career paths, learn about job openings, and make connections that can help you advance in your career. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Health and Rehabilitation Job Fair** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Commerce Public Library** (1344 South Broad Street, Commerce, GA 30529). For more information, call 706-894-4905. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **G.I. Jobs** is hosting a **Military Friendly Virtual Job Fair** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Explore hot jobs while you chat with military friendly recruiters who know the value that veterans bring to their organizations. Attendees will be able to apply for positions and connect with recruiters one-on-one. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **MUST Ministries**, in partnership with **Employ Partners**, is hosting a **Job Fair** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM, at **MUST Ministries** (111 Brown Industrial Highway, Canton, GA 30114). Employ Partners has open roles in Accounts Payable, Bookkeeping, Customer Service, Call Center, Assembly, Maintenance, and more. Pay ranges from \$16 to \$30 per hour. Please bring a current resume. Contact wd@mustministries.org for more information. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- **TalentAllly** is hosting a **Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Virtual Career Fair** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM. The Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Virtual Career Fair is open to all candidates across the nation, and candidates from diverse backgrounds are encouraged to attend. You do not have to be a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. to participate. Discover and connect with companies committed to becoming a more inclusive workplace! The Virtual Career Fair easily connects you – from wherever you are – with employers seeking to hire diverse professionals nationwide. It is designed to bring employers and job seekers together virtually for jobs that can be done remotely or on-site. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **American Classic Agency (ACA)** is hosting an **ACA Opportunity Event – Atlanta** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM, at **JW Marriott Atlanta Buckhead** (3300 Lenox Road, NE, Atlanta, GA 30326). Ready to explore new opportunities? Come meet industry pros and connect with like-minded folks in person. This event is packed with great vibes, networking chances, and useful insights all happening right in the heart of Atlanta.



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Don't miss out on an awesome day to boost your skills and make valuable connections. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Schneider** is hosting a **Truck Driver and Owner-Operator Recruiting Event** on Monday, October 26th, from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM, at **Schneider** (3300 International Park Drive, SE, Atlanta, GA 30316). Whether you're an experienced driver ready for a change or just starting your trucking journey, this recruiting event is designed with you in mind. Stop by for a casual, no-pressure conversation where you can ask questions, explore opportunities and get the information you need to make your next move. Your local recruiter will be available to discuss company driving jobs and owner-operator contracting jobs across our portfolio of companies: Schneider, Midwest Logistics Systems, Cowan Systems and M&M Transport Services. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Construction Ready** is hosting a **Hiring Fair** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at **Sweetwater Mission, Inc.** (6130 Hotel Street, Austell, GA 30106). Construction Ready connects motivated individuals with the training, credentials, and career opportunities to succeed in construction. During this event, meet face-to-face with companies that are hiring right now and explore in-demand trades to help you build a stronger future. Call 770-710-6233 for more information. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an **ABM Hiring Event** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Old National Career Center** (6175 Old National Highway, Atlanta, GA 30349). For more information, call 678-554-0412. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Multi-Business Job Fair** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **Cartersville Career Center** (929 Joe Frank Harris Parkway, SE, Cartersville, GA 30120). For more information, call 770-276-7036. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Pathways to Employment 2nd Chance Job and Resource Fair** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 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 and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Phillips State Prison Hiring Event** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- **Schneider** is hosting a **Truck Driver and Owner-Operator Recruiting Event** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at **Goodwill Stockbridge** (3863 Highway 138, SE, Stockbridge, GA 30281). Whether you're an experienced driver ready for a change or just starting your trucking journey, this recruiting event is designed with you in mind. Stop by for a casual, no-pressure conversation where you can ask questions, explore opportunities and get the information you need to make your next move. Your local recruiter will be available to discuss company driving jobs and owner-operator contracting jobs across our portfolio of companies: Schneider, Midwest Logistics Systems, Cowan Systems and M&M Transport Services. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **TeamWork Online** is hosting the **AMB Sports & Entertainment Career Expo** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Mercedes-Benz Stadium** (1 AMB Drive, NW, Atlanta, GA 30313). Hiring managers from the Atlanta Falcons, Atlanta United FC, AMB Sports & Entertainment, and more want to meet you! Hiring managers from these teams and more are ready to meet passionate candidates and share their open employment opportunities. Learn about each organization and gain insight into the sports industry while you network with top executives in the area. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **JobFairX** is hosting an **Atlanta Veteran Virtual Job Fair** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This event will connect job seekers directly with employers online. Attendees will be able to apply through the platform to employers posting open positions. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting an **Employer Spotlight: Nucor** on Tuesday, October 27th, starting at 1:00 PM. Join in for an employer spotlight with Nucor to learn about career paths, military hiring initiatives, and how to navigate opportunities within the company. Bring your questions for live Q&A. [Click here](#) to register via Zoom.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting **Employer Previews: Logistics, Skilled Trades & Transportation Virtual Hiring Fair** on Tuesday, October 27th, starting at 3:00 PM. Get a head start before the Logistics, Skilled Trades, and Transportation Virtual Hiring Fair. During this virtual session, you'll gain early access to company insights, explore career pathways, and connect with recruiters. Don't miss this chance to build connections, gather valuable information, and prepare for the main event. [Click here](#) to register.
- **Fulton County Schools** is hosting a **Virtual Open House** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM. Fulton County Schools is seeking Teachers of all content and grade levels. During this event, attendees will have the opportunity to chat with recruiters about available positions within the East Point, Hapeville, and College Park districts. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Georgia Department of Juvenile Justice Hiring Event** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Stockbridge Career Center** (3871 Highway 138, SE, Stockbridge, GA 30281). For more information, call 678-514-0670. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Multi-Industry Job Fair** on Wednesday, October 28th, 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 and register.
- **Hire Heroes USA** is hosting an **Industry Showcase: Defense** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Hear directly from three defense industry representatives about current opportunities, industry insights, and frequently asked questions about pursuing a career in defense. Topics will include resume revision, interview preparation, networking, security clearances, and job search strategies. This session will be open to all transitioning service members, veterans, and military spouses who want an inside look at career opportunities in the defense industry. Attendees will have the opportunity to engage with representatives through the chat and Q&A, making this a great chance to learn more, get your questions answered, and connect with potential employers. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting a **Virtual Hiring Fair: Logistics, Skilled Trades, and Transportation** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM. 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, working-age dependent military children, and military caregivers. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an **Opportunity Meets Talent Job Fair** on Thursday, October 29th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Spherion Staffing Hiring Event** on Thursday, October 29th, 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 and register.



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- The **Military Officers Association of America (MOAA)** is hosting a **Virtual Career Fair and Hiring Event** on Friday, October 30th, from 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM. Transitioning from uniformed service? Military spouse with a career on the move? Making a foreseen or unforeseen career pivot? Join in for an exclusive virtual networking, career, and hiring event featuring military-friendly and veteran-ready employers. Throughout the event, you'll be able to engage in 1-on-1 chats with talent acquisition professionals and recruiters from companies across various industries and sectors. Be sure you are camera-ready, as the platform supports audio and video functionality: The employer may want to interview you on the spot! [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Georgia Baptist Association of Nursing Students (GBANS)**, in partnership with the **Center for Career and Professional Development**, is hosting the **2026 Nursing Career Fair** on Monday, November 2nd, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at **Mercer College of Nursing Building** (3001 Mercer University Drive, Atlanta, G 30341). Connect with healthcare employers and explore career opportunities in nursing during this exciting event. Attendees will have the chance to meet with healthcare recruiters, explore employment and nurse residency opportunities, and share resumes while making professional connections. Professional attire is encourage. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Fulton County Schools** is hosting a **Virtual Open House** on Tuesday, November 3rd, from 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM. Fulton County Schools is seeking Teachers of all content and grade levels. During this event, attendees will have the opportunity to chat with recruiters about available positions within the Sandy Springs and Roswell districts. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **CareerEco** is hosting a **Neurodiversity Virtual Career Fair** on Wednesday, November 4th, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Join in for a unique virtual career fair designed to connect individuals across the talent spectrum with forward-thinking employers who value inclusivity. Whether you're just starting your career journey or looking for your next great opportunity, this fair is a place to be seen, heard, and valued for who you are. This event is dedicated to creating a space where individuals with autism, ADHD, dyslexia, Tourette's, and other neurodivergent identities can explore job opportunities, network with inclusive companies, and discover career resources tailored to support their strengths. [Click here](#) to register.
- **JobFairX** is hosting an **Atlanta Healthcare Virtual Job Fair** on Wednesday, November 4th, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This event will connect job seekers directly with employers online. Attendees will be able to apply through the platform to employers posting open positions. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- **CareerEco** is hosting **Explore Careers in Higher Ed – All Roles & Experience Levels** on Wednesday, November 4th, from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM. Connect with employers hiring from the comfort of your own home. [Click here](#) to register.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting a **Virtual Hiring Fair: Operations and Management** on Wednesday, November 4th, from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Employers are looking for talent from the military community and hiring for hundreds 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, working-age dependent military children, and military caregivers. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hire Heroes USA** is hosting a **Virtual Career Fair** on Thursday, November 5th, from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Are you a transitioning service member, veteran, or military spouse seeking new career opportunities? This event is tailored to connect you with leading organizations interested in hiring from our esteemed military community. Experience a dynamic and convenient online platform designed to bridge the gap between your unique skills and potential employers. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Construction Ready** is hosting a **Hiring Fair** on Tuesday, November 10th, from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at ONE Contemporary Gallery (395 Edgewood Avenue, Atlanta, GA 30312). Construction Ready connects motivated individuals with the training, credentials, and career opportunities to succeed in construction. During this event, meet face-to-face with companies that are hiring right now and explore in-demand trades to help you build a stronger future. Call 770-710-6233 for more information. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- **CareerEco** is hosting a **STEM Virtual Career and Grad Fair** on Tuesday, November 10th, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This event will connect students, recent graduates, and early-career professionals with leading employers and graduate programs in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics fields. This event is open to candidates of all academic backgrounds and degree levels who are interested in exploring or advancing a STEM-focused career or graduate education. [Click here](#) to register.
- **TalentAllly** is hosting a **Celebrate Veterans Career Fair** on Tuesday, November 10th, from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM. This event is open to all candidates across the nation, and candidates from diverse backgrounds are encouraged to attend. Discover and connect with companies committed to becoming a more inclusive workplace! This event easily connects you – from wherever you are – with employers seeking to hire diverse professionals nationwide. It is designed to bring employers and job seekers together virtually for jobs that can be done remotely or on-site. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)** is hosting **Connecting Veterans & Military Spouses – Public Service Opportunities** on Tuesday, November 17th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Are you a veteran or military spouse interested in career opportunities with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)? Join HHS recruiters for a virtual webinar designed to help you better understand the federal hiring process and explore meaningful career opportunities where your skills and experience can make an impact. Whether you're new to federal employment or looking to strengthen your application, HHS recruiters will share practical guidance to help you navigate the process with confidence. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

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New Posting

- **Clayton County Parks and Recreation** is hiring **Lifeguards**. Earn up to \$15.50 per hour and free certification training will be provided. [Click here](#) for a flyer to learn more.
- **Clayton County Public Schools** is seeking candidates for the following positions: **School Bus Driver, School Bus Monitor, and Diesel Mechanic**. [Click here](#) to learn about a hiring event on October 21st.
- **Cornerstone Caregiving** is seeking dependable **Caregivers**. [Click here](#) to learn about a hiring event on October 13th and 14th.
- **Fulton County Schools** has positions open for **Teachers** of all content and grade levels.
 - [Click here](#) to learn about an open house on October 20th for South Fulton, Fairburn, Union City, & Palmetto districts.
 - [Click here](#) to learn about an open house on October 27th for East Point, College Park, and Hapeville districts.
 - [Click here](#) to learn about an open house on November 3rd for Sandy Springs and Roswell districts.
- **Laurel Heights Hospital** has immediate openings for **Registered Nurses (RN)** to fill both full and part-time, day and night-shift roles. [Click here](#) to learn about a hiring event on October 15th.



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- **MARTA** has available roles for **Bus** and **Rail Operators** and **Journeyman: Bus Technicians** and **Track Maintainers**. MARTA will train all permit and Class “C” holders for their CDL. [Click here](#) to learn about a hiring event on October 15th.
- **OMG! That’s Good Restaurant and Lounge** is seeking **Bartenders, Servers, and Line Cooks**. [Click here](#) to learn about a hiring event on October 14th.
- **Schneider** has available positions for **Truck Drivers** and **Owner-Operators**.
 - [Click here](#) to learn about a hiring event in Conyers, GA on October 13th.
 - [Click here](#) to learn about a hiring event in Atlanta, GA on October 26th.
 - [Click here](#) to learn about a hiring event in Stockbridge, GA on October 27th.
- The **Superior Court of Fulton County** is seeking candidates to fill the following positions: [Court Reporter](#), [Judicial Officer - Independent Contractor](#), [Litigation Manager - Appointed](#), [Judicial Officer - Independent Contractor](#), [Behavioral Health Assistant](#), [Behavioral Health Clinician](#), [Senior Staff Attorney - Appointed](#) and more. [Click here](#) to see all available positions.
- **U.S. Customs and Border Protection** is seeking **CBP Officers** with law enforcement and/or military experience. [Click here](#) to learn about a hiring event on October 14th.
- **Vets Securing America (VSA)** is seeking armed and unarmed **Security Officers**. Pay rates start at \$14 to \$23 per hour. [Click here](#) to learn about a hiring event on October 16th.

Ongoing Postings

- **Aerotek** is seeking candidates to fill positions for **Travel Lathe Machinist, Travel Millwright, Facilities Maintenance Technician**, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.
- **Allied Universal** is seeking **Security Officers, SIU Investigators, Surveillance Investigator**, and candidates for related positions in the Atlanta area. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **AmeriPro EMS** is seeking **Emergency Medical Dispatchers, Field Training Officers, EMT, Paramedics** and more. [Click here](#) for the job description for the Emergency Medical Technician. [Click here](#) for a job description for Paramedics. [Click here](#) to apply.



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- **Atlanta Botanical Garden Inc.** is seeking to fill positions for **Horticulturist Assistant, Dishwasher, Server, Host, Seasonal Ticket Specialist**, and more. [Click here](#) for more information.
- 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. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.
- The **Atlanta Hawks** have full-time openings for the following positions: **Sustainability Coach, Seasonal Assistant, Lead Electrician, Security Officer, Membership Sales Associate**, 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 **Mail Clerk, Benefits Navigator Generalist, Janitor, Resident Program Advisor** candidates and more at multiple locations. [Click here](#) 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 **Registered Nurse, Clinical Coordinator, Occupational Therapist, Community Liaison** and more. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.
- **Buckhead Center for Nursing and Healing** is seeking candidates to fill **Director of Nursing, RN Wound Care Director, Physical Therapist, Dietary Aide, 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. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **City of Atlanta** has immediate openings for **Interns** (various departments), **Project Manager, Fleet Service Writer**, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **City of Atlanta Department of Corrections** is seeking candidates to fill positions for **Assistant Director, Airport Engineer, Warrants Technician, Project Manager** and other roles. [Click here](#) to learn more.



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- **Cobb County Government** is seeking candidates for **Building Trades Technician, Administrative Specialist, Animal Services Officer, Application Engineer** positions, amongst others. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Coca-Cola** has the following positions available in the Atlanta area: **Transportation Specialist, Software Engineering Group Manager, Data Engineer**, and many more. [Click here](#) to view all open positions in Atlanta.
- **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: **Specialty Pharmacy Technician, Grad Pharmacist, Pharmacy Intern, Registered Nurse**. [Click here](#) to see the list of positions in the Atlanta area. Job seekers can [click here](#) to apply online.
- **DeKalb County Government** has numerous openings for the following positions: **Police Officer, Firefighter, Paramedic, E911 Communication Officer, Sheriff's Deputy, Building Engineer, Heavy Equipment Operator, Permits Manager, Refuse Driver**, and many more. [Click here](#) to see all available positions and to apply.
- **Delta Airlines** has immediate openings for **Flight Attendant, Aircraft Support Mechanic, Analytics Specialist**, (various departments) and more. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.
- **Devereux Advanced Behavioral Health** is seeking candidates to fill roles at the Lawrenceville location for **Certified Teacher, Residential Nurse, Clinical Therapist**, and more. Positions open at the Kennesaw location include **Executive Assistant, Certified Teacher, Direct Support Professional**, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Emory University** is seeking the following positions: **Landscaping Crew Leader, Supply Chain Technician, Maintenance Mechanic** and other positions. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Empire Care Centers** has numerous openings for **CNAs, LPNs, Physical Therapists, Occupational Therapists**, and **RNs** at their Canton, Cherokee, Cartersville, Austell, Decatur, and Atlanta centers. [Click here](#) to see all available positions.
- **Encompass Health** is seeking candidates to fill positions for **Infection Preventionist, Respiratory Therapy Supervisor, Nurse Supervisor** and more. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.



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- **FedEx** is seeking candidates for 50+ positions in the Atlanta region including **Retail Assistant Manager, Sales Intern, Material Handler, Courier**, 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 (302 Decatur Street, SE, Suite #103, Atlanta, GA 30312). [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **Georgia Department of Community Health** is seeking candidates for **Auditor, Compliance Nurse** 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. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.
- The **Georgia Department of Public Health** is seeking **Support Services Worker, Public Health Nursing Supervisor, Registered Nurse (RN)** and more in the Atlanta area. 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. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.
- **Georgia Tech** is seeking candidates for **Accompanist, Administrative Manager, Federal Work Study** 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 **Senior Controller, Payroll Specialist, Sanitation Worker, Warehouse Supervisor**, 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 **Sales and Service, Environmental Service Technician, Retail Assistant Store Manager**, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.



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- **Gordon Food Service** is seeking **Domain Application Architect, Warehouse Selector, Outside Sales Representative, Receiving Clerk** and candidates for other positions. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Grady Hospital** is seeking to fill openings for **Registered Nurses (RN), Certified Nursing Assistants (CNA), Licensed Practical Nurses (LPN), Respiratory Therapist, Nurse Supervisors, Charge Nurses**, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more and see other 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: **General Labor, Certified Flagger, Installation Technician, Skilled Worker** and more. [Click here](#) for more information.
- **Inline Plastics**, a next generation food packaging company, is hiring several **Production & Distribution** positions at its McDonough Facilities to include **Production Manager, Machinist, Process Technician**, and more. [Click here](#) 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: **Pharmacist, Front End Courtesy Clerk, Grocery Night Clerk, Pharmacy Tech**. [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: **Warehouse Associate, Sales Associate, Driver, Team Member**. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **MARTA** is seeking the following positions: **Bus Trans Operator, Car Repair Inspector, Social Media Specialist, Bus Maintenance Supervisor** and more. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.
- **Microsoft** has 50+ positions available in the Atlanta area from **Principal Technical Program Manager, Digital Specialist, Senior Accounting Manager** and more. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.



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- **Newrest**, a catering and food services solutions company, is hiring **QHSE Coordinator, Safety Auditor, Accounts Payable Assistant, Driver** and other positions in support of operations at **Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport**. [Click here](#) to learn more about career opportunities with Newrest.
- **Northeast Georgia Health System** is seeking the following positions: **Registered Nurses, Licensed Practical Nurses, Certified Nursing Assistants** and more. [Click here](#) 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 **Maintenance Tech, Maintenance Helper, Route Service Representative, Housekeeper**, and other positions in the Atlanta area. [Click here](#) to see available positions.
- **PEPSICO** is seeking candidates for the following positions: **Maintenance Technician, Dryfold Worker, Soil Sort, Distribution Manager**, and more. Veterans are encouraged to apply. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.
- **Piedmont Hospital** is seeking to fill **Registered Nurse, Patient Transporter, Financial Care Agent, Lab Assistant, Patient Care Tech** and more positions at the Atlanta, Stockbridge, and Snellville locations. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.
- **Pratt Industries, Inc.** is hiring for its **Corrugating Division** located in Atlanta, GA. The company is seeking candidates for the following positions: **Flatbed CDL-A Driver, Forklift Operator, Machine Operator, Production Supervisor** and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **PruittHealth**, the 14th 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, Therapy Managers, Physical Therapy Assistants, Speech Therapists, Cooks**, and more. [Click here](#) to view current job openings.
- **Rogers**, one of the nation's leading facility service providers, is seeking candidates for **Construction Electrician**, and other positions in the Atlanta area. [Click here](#) to learn more.



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- **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. [Click here](#) for job details and a link to apply.
- **Somerby Sandy Springs Senior Living** is seeking to fill positions for **Cook, Maintenance Technician, Caregiver, Med Tech, Housekeeper**, and 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, Medical Assistant** and more at the Atlanta location. Open positions at the Alpharetta location include **Medical Assistant, Accounts Payable Lead, Regional Medical Director**, and more. [Click here](#) to view all current openings.
- **Southern Company** is seeking candidates for the following positions: **Category Manager, Pricing Data Analyst, Financial Analyst, Survey Technician**, and more. [Click here](#) to view all current openings.
- **Sunrise Senior Living** is seeking candidates to fill positions for **Caregiver, Server**, and more at their Sandy Springs location. [Click here](#) to see all open positions.
- **Swissport** is seeking candidates to fill positions for **Warehouse Agent, Heavy Equipment Mechanic**, and more. [Click here](#) to see view open positions.
- The **Home Depot** is seeking candidates for more than 800+ positions in the Atlanta area. This includes positions in **Sales Specialist, Customer Service, Kitchen Designer, Operations Manager, Software Engineer** and more. Remote positions are available. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Unifi** has numerous positions open in the Atlanta and surrounding areas to include **Wheelchair Recovery Agent, Corporate Finance Manager, Airport Tug Operator, Senior HR Manager, Airport CDL Bus Operators, Benefits Manager, Overnight Ramp Supervisor** and more. [Click here](#) to view these and other open positions.
- **UPS** is seeking candidates for several positions in the Atlanta area: **Operations Excellence Supervisor, Trailer Repair Person, Journeyman Mechanic**, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.



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- The **U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs** has 200+ job openings in the Atlanta area. The VA is seeking candidates for the following positions: **Physician, Staff Psychologist, Radiologist, Medical Records Technician, Staff Dentist, Dental Hygienist** and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Waffle House** is seeking candidates for the following positions: **Cook/Grill Operator, Server/Wait Staff, Host/Hostess, Shift Supervisor, Restaurant Manager, Event Support Associate** and **Maintenance Technician**. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Walgreens** is seeking candidates for 200+ positions in the Atlanta area, including **Customer Service Associate, District Pharmacy Supervisor, Inventory Specialist, Pharmacy Supervisor**, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Walmart** is seeking candidates for dozens of positions in the Atlanta area including **Pharmacy Technician, Meat/Produce Associate, Food/Consumable Team Supervisor, Online Order Filling and Delivery**, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more and enter your city location to see opportunities near you.
- **Waste Management** is seeking candidates for the following positions: **Operations Manager, CDL Driver Residential, CDL Truck Driver**, 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, Physician, Certified Nurse Practitioner**, and **Licensed Practical Nurse**. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Zoo Atlanta** is seeking candidates for the following positions: **Security Patrol, Membership Sales Associate, Animal Care Manager, Bamboo Tech, Elephant Keeper, EMT**, and more. [Click here](#) to view additional posts.

Paid Training Opportunities

- **Apprenticeship USA** offers a tool to search for apprenticeship jobs and programs across Atlanta and the surrounding areas. Users can filter by program type, skills required, and date posted. [Click here](#) to access the website.
- **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



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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.

- **Georgia Power** is seeking candidates for their **Lineworker Entry Program**. No experience is required; 6-weeks of paid training will be provided. The first step is admittance into the entry program. Once completed, participants will move on to working as a Lineworker Apprentice, earning great pay while learning the ropes. The career progression moves on to Journeyman Lineworker (\$100,000 pay per year) and then Crew Leader. This program offers not only a stable job, but competitive pay, excellent benefits, and a clear path of career growth. [Click here](#) for a flyer containing a QR code to register.
- **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 www.careerconnector.org 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 **Youth R.I.S.E – Reaching Independence through Skills & Employment**, 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.
- **WorkSource Georgia** is hosting **Level UP: A YouthBuild Initiative** - an innovative earn-and-learn pre-apprenticeship program designed to empower young adults with the education, industry-recognized certifications, hands-on training, and real-world experience needed to build successful careers in the skilled trades and other high-demand industries. Through



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comprehensive construction skills training, leadership development, community service projects, personalized career coaching, and supportive services, participants gain the tools, confidence, and experience necessary to thrive in today's workforce. Upon successful completion, participants are positioned for apprenticeship placement, employment opportunities, or military enlistment, creating multiple pathways to long-term career success and economic mobility. This program is designed for young adults, ages 16-24 and a weekly stipend will be provided. Program orientations are held every Monday, and participants are enrolled every day. Call 770-528-4300 for more information and to get started today. [Click here](#) to learn more and register. [Click here](#) for a flyer.

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. [Click here](#) 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 maintains a job board and internship board. [Click here](#) to access.
- **Connect to Work GA**, powered by **Skills for America's Future** and the **Metro Atlanta Chamber**, serves as the direct link between applicants and employers. [Click here](#) for current open roles with employer partners.
- **Explore Gwinnett** (the marketing brand of the Gwinnett Convention and Visitors Bureau) is Gwinnett County's official tourism organization dedicated to marketing Gwinnett as a destination for conventions, sporting events, meetings, and leisure travel. Explore Gwinnett maintains a job board for Gwinnett area hospitality related jobs. [Click here](#) to access.
- **Fast Lane to Jobs** offers a directory of construction companies actively hiring throughout all areas of Georgia. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- 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.



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- 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.
- **HonestJobs.com** provides a resource to find fair-chance Jobs and other supportive services for those looking for re-entry into the workforce. This website also features a learning hub with access to online courses to help people with criminal records overcome commonly faced challenges. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **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. [Click here](#) 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 employment resources.
- **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. [Click here](#) 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.
- **SHRM – Atlanta** maintains a job board for human resources professionals. [Click here](#) to access.
- **Team Georgia** connects career seekers with diverse opportunities across more than 100 State of Georgia entities. [Click here](#) to access.



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- **The Reserves Network's** mobile app, **ReserveAJob**, makes 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. [Click here](#) 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. [Click here](#) to access.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

NOTE: Before attending an event, it is highly recommended to confirm event plans with the event host.

Events This Week

- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **CDL-A Skills Orientation** starting Monday, October 12th through Friday, October 16th, from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM, at the **Woodstock Career Center** (9425 Highway 92, Woodstock, GA 30188). For more information, call 770-874-0901. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** hosts an **English as a Second Language Class** on Mondays and Wednesdays, from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM, at the **Decatur Career Center** (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Decatur, GA 30033). For more information, call 404-554-9600. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **DeKalb County Public Library** hosts **GED Study Time** every Monday and Wednesday, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Stonecrest Library** (3123 Klondike Road, Lithonia, GA 30038). The library will have a dedicated study space for those wishing to study for the GED. Chromebooks will be available during all sessions as well as an in-person tutor from Georgia Piedmont College. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting **Monday Morning Computer Classes** each Monday, from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM, at the **Smyrna Career Center** (3205 South Cobb Drive, SE, Smyrna, GA 30080). For more information, call 678-766-8173. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Supply Chain Management Skills Orientation** on Monday, October 12th and Tuesday, October 13th, from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at the **East Athens Career Center** (4070 Lexington Road, Athens, GA 30605). For more information, call 706-395-1558. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **North Fulton Community Charities (NFCC)** hosts **Free Job and Financial Coaching** Monday through Thursday, from 10:00 AM to 7:00 PM, at the **NFCC Barbara Duffy Center** (11270 Elkins Road, Roswell, GA 30076). NFCC also offers satellite job coaching on Fridays, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **World Harvest Church** (320 Hardscrabble Road, Roswell, GA 30075). NFCC provides one-on-one coaching to help individuals become more financially stable by improving how they manage their money and helping them find better jobs. Whether you need help with your resume or want to create better spending habits, NFCC coaches will provide guidance and support as you work towards your financial and career goals. [Click here](#) to learn more. [Click here](#) to register.
- **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.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Training Information Session** on Mondays, from 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM, at the **East Athens Career Center** (4070 Lexington Road, Athens, GA 30605). For more information, call 706-395-1558. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** hosts **ESL/English Classes: Intermediate and Advanced Level** every Monday, from 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM, at the **Alpharetta Branch** (10 Park Plaza, Alpharetta, GA 30009). Improve your English and meet your neighbors. No registration or entry exam is required. Students may join any time during the year. This is a free event open to all adults. Email Michael.salpeter@fultoncountyga.gov for more information. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Resume Assistance** class on Mondays, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** hosts a variety of virtual career development, digital skills technology, and financial workshops each month. Examples of topics covered in the **career development workshops** include resume building, interview preparation, and job searching. Examples of topics covered in **digital skills workshops** include utilizing MS Office and Google



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Suite tools. Examples of topics covered in **financial workshops** include budgeting, understanding your credit report, planning for an emergency, and planning for retirement. In addition to virtual options, these workshops may also be concurrently available onsite at a Goodwill Career Center located near you. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Resumes and Cover Letters** – Monday, October 12th, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM
 - **Resume Workshop: Spanish** – Tuesday, October 13th, from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM
 - **Networking Workshop** – Wednesday, October 14th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM
 - **Finding Remote Employment** – Thursday, October 15th, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM
 - **Careers Without College** – Friday, October 16th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM
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- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Training Program Information Session** every Monday, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM and every Wednesday, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at the **Cartersville Career Center** (929 Joe Frank Harris Parkway, SE, Cartersville, GA 30120). For more information, call 770-276-7036. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
 - The **Peace Corps** offers a virtual **Daily Live Chat: Discover the Peace Corps** every weekday, starting at 1:00 PM. During this session, attendees can connect with a Peace Corps recruiter and learn how they can make a difference. A quick overview of service opportunities will be presented along with the chance to ask individual questions and receive immediate answers. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
 - **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an in-person **Application Day Assistance** every Monday, from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM, at the **Oakwood Career Center** (3715 Mundy Mill Road, Oakwood, GA 30566). For more information, call 770-538-4209. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
 - **Goodwill of North Georgia**, in partnership with the **@Promise Center**, is hosting a **Youth Job Placement Readiness Session** every Monday, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at the **@Promise Center** (2175 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, SW, Atlanta, GA 30310). This class is geared towards participants ages 16 to 24 years old. You must be registered with @promise to attend. [Click here](#) to register.
 - The **Fulton County Library System** hosts a **Public Speaking for Teens** class every Monday, from 6:30 PM to 7:45 PM, at the **Northeast/Spruill Oaks Branch** (9560 Spruill Road, Johns Creek, GA 30022). Learn public speaking, communication and leadership skills at this interactive event that is open to those ages 10-17 years old. This event is limited to 15 students. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
 - The **Latin American Association (LAA)** hosts **Spanish Classes** Monday through Thursday, with options for both in-person at the **Latin American Association** (2750 Buford Highway,



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NE, Atlanta, GA 30324) or online. For more than 15 years, the Latin American Association has been an expert provider of Spanish language and cultural instruction in Atlanta. Start learning Spanish today with the LAA! The LAA's language classes are comfortable and interactive, thanks to expert instructors. The LAA boasts experienced instructors ready to teach in a virtual or traditional classroom environment. Choose from private instruction starting at six hours a session or a fun, topical group class to learn new vocabulary, refresh on grammar structures, or practice your Spanish conversation skills. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **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.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **GED Class** on Tuesdays, from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM, at the **Oakwood Career Center** (3715 Mundy Mill Road, Oakwood, GA 30566). For more information, call 770-538-4209. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Urban League of Greater Atlanta** is hosting a **Weekly Community Information Session** virtually every Tuesday, starting at 9:30 AM. This event will provide attendees with information about the programs and services that the Urban League of Greater Atlanta provides to include career exploration, programs for returning citizens, older youth and young adult programs, homebuyer education workshops, upskilling for higher paying employment and more. [Click here](#) to register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** hosts a **Mobile Career Center** every first Tuesday of the month, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Palmetto Branch Library** (9111 Cascade Palmetto Highway, Palmetto, GA 30268). Join the Fulton County Library System once a month for a career assistance program that includes job search assistance, resume writing, job training, and digital training. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Training Program Information Session** on Tuesdays, from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM, at the **Rome Career Center** (154 Hicks Drive, Rome, GA 30161). For more information, call 706-292-3304. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Southside Works** is hosting a **Career Fair Prep Session** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at **The Study Hall** (101 Crew Street, SW, Atlanta, GA 30315). Need some last-minute resume help or networking tips before you attend the Southside Works Career Fair? This event will provide attendees with tips on how to maximize the career fair



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experience, such as defining personal brands, crafting a strong resume, and how to make a strong first impression. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Westside Works**, powered by **CareerRise**, hosts a **Drop-In Career Advisement** event every Tuesday and Thursday, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at **Westside Works** (261 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, Atlanta, GA 30314). Need guidance on your career journey? Register to speak with a career advisor for free during these new drop-in hours. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an **Application Assistance** class on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** hosts a **Training Program Information Session** every Tuesday, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 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.
- The **Atlanta Center for Self Sufficiency (ACSS)** is hosting **Elevate: Get Started! Get Trained! Get Hired!** every Tuesday, from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM at **Forest Park Elevate** (819 Forest Parkway, Suite D, Forest Park, GA 30297). Elevate is a free, comprehensive workforce development program supporting individuals experiencing homelessness, unemployed or underemployed residents of Forest Park. This session will introduce you to the many services available, including training, career coaching, and job placement, with support every step of the way. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting a **Resume Lab** on Tuesdays, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM, at the **Adams Park Branch** (2231 Campbellton Road, Atlanta, GA 30311). This class will help attendees learn how to create, organize, and layout their resumes. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Goodwill Training Program Information Session** every Tuesday, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at the **Old National Career Center** (6175 Old National Highway, Atlanta, GA 30349). For more information, call 678-554-0412. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Military Officers Association of America (MOAA)** is hosting **Seize Your Future: Write to Influence** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Every email, each version on your résumé, every proposal you pitch, every idea you put on paper is a chance to move



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someone — to say yes, to act, to believe you. Col. Carla Bass, USAF (Ret), author of [Write to Influence!](#), will host a live workshop outlining the exact techniques persuasive writers use to turn ordinary emails, proposals, and pitches into tools that get results. Whether you're closing deals, leading teams, building a brand, or just tired of watching your best ideas get overlooked, your future is written by the words you put out into the world. Don't miss this chance to make them count. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **Fulton County Library System** hosts a **Professional Resume and Cover Letter** class on Tuesdays, from 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM, at the **Dogwood Branch** (1838 Donald Lee Hollowell Parkway, NW, Atlanta, GA 30318). This event will provide tips and strategies for creating a standout resume and cover letter and it is free and open to the public. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting a **Job Search Café** every first and third Tuesday of the month, from 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM, at the **Martin Luther King Jr. Branch** (409 John Wesley Dobbs Avenue, Atlanta, GA 30312). Join in here at the Dr. MLK, Jr. Branch to get a boost for your job search. Come gather with hot beverages to revise resumés, draft cover letters, fill out applications, and to discuss best practices for the job hunt. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Brandywine Cares** is hosting a **Career\$hift: Small Business Bootcamp** on Tuesdays, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. This free, virtual webinar training is targeted toward small business owners and start-ups to help them thrive. Topics will include business planning, marketing, access funding, and concludes with an in-person pitch competition and graduation. At the end of this life-changing event, you will be armed with the knowledge, tools, resources, and ongoing support to build and grow a successful and sustainable business. [Click here](#) for a flyer containing a QR code to register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting a **Computer Class** every Tuesday, from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at the **Gladys S. Dennard Library** (4055 Flat Shoals Road, Union City, GA 30291). Join an exciting session designed to boost your digital skills! Whether you are looking to master your computer, navigate the internet, or make the most of your mobile devices and e-readers. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Virtual Information Session** every Tuesday, from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM. Interested in learning more about the skills programs offered at Goodwill of North Georgia? Join in for this session to learn about all the programs offered. This is your first step to entering these training programs and changing your life. This information session explores all the training opportunities offered, how to qualify for financial assistance, qualifications for each and when classes begin. [Click here](#) to register. [Click here](#) to learn more.



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- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting a **SkillBridge Fellowships Information Session** on Tuesday, October 13th, starting at 7:00 PM. Transitioning service members are invited to learn more about available SkillBridge fellowships, which offer professional training and hands-on experience in the civilian workforce. These programs are designed to help you transition smoothly into a meaningful civilian career. [Click here](#) to register via Zoom.
- **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.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Virtual Information Session** every Wednesday, from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM. Interested in learning more about the skills programs offered at Goodwill of North Georgia? Join in for this session to learn about all the programs offered. This is your first step to entering these training programs and changing your life. This information session explores all the training opportunities offered, how to qualify for financial assistance, qualifications for each and when classes begin. [Click here](#) to register. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **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 **Clayton County Library System** hosts **One-on-One Tech** classes on Wednesdays, from 10:30 AM to 11:00 AM, at the **Riverdale Branch** (420 Valley Hill Road, SW, Riverdale, GA 30274). Work one-on-one with a librarian to explore your Pines account, access online databases, and use Microsoft Word. Bring your device for personalized help. [Click here](#) to register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Computer Class: Internet Basics** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Old National Career Center** (6175 Old National Highway, Atlanta, GA 30349). For more information, call 678-554-0412. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hire Heroes USA** is hosting a webinar on **Federal Employment: Asked and Answered** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. In this fourth and final session of our Federal Employment webinar series, you'll learn how to navigate the process with more insight and confidence. Hire Heroes USA's federal team will share clear, straightforward guidance on how the federal hiring process works, common misconceptions to watch for,



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and strategies to support your federal job search. The session will conclude with dedicated time for live Q&A to address participant questions. No prior webinar attendance is required. This free webinar is open to transitioning service members, veterans, and military spouses. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Job Search Academy** is hosting **Stay Relevant, Stay Ready** on Wednesday, October 14th, starting at 12:00 PM. Opportunity can strike at any moment, but are you actually ready for it? Waiting until you need a new job to start preparing is a recipe for stress. Join Indeed Career Strategist Clint Carrens alongside guest career coach Diana DeBolt and career management strategist Ericka Spradley as they break down how to keep your career perpetually opportunity-ready. The panel will deliver clear, actionable strategies to help you recognize key industry shifts, highlight your strengths, and build strong career momentum on your own terms. The session will conclude with a live Q&A to address your specific career-management questions. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT)** is hosting a **1Dot Internship Program Virtual Pitch Day** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 1:00 PM to 3:30 PM. This interactive session offers prospective interns the opportunity to hear from leaders across the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) and learn more about the missions of each Operating Administration (OA), the important work they do, and how student interns can contribute to that work. Representatives from DOT Operating Administrations will highlight their missions, career fields, and internship opportunities and share how students can explore transportation careers. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Department of the Interior (DOI)** is hosting **DOI Careers: Navigating USAJOBS and Your Federal Application** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Applying for federal positions through USAJOBS can feel overwhelming, even for experienced professionals. That's why the Department of the Interior is hosting an information session designed specifically to help you better understand the federal hiring process. During this session, you'll have the opportunity to connect directly with Department of the Interior recruiters, ask questions, and learn practical tips for building a competitive federal application and navigating USAJOBS with confidence. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia**, in partnership with the **@Promise Center**, is hosting a **Virtual Skills Job Club** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. This class is geared towards participants ages 16 to 24 years old. You must be registered with @promise to attend. [Click here](#) to register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting an in-person **Resume Assistance Day** every Wednesday, from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM, at the **Oakwood Career Center** (3715 Mundy Mill



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Road, Oakwood, GA 30566). For more information, call 770-538-4209. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Goodwill Skills Information Session** every Wednesday, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at the **Smyrna Career Center** (3205 South Cobb Drive, SE, Smyrna, GA 30080). For more information, call 678-766-8173. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Goodwill Training Program Information Session** every Wednesday, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Goodwill Skills Information Session** every Wednesday, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at the **Stockbridge Career Center** (3871 Highway 138, SE, Stockbridge, GA 30281). For more information, call 678-514-0670. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Skillshot Media** is hosting the **Esports Summit – Fall 2026** on Wednesday, October 14th and Thursday, October 15th, from 2:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at the **Resurgens Center** (575 Morosgo Drive, NE, Atlanta, GA 30324). This conference is the largest and longest running in North America and will include access to the Game Developers Conference. Over 1,000 industry leaders, game developers, students, educators, and community partners will gather around gaming and esports to connect learning with real career and business opportunities. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **North Fulton Community Charities (NFCC)** hosts **Job Seeker Center – Open Hours** every Wednesday, from 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at the **NFCC Barbara Duffy Center – Technology Lab** (11275 Elkins Road, Roswell, GA 30076). During this time, a volunteer is available to offer support with resumes, cover letters, interview preparation, online applications, and general job search questions. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **African American Women Trucking Association (AAWTA)** is hosting **Your Next Move: AAWTA Trucking, Logistics, and Supply Chain Career Workshop** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM. Join the African American Women Trucking Association (AAWTA) for a FREE virtual career development workshop and discover the opportunities available through the Driven Together Education Program. Come learn about the programs, ask questions, and discover the right pathway for you. No industry experience is necessary. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **Community Assistance Center (CAC)** is hosting a **Jobseeker Bootcamp** on Thursday, October 15th, from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **State Farm Campus – Park Center** (241 Perimeter Center Parkway, NE, Dunwoody, GA 30346). This event is designed to give job seekers practical tools and support all in one day. The bootcamp will cover job search essentials, resume writing, and interview preparation. Participants will also have the opportunity to meet one-on-one with recruiting and hiring professionals and tour State Farm. Lunch will be provided. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Women’s Business League** is hosting **Coffee and Connections** on Thursday, October 15th, starting at 9:00 AM, at the **Kin Coffee Co.** (5352 Peachtree Road, Chamblee, GA 30341). Join the newest chapter in Brookhaven and Chamblee for a morning of Coffee and Connections! Running a business or building a career can feel like a balancing act, especially right now. Between juggling responsibilities, navigating uncertainty, and the constant pressure to grow, many women in business are craving something deeper. Join the Women’s Business League for a casual, welcoming morning designed to help you refuel, recharge, and reconnect. You’ll sip coffee, share stories, and build genuine connections with women who get it because they’re right where you are too. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **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 self-directed job search. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- The **Clayton County Library System** hosts **Supportive Learning** every third Thursday of the month, from 11:00 AM to 11:45 AM, at the **Lovejoy Branch** (1721 McDonough Road, Hampton, GA 30228). This event holds resources for adults with disabilities such as assistive technology, adaptive materials, and other accessible resources. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- **Emory Healthcare** hosts a **Registered Nurse Live Chat** every Thursday, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Emory Healthcare invites you to an exclusive opportunity to live chat with the nurse recruitment team. Whether you are actively job hunting or just exploring, this is your moment to ask questions, get real answers and explore why Emory is a top destination for nursing careers in Georgia. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Goodwill Training Program Information Session** every Thursday, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 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 and register.



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- **Hire Heroes USA** is hosting **5 Steps to Getting Hired – Step 3: Build a Resume That Gets Interviews** on Thursday, October 15th, from 12:00 PM to 12:30 PM. Looking for ways to make your resume stand out? Join Hire Heroes USA for a five-part webinar series designed to walk military spouses through the key stages of a strategic job search—from identifying the right opportunities to negotiating the offer. Each session will focus on one essential step and provide practical strategies, tools, and actionable tips you can use immediately. In this session, participants will learn how to tailor their resume to the roles they want, highlight accomplishments and transferable skills, and use language that connects their experience to what employers are looking for. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** hosts **Tech Help** on Thursdays, from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM, at the **Cleveland Avenue Branch** (47 Cleveland Avenue, Atlanta, GA 30315). This event will provide assistance with basic computer skills, navigating websites, resume templates, or help with applying for job applications. Questions on other computer topics will be encouraged. This program is free and open to the public. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Goodwill Training Program Information Session** every Thursday, from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM, at the **Decatur Career Center** (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Decatur, GA 30033). For more information, call 404-554-9600. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Goodwill Training Program Information Session** every Thursday, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at the **Metropolitan Parkway Career Center** (2160 Metropolitan Parkway, SW, Atlanta, GA 30315). For more information, call 770-795-4204. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting an **Elevator Pitch** on Thursday, October 15th, starting at 2:00 PM. Your elevator pitch can open doors to new opportunities. Join Hiring Our Heroes and FourBlock for a hands-on workshop designed to help you craft and deliver a clear and confident introduction. You'll then practice your pitch in small breakout rooms and receive live feedback from experts to help you refine your message. Whether you're attending networking events, preparing for interviews, connecting on LinkedIn, or growing your professional network, this workshop will help you make a strong first impression. [Click here](#) to register via Zoom.
- The **Career Agility System** is hosting a webinar on **The New Search: How AI Tools are Deciding Who Gets Found** on Thursday, October 15th, from 3:00 PM to 3:30 PM. Google search used to be the finish line. Now it's often just the first stop. Buyers researching a consultant, hiring managers vetting a candidate, and prospects comparing options are



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increasingly asking AI tools directly: "Who's the best person for this?" That answer gets generated before anyone opens LinkedIn, checks a website, or reads a resume. If you're not part of what the AI surfaces, you're invisible to a growing share of the people making decisions about your next opportunity, whether that's a client, a role, or a partnership. This isn't a future problem. It's already reshaping how business owners get discovered and how hiring managers shortlist candidates, often without either side realizing the rules changed. In this session, candidates will learn how AI tools actually evaluate who to surface, why that's fundamentally different from traditional SEO or keyword-stuffed profiles, and what specific, doable steps move you from invisible to recommended. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Goodwill Training Program Information Session** every Thursday, from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM, at the **Woodstock Career Center** (9425 Highway 92, Woodstock, GA 30188). For more information, call 770-874-0901. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Computer Skills Class** every Thursday, from 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM, at the **Decatur Career Center** (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Decatur, GA 30033). For more information, call 404-554-9600. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Metro-Atlanta Veteran Chamber of Commerce** is hosting a **Business Networking Social** on Thursday, October 15th, from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM, at the **Punch Bowl Social** (875 Battery Avenue, SE, Suite #720, Atlanta, GA 30339). Join veteran business owners, entrepreneurs, professionals, and community leaders for an evening of networking and meaningful connections at Punch Bowl Social. Build your network, exchange ideas, and discover new opportunities in a relaxed, business-casual environment designed to bring Atlanta's veteran business community together. Whether you're a veteran, entrepreneur, executive, or supporter of veteran-owned businesses, this event is a great opportunity to connect, collaborate, and grow. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Community Assistance Center (CAC)** is hosting **Mock Interviews** every first Friday of the month, from 9:30 AM to 1:30 PM, at the **CAC Empowerment Center** (1130 Hightower Trail, Atlanta, GA 30350). Ready to feel confident walking into your next interview? Join in this monthly session, held on the first Friday of each month, where you'll get real-time practice and expert feedback to help you stand out. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Clayton County Library System** is hosting a **Navigating Technology: Training Program** on Friday, October 16th, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **Morrow Branch** (6225 Maddox Road, Morrow, GA 30260). This course will cover the basics of navigating your PC, laptop,



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Apple iPhone, and Apple iPad, as well as provide you with tips on protecting your digital identity. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **Georgia Justice Project (GJP)** hosts **First Fridays** virtual sessions every first Friday of the month, 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 intake@GJP.org or call 404-827-0027, ext. 238, with questions. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Goodwill Skills Information Session** every Friday, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **Oakwood Career Center** (3715 Mundy Mill Road, Oakwood, GA 30566). For more information, call 770-538-4209. [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.
- The **Community Assistance Center (CAC)** hosts **ESOL Conversation Over Coffee** on the first three Saturdays of each month, from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM, at the **CAC Empowerment Center** (1130 Hightower Trail, Sandy Springs, GA 30350). Practice English in a relaxed, friendly setting while gaining extra support and casual conversation. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **DeKalb County Public Library** is hosting a **GED Open House** on Saturday, October 17th, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Stonecrest Library** (3123 Klondike Road, Lithonia, GA 30038). Do you want to get your GED? Join in for an informational meeting about the GED program at Georgia Piedmont Technical College and learn about the library's resources for test prep and studying. Georgia Piedmont Technical College offers high school equivalency (GED, HiSET, and CareerPlus) test prep courses to get you ready to complete your high school equivalency (HSE) credential and pass the exams. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Opulence Elite** is hosting **NWA: Never Work Again** on Saturday, October 17th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Georgia Institute of Technology – John Lewis Student Center** (351 Ferst Drive, NW, Atlanta, GA 30332). Get ready for an unforgettable in-person experience of a day packed with excitement, networking, and pure vibes. Don't miss out on this chance to



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control your time with unlimited financial possibilities, proven strategies and a system that works! Complimentary full-catered breakfast on first come basis. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting an **ESL and ESOL Class** on Saturday, October 17th, from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM, at the **College Park Branch** (3647 Main Street, College Park, GA 30337). Join Ms. Hernandez - a bilingual instructor for classes to expand your horizons, build connections and increase your marketability. [Click here](#) to learn more.

Future Events

- The **City of Refuge**, in partnership with **NPursuit Career Partners**, is hosting **EmployED: AI - Powered Job Readiness** starting Monday, October 19th through Friday, October 23rd, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **City of Refuge** (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA 30313). EmployED is a 5-day, hands-on workshop series designed to equip job seekers with the AI tools, digital skills, and career readiness strategies needed to complete and win in today's job market. This program is geared towards emerging professionals, career pivoters, and anyone ready to level up with confidence. Don't miss this transformative week of career building, digital upskilling, and real momentum to your goals. [Click here](#) for a flyer containing a QR code to register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia**, in partnership with the **@Promise Center**, is hosting a **Youth Employment Services Program** starting October 19th, Monday through Friday, from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at the **@Promise Center** (2175 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, SW, Atlanta, GA 30310). This class is geared towards participants ages 16 to 24 years old. You must be registered with @promise to attend. [Click here](#) to register.
- The **Atlanta Center for Self Sufficiency (ACSS)** is hosting a **CareerWorks Orientation** on Monday, October 19th, from 9:15 AM to 12:00 PM, at **Families First** (80 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA 30314). Join in for an informative session to kickstart your career journey. This orientation will outline services and resources designed to help you navigate the job market successfully. Whether you're unemployed, a recent graduate, considering a career change, or looking to enhance your skills... the CareerWorks Orientation is the perfect place to start. Don't miss out on this chance to take the next step towards your dream job! [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Maintenance Skills Orientation** on Monday, October 19th and Tuesday, October 20th, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career**



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Center (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Goodwill of North Georgia** hosts a variety of virtual career development, digital skills technology, and financial workshops each month. Examples of topics covered in the **career development workshops** include resume building, interview preparation, and job searching. Examples of topics covered in **digital skills workshops** include utilizing MS Office and Google Suite tools. Examples of topics covered in **financial workshops** include budgeting, understanding your credit report, planning for an emergency, and planning for retirement. In addition to virtual options, these workshops may also be concurrently available onsite at a Goodwill Career Center located near you. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
 - **Finding & Harnessing Motivation** – Monday, October 19th, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM
 - **Emotional Intelligence** – Tuesday, October 20th, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM
 - **Developing a Personal Accountability Framework** – Wednesday, October 21st, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM
 - **Procrastination: Admitting it is the First Step** – Thursday, October 22nd, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM
 - **MS Excel for Beginners** – Friday, October 23rd, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM
- **Job Search Academy** is hosting an **Indeed Bootcamp: New Features in Career Scout** on Monday, October 19th, starting at 12:00 PM. Join Indeed Career Strategist Matt Berndt and Senior Product Marketing Manager Samantha Geissdorfer for an overview of key tips and strategies for using Indeed to pursue better work. As part of this session, they will provide a special deep dive into the newest features of Indeed Career Scout. Plus, attendees will have the opportunity to get their questions answered in real time during an interactive Q&A. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Atlanta Center for Self Sufficiency**, in partnership with the **Atlanta Department of Labor and Employment Services (ADOLES)** is hosting a **Summer 2 Permanent Careers Bootcamp** on Tuesday, October 20th starting at 10:00 AM, at **WorkSource Atlanta** (818 Pollard Boulevard, SW, Atlanta, GA 30315). This program goes beyond basic job training—it prepares young people for real job placement and long-term success. Participants will build a professional resume, sharpen interview skills, learn workplace expectations, participate in hands-on training and career exploration, and receive ongoing support through job placement and transition. This is more than a bootcamp—it's a launchpad into employment. Priority enrollment is available for unemployed, out-of-school young adults ages 18–24. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer** is hosting a **VA Federal Application Webinar** on Tuesday, October 20th, from 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM. During this virtual session, the Veteran



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and Military Spouse Talent Engagement Program (VMSTEP) team will guide participants through the process of writing an effective two-page federal government resume. The session will also cover how to create a user account and navigate the USAJOBS portal, offering valuable tips and insights to help attendees prepare an application that stands out to top federal employers. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **Christian Professionals Network** is hosting an **October Networking Social: Your Past, Your Power** on Tuesday, October 20th, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM, at the **Buckhead Club** (3344 Peachtree Road, NE, Suite #2600, Atlanta, GA 30326). Whether you are looking to advance your career, expand your professional circle, or find new inspiration, this event offers a unique platform to engage with like-minded professionals in a warm and welcoming environment. Don't miss this inspiring conversation on reinvention, growth, and transforming your past experiences into power for your next chapter. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **GESHER Human Services** is hosting a webinar on **Expanding Your Professional Skillset** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. This webinar explores practical ways to build new professional skills without returning to school. Participants will learn about online learning platforms such as Coursera and Udemy, as well as industry-recognized certifications from Google and Microsoft. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)** is hosting a webinar on **Navigating the Federal Hiring Process: USAJOBS** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Are you interested in learning more about USAJOBS? Join HHS recruiters for helpful insights and practical tips on navigating USAJOBS and making the most of your federal job search. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **VAMO Rising Professionals** is hosting its **October Social** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM, at the **New Realm Brewing Company** (550 Somerset Terrace, NE, Suite #101, Atlanta, GA 30306). This event brings together Atlanta's Rising Professionals and Entrepreneurs for a relaxed yet refined night of networking, celebration, and inspiration. Enjoy drinks, food, and a welcoming atmosphere designed to spark meaningful connections, without the pressure of traditional networking. Whether you're growing your career, building a business, or expanding your circle, this is a space to connect with like-minded professionals who are shaping Atlanta's future. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hire Heroes USA** is hosting **5 Steps to Getting Hired – Step 4: Ace the Interview** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 12:00 PM to 12:30 PM. Looking for ways to make your resume stand out? Join Hire Heroes USA for a five-part webinar series designed to walk military spouses through the key stages of a strategic job search—from identifying the right



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opportunities to negotiating the offer. Each session will focus on one essential step and provide practical strategies, tools, and actionable tips you can use immediately. Interviews are an opportunity to show an employer how your skills and experience can solve their problems. During this session, Hire Heroes USA will discuss how to prepare for interviews, confidently communicate your value, answer common interview questions, and tell compelling stories about your experience. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)** is hosting an **HHS Careers 101 Info Session** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Are you interested in learning more about opportunities with the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services (HHS)? Whether you're exploring career paths, internships, or fellowships, this session is a great opportunity to learn how you can make a meaningful impact on public health and human services across the nation. The HHS team will share insights into the mission, highlight current opportunities, and answer your questions about launching a career with HHS. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting a webinar on **Networking for Authenticity and Impact** on Thursday, October 22nd, starting at 2:00 PM. Build your networking confidence and grow your professional connections. Join Hiring Our Heroes for an interactive session featuring actionable strategies to re-engage your network, leverage informational interviews, navigate online networking, and apply best practices for connecting with recruiters. [Click here](#) to register via Zoom.
- **The Lola** is hosting a **Book Launch and Author Talk with Allison Hill: Your Job Won't Love You Back** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM, at **The Lola** (621 North Avenue, NE, Suite D-100, Atlanta, GA 30308). Join Allison Hill for the launch of *Your Job Won't Love You Back* and a conversation about ambition, identity and redefining success. After more than 30 years navigating corporate leadership, entrepreneurship, marriage, motherhood and personal reinvention, Allison is challenging the idea that career success alone can provide identity, purpose and fulfillment. In a candid conversation, Allison will explore how we can pursue meaningful work and ambition while building a life grounded in what matters most. She'll share insights from the book, including her North Heart framework for reconnecting with your values and redefining what success looks like in different seasons of life. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **OutGeek Women** is hosting **Women in Tech Atlanta** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM, in downtown Atlanta. The precise location will be provided upon registration. This event is not just about networking, it's about connecting with fellow mid-/senior tech pros in the industry, sharing a laugh or two, and maybe even finding your next



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career move. So come join in for a unique networking event where job seekers take the driver's seat! [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Emory University** is hosting an **Emory Physician Scientist Symposium** on Friday, October 23rd, from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, at the **Emory University School of Medicine - James B. Williams Medical Education Building** (12 Executive Park Drive, NE, Atlanta, GA 30329). This symposium is a collaboration across Physician Scientist Training Programs at Emory and is intended for anyone pursuing clinical, basic, or translational research within biomedical fields. The symposium will provide career development and scientific networking opportunities for a diverse group of medical students, residents, fellows, and faculty across the School of Medicine and our Health Systems. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Clayton County Government** is hosting **Ace That Exam: AP, SAT, & ACT Prep** on Saturday, October 24th, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Northwest Branch Library** (6131 Riverdale Road, Riverdale, GA 30274). High school students are invited to join the Clayton County Youth Commission to learn helpful test-taking strategies and get expert guidance on AP exams, the SAT, and ACT. [Click here](#) to register. [Click here](#) for a flyer to learn more.
- **MelaMed LLC** is hosting **Beyond the White Coat: Sustaining Women of Color in Medicine Across Career Stages** on Saturday, October 24th, from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at **The Gathering Spot** (384 Northyards Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA 30313). Come connect in person at this empowering event designed to support and uplift women of color in the medical field. Whether you're just starting out or well into your career, this gathering offers a chance to share experiences, gain insights, and build lasting networks. Come celebrate resilience and growth together across all career stages! [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Forklift Skills Orientation** on Monday, October 26th and Tuesday, October 27th, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting a webinar on **Preparing for a Virtual Hiring Event** on Monday, October 26th, starting at 4:00 PM. Are you ready to connect with your next career opportunity? Before you log in, learn tips from Hiring Our Heroes to help you prepare for a virtual hiring fair. [Click here](#) to register via Zoom.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting **Prep 4 Success: Teen Skill Building** on Monday, October 26th, from 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM, at the **Alpharetta Branch** (10 Park Plaza, Alpharetta, GA 30009). Study smarter, stress less, and build skills for success in school and



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beyond. Topics covered will include organization, study strategies, research skills, college preparation, presentations, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **City of Atlanta's Department of Labor & Employment Services (ADOLES)** is hosting a monthly **3-Day Job Readiness Bootcamp**, in partnership with the **Atlanta Center for Self Sufficiency**, from Tuesday, October 27th to Thursday, October 29th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at **WorkSource Atlanta** (818 Pollard Boulevard, SW, Atlanta, GA 30315). This bootcamp is designed to prepare unemployed or out-of-school young adults (ages 18–24) for workforce entry. Participants must live in the City of Atlanta and bring a valid ID to all sessions. Program benefits include a \$200 stipend, transportation support (MARTA passes or gas cards), access to a professional clothing closet, and digital skills training through the Northstar Digital Learning platform through which participants can earn badges and certificates. ADOLES staff will provide hands-on delivery and support. Registration is coordinated through ADOLES and usually closes shortly before the event. For general info, questions, and to register call (404) 546-3000.
- **CRE Insight Journal** is hosting a **CRE Women's Leadership Summit** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 8:30 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Two Alliance Center** (3560 Lenox Road, NE, Atlanta, GA 30326). The CRE Women's Leadership Summit is a celebration of community—a dynamic coming together of CRE professionals to embrace the power of diversity of thought and genuine inclusion across our industry. No matter your organization, firm, business line, or title, we all share the responsibility to “reach across the aisle.” This summit will provide the opportunity attend dynamic educational sessions, meaningful connections, and inspiration to grow as a leader. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Computer Class: Email Fundamentals** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Old National Career Center** (6175 Old National Highway, Atlanta, GA 30349). For more information, call 678-554-0412. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Job Search Academy** is hosting **Ask a Career Strategist: Navigating Disability, Disclosure, and Accommodations** on Wednesday, October 28th, starting at 1:00 PM. Navigating a job search can feel complex, but knowing how to advocate for yourself and leverage key resources makes all the difference. Join host Clint Carrens alongside guest specialists Michelle Alford-Williams and Kathy West-Evans for an empowering session on navigating the job market with a disability. They will share actionable strategies for researching and identifying inclusive employers, guidance on when and when not to disclose a disability, and tips for requesting accommodations and self-advocating both during the hiring process and on the job before finishing with a live Q&A. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Hire Heroes USA** is hosting **5 Steps to Getting Hired – Step 5: Negotiate Your Offer** on Thursday, October 29th, from 12:00 PM to 12:30 PM. Looking for ways to make your resume



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stand out? Join Hire Heroes USA for a five-part webinar series designed to walk military spouses through the key stages of a strategic job search—from identifying the right opportunities to negotiating the offer. Each session will focus on one essential step and provide practical strategies, tools, and actionable tips you can use immediately. This session will help participants understand what can be negotiated, how to evaluate the full compensation package, and how to confidently advocate for themselves while maintaining a positive relationship with the employer. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Hiring Our Heroes** is hosting a webinar on **Job Application Best Practices** on Thursday, October 29th, starting at 2:00 PM. Gain practical insights into the job application process and learn how to present yourself as a strong candidate from the start. This session will cover best practices for completing online applications and tailoring your materials to specific roles. [Click here](#) to register via Zoom.
- **Career Agility System** is hosting **Visibility on Autopilot: Staying Top of Mind Without Burning Out** on Thursday, October 29th, from 3:00 PM to 3:30 PM. Most open roles never get posted publicly. Companies fill them quietly, through internal moves, referrals, and recruiters searching LinkedIn directly, before a job ad ever exists. This is quiet hiring, and it's reshaping how senior roles get filled. When positions are filled before they're advertised, the deciding factor isn't your application. It's whether you were visible and findable in the first place. That puts LinkedIn at the center of the process, not as a digital resume, but as the tool recruiters and hiring managers are actively using to find candidates before a posting ever goes live. If your search has stalled and you're not sure why, this session will show you where the real hiring activity is happening and how to position yourself to be found in it. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **African American Women Trucking Association (AAWTA)** is hosting an **AAWTA Halloween Meet and Greet – Trucking, Logistics, and Supply Chain** on Thursday, October 29th, from 4:00 PM to 6:30 PM, at the **African American Women Trucking Association** (5269 Buford Highway, Suite #213, Doraville, GA 30340). Get ready for an awesome night connecting with folks in trucking, logistics, and supply chain. This in-person event is all about meeting new people, sharing stories, and enjoying the Halloween vibes together. Whether you're a pro or just curious, come hang out and network. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **GESHER Human Services** is hosting a webinar on **Stress Management** on Friday, October 30th, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Learn practical strategies to recognize and manage workplace stress while building resilience and maintaining well-being. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **Clayton County Library System** is hosting **Resume Building with Brainfuse** on Monday, November 2nd, from 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM, at the **Forest Park Library** (4812 West Street, Forest Park, GA 30297). Learn how to create an eye-catching resume to get that new job with just your library card! Class will require a Library Card to log in. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Women in Technology (WIT)** is hosting a **November WIT Technology Uncorked** event on Monday, November 2nd, starting at 5:30 PM. The location will be provided for participants after registration. There is a difference between advancing along the path that is offered and designing the career you actually want. The first is reactive. The second requires clarity, intention, and the willingness to decide. This WIT Technology Uncorked session closes the year by asking mid-career women in technology to look forward with both honesty and ambition. Through candid conversation with senior women who have led on their own terms. This session is designed for mid-career women in technology who are ready to think deliberately about what comes next: senior individual contributors, people managers, and women who know what they have been navigating and are ready to decide what they want to build. [Click here](#) to learn more and fill out an interest form.
- **GESHER Human Services** is hosting a webinar on **Leveraging LinkedIn for Job Seekers** on Tuesday, November 3rd, from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM. Designed for infrequent or casual users of LinkedIn, this presentation offers guidance for getting noticed by recruiters and hiring managers. GESHER will review best practices for your profile, how to optimize LinkedIn settings when seeking employment, and strategies for a successful job search on the platform. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Keller Williams Realty** is hosting a **Real Estate Career Lunch: What Does it Really Take?** on Wednesday, November 4th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM, at **Keller Williams Realty ATL** (1420 Peachtree Street, NE, Suite #100, Atlanta, GA 30309). Join in for a casual lunch-hour conversation designed to give you a realistic look at becoming a real estate agent—from getting your license to what happens after you have it. The event will cover the Georgia licensing process, what the day-to-day life of a real estate agent actually entails, how agents build their businesses and earn income, and what you should expect during your first year in the industry. You'll also get a brief look at the training, coaching, technology, and support available to agents at Keller Williams Atlanta Midtown—and have plenty of opportunity to ask the questions you've been wondering about. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)** is hosting a webinar on **Navigating the Federal Hiring Process: Creating Your 2-Page Resume** on Tuesday, November 10th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Join this event to learn best practices for building a clear, effective Federal resume. Whether you're new to Federal hiring or looking to



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sharpen your application, this webinar will provide practical guidance to help you put your best foot forward. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **GESHER Human Services** is hosting a webinar on **Authentic Networking: Making Real Connections in a Digital World** on Wednesday, November 11th, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Real networking is about building genuine relationships, and when done right, it can open doors you never even knew existed. This workshop will help you to learn how to start making connections that actually mean something — online and in person. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **GESHER Human Services** is hosting **Let's Talk: Interview Skills That Get You Hired** on Friday, November 13th, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Landing the job starts with nailing the interview. Whether you're entering the workforce for the first time or returning after a break, this workshop will equip you with the skills and confidence to make a lasting impression. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **City of Refuge**, in partnership with **NPursuit Career Partners**, is hosting **EmployED: AI - Powered Job Readiness** starting Monday, November 16th through Friday, November 20th, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **City of Refuge** (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA 30313). EmployED is a 5-day, hands-on workshop series designed to equip job seekers with the AI tools, digital skills, and career readiness strategies needed to complete and win in today's job market. This program is geared towards emerging professionals, career pivoters, and anyone ready to level up with confidence. Don't miss this transformative week of career building, digital upskilling, and real momentum to your goals. [Click here](#) for a flyer containing a QR code to register.
- The **City of Atlanta's Department of Labor & Employment Services (ADOLES)** is hosting a monthly **3-Day Job Readiness Bootcamp**, in partnership with the **Atlanta Center for Self Sufficiency**, from Tuesday, November 17th to Thursday, November 19th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at **WorkSource Atlanta** (818 Pollard Boulevard, SW, Atlanta, GA 30315). This bootcamp is designed to prepare unemployed or out-of-school young adults (ages 18–24) for workforce entry. Participants must live in the City of Atlanta and bring a valid ID to all sessions. Program benefits include a \$200 stipend, transportation support (MARTA passes or gas cards), access to a professional clothing closet, and digital skills training through the Northstar Digital Learning platform through which participants can earn badges and certificates. ADOLES staff will provide hands-on delivery and support. Registration is coordinated through ADOLES and usually closes shortly before the event. For general info, questions, and to register call (404) 546-3000.
- **GESHER Human Services** is hosting a webinar on **Expanding Your Professional Skillset** on Wednesday, November 18th, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. This webinar explores practical ways to build new professional skills without returning to school. Participants will learn about



online learning platforms such as Coursera and Udemy, as well as industry-recognized certifications from Google and Microsoft. [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. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** offers **Virtual Career Services** through [CareerConnector.org](#). 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. [Click here](#) 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. [Click here](#) 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 is resume and application help, job readiness workshops, or training, our



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career coaches are here to make sure job seekers do not 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, APS offers English classes for speakers of other languages. [Click here](#) for a flyer in English. 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. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.
- **Atlanta Technical College's Economic Development Division** provides 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: <https://atlantatech.edu/online-continuing-education/>. 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. [Click here](#) for more information.
- **CareerRise** is partnering with [Prologis](#), the world's largest logistics real estate investment company, and [Jobs for the Future \(JFF\)](#), 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



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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 <https://www.logisticscareers.prologis.com/>.

- 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 [Apple App Store](#) or [Google Play](#) 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 7th-8th 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 **ed2go** to offer courses in **Arts and Design, Business, Computer Applications, Construction and Trades, Health and Fitness, Hospitality, Legal, Language**, and more. [Click here](#) for information on continuing education, these programs, and more 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



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about these opportunities visit <https://www.chattahoocheetech.edu/economic-development-and-continuing-education/> for more information on these classes or contact the Economic Development Department at corporatetraining@chattahoocheetech.edu or 770-529-2345.

- The **City of Refuge** offers ongoing **Job Training Courses** at its **Workforce Innovation Hub** (1300 Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, Atlanta, GA 30314) that provide the skills and confidence needed to earn a job and start a rewarding career. [Click here](#) to review details online. Find out if you qualify for 100% scholarship: [click here](#) to apply.
 - **Culinary Workforce Training Program:** This is hands-on culinary training, where attendees will learn essential kitchen skills and earn certifications to kickstart their career in the food industry. Tuition-free, but spots are limited. [Click here](#) for a flyer containing a QR code to register.
 - **NAPA Automotive Technician Training** (16 weeks): This course introduces basic concepts and technical training in automobile mechanics. You will learn oil change, brakes, transmission, engine maintenance, suspension & steering, electrical/electronics, heating/air conditioning. Register at www.cityofrefugeatl.org/job-training. Contact John McQueen at jmcqueen@cityofrefugeatl.org or text 404-436 -5272 for more info.
 - **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. Register at <https://www.cityofrefugeatl.org/job-training>.
 - **Welding Program** (10 Weeks): The new Tomco Welder Training Program is your opportunity to explore a dynamic and life-changing career pathway in welding – one of the most in-demand skilled trades in the country. This program features include 10-weeks of hands-on welding training, paid training with a full scholarship provided, an American Welding Society (AWS) certification, job placement assistance upon graduation. Eligibility requirements include a high school diploma or GED, age 21 or older, being a resident of the Atlanta Metro area, and being committed to attendance, learning, and long-term employment. For more information about our welding program, RSVP to jmcqueen@cityofrefugeatl.org.
 - In partnership with **NPursuit Career Partners**, the **Cyber Security Program** is a comprehensive initiative designed to equip individuals with essential cybersecurity skills. The goal is to bridge the talent gap in the industry by offering high-quality, accessible training. This program is targeted at IT professionals, IT sales professionals, under-employed and unemployed individuals in tech, as well as reserve or ex-military personnel in the tech field. Participants will have the opportunity to earn certifications such as CompTIA Sec+, CompTIA Network+, and a vendor certification from Cyber Arc or Ping Identity. The next program begins Monday, October 26th. Contact jmcqueen@cityofrefugeatl.org or text 404-436-5272 for more information.



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- 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. [Click here](#) 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: TrainME@Constructionready.org.

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

- **Construction Ready at Westside Works** (261 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA 30314)
- **Construction Ready at Build Cobb** (1940 Exchange, SE, Atlanta, GA 30339)
- 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. GABTA believes 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 Public Library Service** has just announced no-cost access to **Google Career Certificates** and the **Google AI Professional Certificate** to Georgia public library cardholders.



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These courses will help Georgians build essential job skills in high-growth fields, including flexible, online training to support career advancement and business growth. Google certificates include IT Support, Google AI Professional, Cybersecurity, Project Management, Data Analytics, Business Intelligence, UX Design, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **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. The program prepares people with disabilities for competitive employment. Participants in this program receive customized training based on individual needs and career goals. This program provides a spectrum of services to help secure and maintain employment, including evaluation of work-related skills, job readiness and soft skills training, training in real work settings, both Goodwill and community training. Services are ongoing, offered in an open entry, open exit model, typically ranging from 1-3 months, M-F, 6 hours a day (accommodation available if needed). Anyone interested in training must attend an Information Session to sign up and receive information regarding qualifications, funding, start dates and training duration. [Click here](#) for a flyer outlining the Skills Programs below.
 - **Athens:** GoodBiz, Maintenance, Supply Chain Management, Welding.
 - **Cartersville:** Forklift, Logistics, Medical Billing and Coding, Retail Customer Service, Welding.
 - **Cornelia:** Phlebotomy, Supply Chain Management, Welding.
 - **Decatur:** Customer Contact Specialist, Logistics, Retail Customer Service, Salesforce Administrator, Technology Career Program Welding.
 - **Metropolitan:** Commercial Driver's License, Phlebotomy, Technology career Program (TCP).
 - **Oakwood:** Forklift, Supply Chain Management, Welding.
 - **Old National:** Forklift, Welding, Supply Chain Management, Retail Customer Service, Technology Career Program (TCP).
 - **Pleasant Hill:** Forklift, GoodBiz, Medical Administrative Assisting, Phlebotomy, Technology Career Program (TCP).
 - **Smyrna:** Environmental Services (EVS), Forklift, Healthcare, Logistics Supply Chain Management, Technology Career Program (TCP).
 - **South DeKalb:** Construction, Floor Tech/ Custodial, Forklift, GoodBiz, Maintenance
 - **Stockbridge:** Forklift, GoodBiz, Supply Chain Management, Welding.
 - **Woodstock:** Forklift, Supply Chain Management, Medical Billing and Coding, Retail Customer Service, Welding.



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- 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](#).
- **Inspiritus Construction** hosts a **Pre-Apprenticeship Program** offering participants the chance to become prepared for entry-level construction jobs and registered apprenticeships. This 10–12-week program consists of classroom and hands-on training. Participants will receive nationally recognized safety and construction training and earn industry credentials. Contact trey.powers@weinspirit.org to learn more. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- The **Jumpstart Automotive Training Center** has three **FREE Automotive Training programs** available with application periods open now.
 - **Intro Training:** 4-week course open to those ages 15-25 years old, held Monday evenings from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM. This course covers an introduction to tools, learning how vehicles work, additional life-skills training, and a meal provided each day. A driver's license is not required.
 - **Tech-1 – Entry-Level Technician:** 10-week course for those ages 18-25 years old, held on Mondays, from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM and Tuesday-Friday, from 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM. Attendees gain hands-on training, a meal provided, and graduate with certifications and job placement assistance. A driver's license is required.
 - **Tech-2 – Advanced-Level Technician:** 16-week course for those ages 18-25 years old, held on Mondays, from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM and Tuesday-Friday, from 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM. Hourly compensation is included along with hands-on training, life-skills training, a free meal each day and much more. A driver's license is required. Graduates receive a certification and job placement assistance.All programs convene at the **Jumpstart Automotive Training Center** (3955 Moreland Avenue, Conley, GA 30288). [Click here](#) to learn more. [Click here](#) to apply.
- The **Knowledge House** has opened applications for the **2027 Innovation Fellowship** - a free, seven-month program that offers a unique opportunity for participants to gain comprehensive training in coding, digital literacy, and professional development, empowering them with the skills and resources becoming more crucial to the tech job sector and beyond. Through hands-on training, applied projects, and professional development, Fellows strengthen technical skills, problem-solving, communication, adaptability, and responsible AI use while learning how technology creates value for businesses and communities. Fellows begin with a shared Foundations experience before



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advancing into specialized training. Throughout the program, they build portfolio-ready projects, work toward industry-aligned credentials, receive career support, and gain industry exposure through corporate volunteers, mentors, guest speakers, networking opportunities, and other career-connected experiences. This program is open to individuals over 18 years old from any career or education background. Classes are held Monday through Thursday, from 5:30 PM to 8:30 PM, remotely except for each program's weekly in-person day. The deadline to apply is Monday, November 23rd. [Click here](#) to learn more and register. [Click here](#) for a flyer.

- 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.
- **Meta**, in partnership with **Associated Builders and Contractors** and **CBRE**, is excited to offer **America's Workforce Academy (AWA)**. This pathway provides comprehensive training in general construction trades, including electrical, mechanical, plumbing systems, and more. AWA offers an unparalleled opportunity to master essential construction skills, equipping you with industry-recognized certifications to launch a stable and impactful career in the nation's most critical projects. No experience is required. If you're reliable, eager to learn, open to travel for training, and enjoy solving problems, America's Workforce Academy Construction Pathway will teach you the essential skills needed to start your career in a new and exciting industry. After completing the program, you'll receive a guaranteed job offer. This program is offered to qualified veterans, recent graduates, career changers, and other entrants to the trades. Meta will fund all costs to provide candidates with tuition, airfare, lodging, and a daily stipend during training. See below the following programs offered:
 - **Construction-Ready:** Built with the Associated Builders and Contractors, this four-week program turns everyday Americans into credentialed construction professionals. Participants train in core trades at no cost and with a job at a Meta partner waiting on the other side. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.
 - **Fiber Technician:** Built with CBRE, this four-week program prepares learners for fiber technician careers — no experience required, no costs to participants. Graduates step directly into jobs at Meta construction sites. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.[Click here](#) to learn more about all available programs.
- **North Fulton Community Charities (NFCC)** hosts a **Forklift/Certification Training** at three different locations that aligns with OSHA safety standards and combines classroom instruction with practical equipment operation. This training is designed to help participants



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safely and confidently operate a forklift in a professional work environment. Space is limited and participation is first come, first served. [Click here](#) to learn more. [Click here](#) to register.

- **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. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Project BUILD** is hosting **Free Workforce Development Training and Industry-Recognized Certifications**. Ready to stop looking for a job and start building a career? This is your opportunity. Project BUILD is offering free training in Electrical, Plumbing, HVAC, and more. The program includes hands-on, accredited training, career readiness coaching, employment connections, mentorship and more. No experience? No problem. Project BUILD will help you develop the skills, confidence, and credentials that employers are looking for. [Click here](#) to learn more. [Click here](#) for a flyer containing a QR code to register.
- **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.



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- 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. [Click here](#) to explore courses and degrees.
- The **Urban League of Greater Atlanta** offers an **At-Promise At-Work (APWA)** program that prepares youth, young adults and families for the workforce and careers in the 21st century and the new economy via the provision of educational intervention and workforce development services to youth and young adults participating in the @ Promise Centers. For more information on At-Promise Center (South), contact sharris@ulgatl.org. For more information on At-Promise Center (West), contact dbaker@ulgatl.org. For more information on At-Promise Center (Southwest), contact tjohnson@ulgatl.org.
- The **Urban League of Greater Atlanta** hosts a **Project Ready** program that prepares over 250 high school students to pursue career and other life goals after high school. It exposes 7th through 12th graders in Atlanta and Fulton County schools to various post-secondary educational possibilities, guides them through the college admissions process, and prepares them for success whether they choose college, the military or technical credentialing. Project Ready introduces students to a wide variety of career options, including entrepreneurship, and helps them map out a plan to reach their goals and achieve their dreams. Project Ready students meet during school hours Monday through Friday. For more information, contact dbaker@ulgatl.org.
- The **Urban League of Greater Atlanta** hosts a monthly **Urban Tech Job Program – TechTHRIVE Workshop** that is designed to jumpstart your tech career with a free, virtual program to help you break into the world of tech. In just three one-hour sessions (12:00–1:00 PM), you'll explore high-growth tech career pathways, in-demand certifications, AI tools, and gain essential resume and interview skills. Perfect for beginners, this workshop gives you the foundation to get started with your tech career. Upon completion, you will receive a **FREE Google Coursera license** to continue building skills and receive certificates in



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IT Support, Cybersecurity, Data Analytics, Digital Marketing, Cloud Computing, and more. To register [click here](#), or contact dbulls@ulgatl.org.

- The **Urban League of Greater Atlanta** is excited to announce **Young CEOs**, an engaging 12-week program aimed to educate, empower, and encourage small business creation and development through coaching, consulting, and cultivating individuals with business aspirations. The program is tailored for young adults ages 16-24 who are interested in entrepreneurship. The sessions create interactive learning experiences in a robust, high-energy setting. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **Urban League of Greater Atlanta's YouthBuild Construction Plus (YBC+) Program** serves young people ages 16-24 who are ready to change their lives for the better. This program provides pre-apprenticeship certificate opportunities that can lead to careers in high-demand industries with Greater Atlanta. Sectors include **Construction, Information Technology (IT), and Healthcare**. The program offers clients work readiness courses, hands-on learning, and on-the-job training skills. Participants also earn their GED/HS Diploma while attending occupational skills training. 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 tybrown@ulgatl.org.
- **Workforce Career Centers** is seeking students ready to train in industries like Patient Care Tech, Phlebotomy, EKG, HVAC, Electrical, Construction, CDL, and more. There are 75 open spots for those aged 18-24 and 35 spots for those ages 25 and over. Students must reside in Fulton County. [Click here](#) for a flyer containing a QR code to register.
- **WorkSource Cobb** – in partnership with **Lockheed Martin** and **Chattahoochee Technical College** – is offering an Aircraft Structures / Assembler Pre-Apprenticeship to Apprenticeship Program. During the first 5 weeks of this 10-week training program, participants will complete pre-apprenticeship training at Chattahoochee Technical College. During the second 5 weeks of the program, participants will be hired as apprentices at Lockheed Martin. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- **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. [Click here](#) 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.



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- **WorkSource Cobb** provides **No Cost Job Training for Cobb Residents** to prepare for several high demand jobs, such as Advanced Manufacturing, Healthcare, Information Technology, Skilled Trades, and Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply. [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+, with an opportunity to earn a weekly wage while receiving on-the-job industry-recognized training and mentoring by licensed plumbers. [Click here](#) for a flyer. Send application to mbwilliams@cobbworks.org. Call 770-528-4300 for more information.
- **WorkSource Georgia** is hosting **Level UP: A YouthBuild Initiative** - an innovative earn-and-learn pre-apprenticeship program designed to empower young adults with the education, industry-recognized certifications, hands-on training, and real-world experience needed to build successful careers in the skilled trades and other high-demand industries. Through comprehensive construction skills training, leadership development, community service projects, personalized career coaching, and supportive services, participants gain the tools, confidence, and experience necessary to thrive in today's workforce. Upon successful completion, participants are positioned for apprenticeship placement, employment opportunities, or military enlistment, creating multiple pathways to long-term career success and economic mobility. This program is designed for young adults, ages 16-24 and a weekly stipend will be provided. Program orientations are held every Monday, and participants are enrolled every day. Call 770-528-4300 for more information and to get started today. [Click here](#) to learn more and register. [Click here](#) for a flyer.

SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

Family Assistance Services

- **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 do not 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.



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- The **Clayton County Community Services Authority** operates a Head Start program, indigent transportation, adult education programs, legal counseling, foot stamp and Medicaid application assistance and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Empowerline** provides a front desk for people who need help navigating life changes and surprising 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. Empowerline works to simplify complex program offerings, identify long-term services, support solutions, and reduce caregiver burden. [Click here](#) for a flyer. [Click here](#) for more information.
- **Find Help Georgia** is an online portal to find help in your community. Whether it is 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. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Fulton Atlanta Community Action Authority** has a **Community Services Block Grant** that provides housing, nutrition, utility, transportation assistance, employment, education, and other services to under-resourced communities. [Click here](#) 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? [Click here](#) 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. [Click here](#) to access.
- The **Georgia Department of Public Health** administers the **Georgia WIC** program which is open for women, infants, and children. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Helping Mamas** elevates the well-being and dignity of women by providing diapers, period products, and other essential baby supplies. They harness the power of community support so that all families can thrive. [Click here](#) to learn about their programs.



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- The **Midtown Assistance Center (MAC)** provides financial assistance, a food pantry, and local transit fare for employment or interviews. Bus fare will be provided for those who recently started a full-time job. Additionally, MAC can provide specialized clothing, footwear, and uniforms needed for different industries including hospitality, construction, and service. [Click here](#) to learn more and request help. Contact mac@midtownassistancecenter.org for more information.
- **Single Parent Alliance & Resource Center (SPARC)** is dedicated to supporting and strengthening single parent families by offering tools and resources to empower and equip single parents to nurture their children into productive adults. [Click here](#) to reference the programs they offer.
- **United Way of Greater Atlanta** continues to provide the Atlanta region's most comprehensive resources for information and referral services through its online **2-1-1 Contact Center**. The digital platform connects families with community resources that enable 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.

Food Assistance 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.
- **Bold Ministries** offers free food giveaways every 2nd Saturday of the month, from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM, at **Bold Ministries** (2826 GA-20, Conyers, GA 30013). This outreach is open to all and designed to support families with nutritious food in a welcoming environment. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **Clayton County Community Services Authority** operates a Head Start program, indigent transportation, adult education programs, legal counseling, foot stamp and Medicaid application assistance and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.



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- **New Life Community Alliance** exists to erase the legacy of poverty in South DeKalb neighborhoods by delivering vital services to those in need, such as grocery boxes, clothes, hot meals, and offers employment and housing assistance to help our neighbors achieve long-term stability. [Click here](#) to learn more about the resources they offer.
- **Wholesome Wave Georgia's SNAP Connection** program provides free assistance for SNAP (food stamps) and other benefits including Medicaid, Childcare and Parent Services (CAPS), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), Women, Infants, and Children (WIC), and more. [Click here](#) to access the information.

Housing Assistance Services

- **ARCHI** offers resources for Fulton, DeKalb, Clayton, Cobb, and Gwinnett residents that need help paying their rent, mortgage, or utility bills. [Click here](#) to complete an application.
- The **City of Atlanta Housing Help Center** is Atlanta's official housing resource center containing helpful information on renting, buying, and getting other kinds of housing help. You can also find additional resources such as receiving eviction prevention or defense assistant, filing a 311-code complaint, and applying for resources for home repairs or utility payments. [Click here](#) to access the site. Call 404-465-1829 for more information.
- The **Community Restoration Project (CRP)** provides housing assistance and other resources necessary to influence and ensure families and individuals have the tools they need to become self-sufficient and maintain productive and successful lives. [Click here](#) to learn more about their programs.
- **Crossroads Community Ministries** seeks to provide access to resources that empower people experiencing homelessness to progress on the road toward economic and personal stability. [Click here](#) to learn more about their programs.



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- **Frontline Housing Inc.**, located in Clayton County, GA strives to provide permanent housing options to individuals and families as well as providing financial well-being services. [Click here](#) to learn more about their programs.
- **Fulton Atlanta Community Action Authority** has a **Community Services Block Grant** that provides housing, nutrition, utility, transportation assistance, employment, education, and other services to under-resourced communities. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **Georgia Community Action Association** helps residents who are in need pay their utility bills. [Click here](#) to navigate your respective county's webpage.
- The **Georgia Department of Community Supervision Reentry Services Division** maintains the **Transitional Housing for Offender Reentry (THOR)** directory that contains community-based residential facilities that have met the standards on transitional housing for people on state supervision. [Click here](#) to access the directory.
- The **Georgia Department of Community Affairs** aids people experiencing homelessness in Georgia provided through the Continuum of Care network. [Click here](#) to view options for assistance.
- The **Georgia Department of Community Affairs** provides the **Georgia Housing Search** website, an easy-to-use search website that provides Georgians with access to rental housing opportunities. [Click here](#) to access the website. For help searching, call 1-877-428-8844.
- **Housing Plus Inc.** seeks to deliver equitable housing solutions, economic wellness programs, and financial assistance for low-income households in Georgia. [Click here](#) to learn more about the resources they offer.
- **Motel to Home (M2H)** moves families out of motels and into stable, permanent housing with a 3-step approach: outreach, housing, and aftercare. [Click here](#) to fill out an information form and see if you meet the requirements.
- **Partners Against Domestic Violence** specializes in assisting individuals and families with finding safe housing. Call 1-800-33-HAVEN (42836) or email info@padv.org for more information.



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- The **Public Housing Authority** has published a list of contacts for public housing authorities arranged by the city for residents looking to find low-rent housing options. [Click here](#) to access the contact list.
- **St. Vincent De Paul Georgia** brings hope to those in need by means of offering rehousing and transitional housing programs, food recovery and distribution programs, and health services. [Click here](#) to learn more about what they offer.
- The **U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development** offers housing counseling that provides answers consumers need to make informed housing decisions. [Click here](#) to access the search portal and choose your zip code. They also offer a HUD resource locator website to assist in finding affordable housing opportunities near you. [Click here](#) to use the HUD resource locator website.

Medical Assistance Services

- **Georgia's Aging and Disability Resource Connection** provides citizens with a resource directory applying to assisted living, abuse and crisis related questions, housing, and home delivered meals. [Click here](#) to access the website.
- The **Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities** may be able to offer assistance from the local Community Service Board. [Click here](#) to find a community board serving your local area.
- **Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition of Georgia** is committed to providing resources and information mothers, birth givers, and families need to thrive in Georgia. Some of these resources include referral services, educational programs, perinatal kits, maternal mental health support, and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **Mothers Mental Health Line** offers mothers an opportunity to connect with a counselor at no charge. Call or text 1-833-943-5746 to contact a counselor.
- **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 Pre-vocational. Contact Yovani Stephens at 770-427-9000 ext. 5124 or Yovani.Stephens@TommyNobisCenter.org for additional information.



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- **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. [Click here](#) to join Unite Us. Unite Us provides access to almost 200 partners across the metro Atlanta area. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **U.S. Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services** provides contact information and resources for any questions related to Medicare and the process. [Click here](#) to access the contact information page.

Transportation Services

- The **Clayton County Community Services Authority** operates a Head Start program, indigent transportation, adult education programs, legal counseling, foot stamp and Medicaid application assistance and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Douglas County Rideshare** provides a vanpool service from Douglas County to work locations throughout metro Atlanta, and express bus service to downtown and Midtown Atlanta. Contact connectdouglas@co.douglas.ga.us for more information.
- **Fulton Atlanta Community Action Authority** has a **Community Services Block Grant** that provides housing, nutrition, utility, transportation assistance, employment, education, and other services to under-resourced communities. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Georgia Commute Options** provides information to commuters who live and work near one another, commute at the same time of day, and who are interested in carpooling. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Group Home Alliance** distributes MARTA cards at no cost to qualified applicants in part of their mission to bridge the transportation gap and connect people to opportunity. This program is designed for seniors, veterans, and those referred from partner agencies. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **Midtown Assistance Center (MAC)** provides financial assistance, a food pantry, and local transit fare for employment or interviews. Bus fare will be provided for those who recently started a full-time job. Additionally, MAC can provide specialized clothing, footwear, and uniforms needed for different industries including hospitality, construction,



and service. [Click here](#) to learn more and request help. Contact mac@midtownassistancecenter.org for more information.

- **Sober Living America** utilizes a fleet of vans to provide transportation services. Rides are available to assist individuals in maintaining their independence by facilitating travel to work, Alcoholics Anonymous meetings, church, and more. Call 877-430-0086 for more information.
- **St. Vincent de Paul of Georgia** provides a variety of transportation assistance, including MARTA cards, gas cards, car repair assistance, car payment assistance, insurance payment assistance and more. Call 678-892-6160 for more information.
- **WorkSource Atlanta** will provide MARTA cards to individuals who are eligible and participating in a Workforce Innovation and Opportunity (WIOA) funded program. [Click here](#) to learn more.

Other Supportive Services

- The **Georgia Legal Services Program** offers free legal services to Georgians with low incomes. For legal assistance pertaining to eviction, call 404-524-5811. [Click here](#) to check your eligibility and see what other resources they offer.
- **Planned Pethood** offers residents assistance when it comes to pet ownership. They provide spay and neuter clinics, wellness clinics, programs to support community/feral cats and more. [Click here](#) to access their resource page. Call 678-561-3491 for more information.

COMMUNITY RESOURCE EVENTS

NOTE: Before attending an event, it is highly recommended to confirm event plans with the event host.

Events This Week

- **Fathers Incorporated** hosts 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. The 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,



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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.

- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Lunch & Learn: Budgeting and Fundamentals of Personal Finance** on Monday, October 12th, from 11:30 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Decatur Career Center** (2201 Lawrenceville Highway, Decatur, GA 30033). For more information, call 404-554-9550. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting a **Financial Literacy Class** every Monday, from 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM, at the **Palmetto Branch** (9111 Cascade Palmetto Highway, Palmetto, GA 30268). Come and empower yourself with tools to achieve financial freedom, learn practical tips on Budgeting, Money management, Debt management, and more from two financial experts, from World System Builder, Manker Biah, and Dominique R. Johnson. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** hosts a **Behavioral Health Network: Resource Table** every second Thursday of the month, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at **Adams Park** (2231 Campbellton Road, SW, Atlanta, GA 30311). Mr. Leon Montgomery, from Fulton County's Behavioral Health Developmental and Disabilities department will come and provide behavioral health resources and guidance. This program is free and open to the public. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **St. Vincent de Paul Georgia** hosts an **Adult Life Skills Class** on Tuesdays, from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM, at **St. Vincent de Paul Georgia** (2050-C Chamblee Tucker Road, Atlanta, GA 30341). This class offers participants the chance to start building a healthier, more fulfilling life. Guided by a certified instructor in counseling, coaching, and crisis response, this class will equip attendees with essential tools and insights to help navigate life's challenges. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Georgia Justice Project**, in partnership with **Barred Business**, is hosting **Talk Justice Tuesday**, on Tuesday, October 13th, starting at 12:00 PM. This virtual event will feature shared practical resources designed to help justice-impacted Georgians navigate reentry barriers and take action on their own. Learn more about GJP's Do-It-Yourself (DIY)/Pro Se resources, including eligibility information, step-by-step instructions and templates for pursuing certain legal remedies without an attorney. [Click here](#) to register. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting **Plan Today. Protect Tomorrow** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 4:30 PM to 6:00 PM, at the **Wolf Creek Branch** (3100 Enon Road, Atlanta, GA 30331). Join in for an informative attorney workshop on estate planning and



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protecting what matters most. Attendees will also get an introduction to business formation and contract services. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **Fulton County Library System** hosts **Helping Hands: FREE Academic Peer Help for K-12 Students** on Tuesdays, from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at the **Sandy Springs Branch** (395 Mount Vernon Highway, Sandy Springs, GA 30328). Every Tuesday, a dedicated group of teen instructors is available to provide students grades K-12 with a free, 30-minute, in person learning session. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **DeKalb County Public Library** is hosting a **Debt Clinic** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM, at the **Decatur Library** (215 Sycamore Street, Decatur, GA 30030). Do you need legal help with debt? Bring all relevant paperwork to get assistance. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Center for Black Women's Wellness** hosts **Empowerment Through Education** classes every Tuesday, starting at 6:00 PM via Zoom. Join this FREE weekly class to learn how to prepare for your new baby. CBWW Nurse Amy leads this open discussion with a new topic each week– from managing pregnancy, preparing for delivery, to postpartum care for both mom and baby. [Click here](#) for a flyer containing a QR code to register.
- **University of Parents (U4P)** hosts **DadCONNECT** on Tuesdays at 6:00 PM, virtually. This is a monthly virtual and community-based space designed to empower fathers and strengthen families. These monthly sessions are opportunities for fathers, grandfathers, stepfathers, and male caregivers come together for honest conversation, encouragement, and practical tools for fatherhood and life. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Community Assistance Center (CAC)** is hosting **My Financial Goals 1** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM, at the **CAC Empowerment Center** (1130 Hightower Trail, Atlanta, GA 30350). This FREE one-night course helps you learn the basics of budgeting, set short-term financial goals, and get connected to community resources that help you move forward during financial hardship. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting **Magistrate Court 101** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM, at the **Metropolitan Branch** (1332 Metropolitan Parkway, Atlanta, GA 30310). Join Chief Magistrate Judge Cassandra Kirk for free legal information and navigational services without an attorney. In this class, you will learn how to represent yourself in court, how to fill out and file court rules, how to start a legal case, and how to respond to a legal case. [Click here](#) to learn more.



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- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting **F.Y.I Wednesdays** every Wednesday, from 3:30 PM to 5:00 PM, at the **Metropolitan Branch** (1332 Metropolitan Parkway, Atlanta, GA 30310). Have a question about homework? Struggling with resources for that research project? The Library is here to help! Drop into the Teen Area on Wednesday afternoons during the school year, where you can learn about available academic databases (and some fun resources too!). This event is open to teens ages 13-17 years old. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **DeKalb County Public Library** is hosting **Ready! Set! Baby!** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM, at the **Scott Candler Library** (1917 Candler Road, Decatur, GA 30032). Join in for a five-week series designed for expectant parents. Each week will cover a different parenting topic like breastfeeding, sleep safety, and more. Space is limited to 12 couples. Each class will include a special gift for your baby. You must attend at least three sessions for an invitation to the Community Baby Shower. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** hosts a **SNAP Application Assistance** class on Thursdays, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **South DeKalb Career Center** (1295 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30032). For more information, call 404-728-8605. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **St. Vincent de Paul Georgia** hosts a **Money Matters – Financial Education and Budgeting Workshop** every Thursday, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM, at **St. Vincent de Paul Georgia** (2050-C Chamblee Tucker Road, Atlanta, GA 30341). Maintaining a budget can be a challenge, especially when the prices of goods and services are on the rise. This workshop offers financial expertise for a one-on-one coaching session (in-person or virtually). [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Stewart Foundation** is hosting the **Annual Bobbie Jean Smith Health and Wellness Fair** on Saturday, October 17th, from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Columbia Middle School** (3001 Columbia Drive, Decatur, GA 30034). Get ready to prioritize your health, wellness, and community! This event will feature activities, classes, vendors, resources and more and it is free and open to the public. [Click here](#) to learn more and register. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- The **LifeLine Animal Project** is hosting **Healthy Pets Fulton** on Saturday, October 17th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Atlanta Technical College** (1560 Metropolitan Parkway, SW, Atlanta, GA 30310). This event provides a fun atmosphere for the whole family, four-legged and two-legged alike. All humans receive free hot dogs, veggie dogs, chips, water and more! Although the lines can be long, they move fast, and everyone agrees that the freebies LifeLine offers for pets are worth the wait. The event will offer rabies vaccinations for dogs



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and cats, distemper vaccines, microchips and supplies such as food, leashes and collars – all free. [Click here](#) to learn more.

- **Clayton County Government** is hosting a **Veterans Health and Resource Fair** on Saturday, October 17th, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Lake Spivey Recreation Center** (2300 Walt Stephens Road, Jonesboro, GA 30236). This event will feature free health screenings and resources for veterans, including VA claims assistance, insurance brokers, mental health support, housing, and more. Veterans, please bring your Military or VA ID. [Click here](#) for a flyer to learn more.
- The **Mount Gilead Missionary Baptist Church** is hosting a **Community Health Fair Expo** on Saturday, October 17th, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Mount Gilead Missionary Baptist Church** (3399 Ruby H. Harper Boulevard, SE, Atlanta, GA 30354). Don't miss this fun event that is open to public and offering free health checks, tips and good vibes. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Center for Black Women's Wellness** is hosting **Say it With Your Chest! Breast Cancer Panel Discussion** on Saturday, October 17th, starting at 11:00 AM, at the **Center for Black Women's Wellness** (477 Windsor Street, SW, Atlanta, GA 30312). Join this free event to hear from a panel including a variety of medical professionals, survivors, and caretakers. Attendees will also be able to partake in a question-and-answer session, a survivors celebration, and enjoy light food and refreshments. [Click here](#) for a flyer containing a QR code to register.

Future Events

- **Commissioner Tashé Allen**, in partnership with **Barred Business**, is hosting a **Volunteer Membership Meeting & Listening Session** on Monday, October 19th, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM, at the **Jim Huie Recreation Center** (9045 Tara Boulevard, Jonesboro, GA 30236). This event will focus on the experiences of formerly incarcerated individuals, justice-impacted residents and families, returning citizens, and community advocates. This is an opportunity to share your experiences, discuss challenges, offer ideas, and talk about ways to improve opportunities for justice-impacted residents in Clayton County. [Click here](#) to learn more. [Click here](#) to register. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting a **Women's Wholesome Wellness** event on Wednesday, October 21st, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **Northeast/Spruill Oaks Branch** (9560 Spruill Road, Johns Creek, GA 30022). Would you like to learn more about Lifestyle Medicine and how it can be applied to your life? Join this program once a month



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with Life Coach, Sona Tank. The six pillars of Lifestyle Medicine will be discussed in detail. [Click here](#) to learn more.

- The **Military Officers Association of America (MOAA)** is hosting a webinar on **What You Need to Know for the TRICARE, Medicare, and FEDVIP Open Season** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM. Are you satisfied with your current TRICARE or Medicare plan? Is your Federal Employee Dental and Vision Insurance Program (FEDVIP) coverage meeting your and your family's needs? Do you know what to expect when it comes to health care price increases in 2027? Aside from a qualifying life event ([QLE](#)), open season is your only chance each year to make changes to your TRICARE, Medicare, or FEDVIP coverage. Join Lila Quintiliani, ChFC®, AFC®, MOAA's financial and benefits counselor, for an in-depth review of these programs. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Community Assistance Center (CAC)** is hosting a **Healthy Living Series** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 9:30 Am to 11:30 AM, at the **CAC Empowerment Center** (1130 Hightower Trail, Atlanta, GA 30350). Being healthier doesn't have to be complicated or expensive. Join Neil Cooper, MD, a board-certified Lifestyle Medicine physician and health coach, for a practical and empowering introduction to healthy living. This event will explore how food, physical activity, sleep, stress, relationships, and other everyday choices can influence how we feel today and improve our long-term health. You'll leave with realistic ideas you can begin putting into practice right away—no expensive foods, gym memberships, or perfect lifestyle required. Adults of all ages and fitness levels are welcome. Come as you are, bring your questions, and discover practical steps you can take to become an active participant in your own health. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting **Community Connections with DisabilityLink** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM, at the **Kirkwood Branch** (11 Kirkwood Road, NE, Atlanta, GA 30317). A representative from disABILITY LINK will be at the Kirkwood Library to share information about the organization's programs, services, and eligibility requirements. This is a great opportunity to learn how disABILITY LINK supports individuals with disabilities in achieving independence and accessing resources. Attendees will also have the chance to ask questions and connect directly with a knowledgeable team member. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **Clayton County Library System** is hosting **CCHD Free HIV Testing** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 1:30 PM to 4:00 PM, at the **Morrow Library** (6225 Maddox Road, Morrow, GA 30260). No appointment is required for this fast, free, and confidential testing. Results provided in one minute. [Click here](#) to learn more.



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- The **Community Assistance Center (CAC)** is hosting **Financial Literacy Club** on Saturday, October 24th, from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM, at the **CAC Empowerment Center** (1130 Hightower Trail, Sandy Springs, GA 30350). Build financial confidence in a relaxed, interactive setting while you explore practical money topics through conversation, games, and activities. This free event is offered every fourth and fifth Saturday of the month. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **DeKalb County Public Library** is hosting **Maximize your Social Security** on Saturday, October 24th, from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM, at the **Flat Shoals Library** (4022 Flat Shoals Parkway, Decatur, GA 30034). Join in for an informational session to learn how to maximize your Social Security benefits. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting **Voices of Courage: A Domestic Violence Awareness Event** on Saturday, October 24th, from 4:00 PM to 5:30 PM, at the **Kirkwood Branch** (11 Kirkwood Road, NE, Atlanta, GA 30317). Join volunteers C. Weems and M. Pruitt (DHS), for an impactful community event, as they come together to raise awareness, support survivors, and provide resources for those affected by domestic violence. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **DeKalb County Public Library** is hosting **Managing Holiday Stress with UGA Extension** on Monday, October 26th, from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at the **Scott Candler Library** (1917 Candler Road, Decatur, GA 30032). Take a well-deserved hour to pause, unwind, and reset during the busy holiday season. This relaxing class for ages 18–29 combines gentle movement, breathing techniques, mindfulness, and simple stress-relief practices to help you feel calmer and more refreshed. Perfect for anyone looking to slow down, recharge, and enjoy the holidays with less stress. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Goodwill of North Georgia** is hosting a **Lanier Tech Resource Fair** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, at the **Ramsey Conference Center** (2535 Lanier Tech Drive, Gainesville, GA 30507). For more information, call 770-538-4209. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting **Ask a Social Worker** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 10:30 AM to 3:30 PM, at the **Kirkwood Branch** (11 Kirkwood Road, Atlanta, GA 30317). Ask a Social Worker is a designated timeframe when a social worker will be available to provide walk-in services to library patrons. During these times, the social worker on-site can assist with applying for various government benefits, obtaining housing or rental assistance, and obtaining homeless identification letters. They can also provide information about local resources for unhoused patrons. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **Military Officers Association of America (MOAA)** is hosting a webinar on **Guard and Reserve Retirement Benefits** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 1:00 PM to 3:30 PM. Ready to wrap up a career in the National Guard or Reserve? Considering leaving service but unsure whether you qualify for retirement, or have questions about health care or other benefits? Hoping to advance on your civilian career path and capitalize on the leadership skills and technical know-how acquired while in uniform? These challenging questions often aren't answered by seminars or programs aimed at active-duty servicemembers. That's why MOAA has launched this comprehensive workshop geared specifically to Guard and Reserve issues. Whether you are returning from your first or fifth deployment, whether you're looking to retire or have already stopped drilling and are in the retirement "gray area," you'll benefit from this one-of-a-kind workshop dedicated to Guard and Reserve transition! [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting **Financial Fraud and Scammers** on Tuesday, Monday, October 27th, starting at 6:00 PM, at the **Milton Branch** (855 Mayfield Road, Milton, GA 30009). Join in for an informative series of free financial literacy programs presented by Arpit Shah, Financial Advisor with Edward Jones Financial. Learn how to recognize common financial scams, protect your personal information, and take steps to safeguard yourself and your loved ones from fraud. These programs are free and open to the community. Whether you're just beginning your financial journey or looking to expand your knowledge, you'll leave with practical information and valuable resources to help you make informed financial decisions. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Community Assistance Center (CAC)** is hosting a **Virtual Class: My Financial Goals 1** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM. This free one-session course helps you learn the basics of budgeting, set short-term financial goals, and get connected to community resources that help you move forward during financial hardship. No experience necessary! This virtual class is held online and is live-cast on Zoom. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Teach for America Metro Atlanta** is hosting **Plan Your Family Like You Plan Your Career** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM, at **Teach for America** (565 Northside Drive, SW, Atlanta, GA 30310). Join TFA Metro Atlanta alum Racquel Hill (Atlanta '10) and workforce strategist Andrea P. Miller for an intimate conversation about the things many of us do not learn until we need them. Together, they'll talk about family building, fertility and infertility, FMLA and parental leave, workplace benefits, and how to identify resources that may already be available through your employer. This conversation is designed for alumni who are thinking about starting or growing their families, whether that means soon, someday, or if you simply want to better understand your options. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **Community Assistance Center (CAC)** is hosting **My Financial Goals 2** on Thursday, October 29th, from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM, at the **CAC Empowerment Center** (1130 Hightower Trail, Atlanta, GA 30350). In this FREE one-night course, you'll learn to create a financial recovery plan tailored to your situation. Topics include SMART goal-setting, helpful financial behaviors, managing debt, and improving your credit. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Community Assistance Center (CAC)** is hosting **Financial Literacy Club** on Saturday, October 31st, from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM, at the **CAC Empowerment Center** (1130 Hightower Trail, Sandy Springs, GA 30350). Build financial confidence in a relaxed, interactive setting while you explore practical money topics through conversation, games, and activities. This free event is offered every fourth and fifth Saturday of the month. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Urban League of Greater Atlanta** is hosting a **Homebuyer Education Workshop** on Saturday, October 31st, from 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM. Join in for this empowering online event packed with resources, workshops, and tools to help you achieve homeownership. This class will cover mortgages, credit, home inspections, insurance, down payment assistance, and fair housing. Upon completing the workshop, you will earn a certificate of completion and eligibility to participate in Down Payment Assistance (DPA) programs from state, county DPA programs, and some lenders. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Emory University** is hosting a **Birth Experience Expo** on Saturday, October 31st, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at **Emory University Hospital Midtown** (550 Peachtree Street, NE, Atlanta, GA 30308). This special event designed for expectant parents will feature delicious food, hands-on educational workshops, and exciting giveaways. This is also a wonderful opportunity to meet the compassionate EUHM care team, ask questions, and explore the resources that will support you throughout your birth journey. Come discover everything you need to feel confident, informed, and celebrated as you prepare for your growing family! Food will be served & parking will be validated! [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **YMCA of Metro Atlanta** is hosting a **THRIVE Resource Fair** on Thursday, November 5th, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Summit Family YMCA** (1765 East Highway, Newnan, GA 30265). Whether you are an individual living with a disability, a caregiver, educator, service provider, or advocate, this event will offer meaningful tools and connections to help navigate life challenges and THRIVE. Whether you're navigating care options, looking for adaptive programs, or seeking community connections, The Summit Family THRIVE Resource Fair is here to support you. Enjoy hands-on activities, meet local service providers,



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and discover resources that can transform your lives as well as your quality of life. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **LifeLine Animal Project** is hosting **Healthy Pets DeKalb** on Saturday, November 7th, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Wade Walker Park** (5585 Rockbridge Road, Stone Mountain, GA 30088). This event provides a fun atmosphere for the whole family, four-legged and two-legged alike. All humans receive free hot dogs, veggie dogs, chips, water and more! Although the lines can be long, they move fast, and everyone agrees that the freebies LifeLine offers for pets are worth the wait. The event will offer rabies vaccinations for dogs and cats, distemper vaccines, microchips and supplies such as food, leashes and collars – all free. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Atlanta GLOW** is hosting **The GLOW Up and Grow Experience** on Saturday, November 7th, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **John H. Harland Boys and Girls Club** (434 Peoples Street, SE, Atlanta, GA 30310). This free, uplifting event is designed for high school students (ages 14-17), ready to step into their next chapter. This expo equips young people with the confidence, tools, and connections to navigate life after high school by providing workshops focused on preparing for the road ahead, building confidence and leadership, plus mentor connections, guest speakers, college and career resources, and activities like vision board stations, a photo booth, and giveaways. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Center for Black Women's Wellness** is hosting its **Annual Community Health Fair** on Saturday, November 7th, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at the **Dunbar Neighborhood Center** (477 Windsor Street, Atlanta, GA 30312). Don't miss this family-friendly, open to the public event that will offer free resources, family fun, empowerment, and community. [Click here](#) for a flyer.
- The **Fulton County Library System** is hosting **Navigating Market Volatility** on Tuesday, Monday, November 10th, starting at 6:00 PM, at the **Milton Branch** (855 Mayfield Road, Milton, GA 30009). Join in for an informative series of free financial literacy programs presented by Arpit Shah, Financial Advisor with Edward Jones Financial. Gain a better understanding of market ups and downs, explore long-term investing principles, and learn practical approaches to staying focused during uncertain economic conditions. These programs are free and open to the community. Whether you're just beginning your financial journey or looking to expand your knowledge, you'll leave with practical information and valuable resources to help you make informed financial decisions. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Community Assistance Center (CAC)** is hosting **Budgeting vs. Cash Flow: The Road to Homeownership** on Wednesday, November 12th, from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM, at the **CAC**



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Empowerment Center (1130 Hightower Trail, Atlanta, GA 30350). Learn how to create a realistic budget and determine how much of your income should go toward housing, food, debt, savings, and other monthly expenses. You'll also explore practical housing options and steps you can take to work toward homeownership. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Thrive USA** is hosting the **3rd Annual Girls and Boys with a Purpose College Fair** on Saturday, November 14th, from 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM, at the **Westlake High School** (2400 Union Road, SW, Atlanta, GA 30331). Thrive USA is bringing students, families, colleges, universities, and resources together for this annual event. Designed for high school students across Metro Atlanta, this experience is about more than collecting brochures. It's about helping students have real conversations, discover new possibilities, and leave with a clearer understanding of what their next step could look like. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Experience Camps** is hosting the **"It's Not Fair" Fair** on Sunday, November 15th, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at **Trees Atlanta** (825 Warner Street, SW, Atlanta, GA 30310). The "It's Not Fair" Fair is a free community event for children and teens who have experienced the death of someone important to them, and the adults who support them. This is a place to meet people who get it. Kids and teens can meet others who get it, try on a new way to grieve, play, move, explore, and have fun. Caregivers can connect with other adults who understand what it's like to support a grieving child while navigating their own grief. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

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NOTE: Before attending an event, it is highly recommended to confirm event plans with the event host.

Opportunities with Local Hosts

- The **Georgia Center for Nonprofits** is hosting **Get Centered** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Get Centered is a virtual offering from GCN designed to help professionals strengthen the well-being skills that support success at work. These sessions combine practical strategies with opportunities for peer connection, giving you tools you can immediately apply in your professional life. Complimentary for [GCN members](#), Get Centered will explore different aspects of well-being, offering fresh ideas and practices that



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can be adapted to your unique context. By participating, you'll gain actionable techniques, learn from the experiences of others, and join a supportive community committed to integrating well-being into everyday professional practice. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **Metro Atlanta eXchange for Workforce Solutions (MAX)** is convening workforce partners for **MAX Talks with Centennial Yards** on Wednesday, October 14th, from 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM at **Centennial Yards**. Centennial Yards is Atlanta's transformative 50-acre, mixed-use development that is reshaping a historic area of downtown with new office, residential, retail, hospitality, and entertainment spaces while creating significant employment opportunities. The project is expected to create thousands of permanent jobs while also generating construction jobs throughout its multi-year buildout. This MAX Talks will provide us with an opportunity to hear from Centennial Yards leadership about current and future workforce needs, including the occupations and industries where they need the greatest hiring support. Participants will gain valuable insights into opportunities for collaboration and learn how workforce development partners can better align programs, services, and talent pipelines with employer needs being created through this landmark development. Following our lunch discussion, guests will be treated to a windshield tour of the 50-acre mega-project. Lunch begins at 11:30 AM. Space is limited. [Click here](#) to register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) – Atlanta** is hosting a webinar on **Hiring for Retention: Stop the Turnover Before it Starts** on Thursday, October 15th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Turnover can feel unpredictable, but hiring and early-tenure data often reveal patterns that help explain why employees leave. In this session, attendees will learn how misalignment can begin before an employee's first day through unclear job expectations, overreliance on resumes, and inconsistent interviews. SHRM will examine traits commonly associated with retention, including dependability, stress tolerance, adaptability, and conscientiousness, and explain why the traits that matter most vary by role and organization. Attendees will also explore practical ways to reduce misalignment through realistic job previews, structured interviews, clear job descriptions, and assessments. They'll leave with a framework for identifying the root causes of turnover and strengthening the hiring process around long-term fit. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) – Atlanta** is hosting a **Public Sector Professionals Network Meetup** on Monday, October 19th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. In October, the Public Sector Professionals Network will discuss workplace culture, civility, and employee engagement. Join in to share tactics and glean ideas! [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **Georgia Center for Nonprofits** is hosting **The ABC(D)s of Community Engagement: Asset-Based Community Development, Collaboration, and Taking Action** on Tuesday, October 20th, from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM. An essential partner for any nonprofit is the local community. Whether defined by a specific geographic area or particular demographic groups, your community's voice is vital to shaping what you offer and how you offer it. This course supports you with fundamental knowledge and skills for community engagement. You will learn Asset-based Community Development (ABCD) principles and approaches, as well as best practices for collaborative leadership and assessing the effectiveness of your collaborative work (like networks, partnerships, and coalitions). The course will then dive into taking action: community-based methods for data collection, homing in on issues to act on, and work planning. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) – Atlanta** is hosting its **Legal and Risk Management Summit** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM, at the **YMCA of Metropolitan – Atlanta Administrative Offices** (569 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, NW, Atlanta, GA 30314). The workplace legal landscape is changing rapidly, and HR leaders are expected to navigate it all. Join employment attorneys, HR executives, and area leaders for a practical, forward-looking summit focused on today's most pressing workplace challenges. Gain actionable guidance to help organizations reduce risk, strengthen leadership decision making, and build legally defensible workplace practices. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **United Way of Greater Atlanta** is hosting a **Donor Town Hall Webinar** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Be among the first to explore the latest impact and insights at a virtual Town Hall designed for United Way of Greater Atlanta donors. At this special, hour-long virtual town hall, you'll get a first look at highlights from United Way of Greater Atlanta's FY25-26 Annual Report and hear key insights from the latest Child Well-Being Index®, presented by Chief Community Impact Officer Malika Anderson. Together, these updates will provide a deeper understanding of the experiences of children and families across Greater Atlanta, the progress being made, and the opportunities ahead. You'll also hear from President & CEO Milton J. Little, Jr. about the opportunities and challenges shaping the region's future, learn how donor support is helping create pathways to economic mobility, and have the opportunity to engage directly with United Way leadership during a live Q&A. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Metro Atlanta eXchange for Workforce Solutions (MAX)** is hosting **MAX Minutes with Natalie R. Williams, The Core Method LLC**, on Friday, October 23rd, at 9:00 AM, via Zoom. Georgia's opportunity is no longer simply about job creation. It is about talent creation. Drawing from her report, *Georgia's Workforce Readiness Outlook: Preparing Talent for the Future of Work*, Natalie R. Williams, Founder and Principal of The CORE Method™ LLC, will



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join MAX to explore the evolving ecosystem shaping how Georgia develops talent — including advances in technology, changing employer expectations, skills-based hiring, education and workforce pathways, and the policies that influence how these systems connect. [Click here](#) to register.

- The **Georgia Center for Nonprofits** is hosting a webinar on **Strategic Planning with Your Nonprofit Board** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM. One of the key responsibilities of a nonprofit board is developing and supporting successful strategies for the organization. Considering the unique needs and structures of nonprofits, it can be challenging for board members to discern the best ways for them to contribute to the strategic planning process. Many nonprofits have staff that carry the vision forward into implementation, but for certain types of boards, some (or all) of that responsibility is placed on them as well. In this new addition to the member-exclusive board series, GCN is taking a deeper dive into the role of the board in guiding strategic thinking, planning, and execution. GCN will discuss how different “types” of boards impact that role, and ways that board members can make meaningful contributions in support of the long-term effectiveness of the nonprofits they serve. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) – Atlanta** is hosting a webinar on **Career Agility by Design: Embedding Leadership Growth Across the Talent Lifecycle** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. What if leadership development wasn’t just a program, but rather an ecosystem? In a world where roles shift faster than org charts, the organizations that thrive treat every stage of the employee journey as a moment to grow capability, not just performance. In this interactive session, Tina Schust Robinson, CEO of WorkJoy, helps HR leaders rewire how they think about leadership growth. You’ll learn how to embed continuous development into everyday processes, from hiring and onboarding to performance reviews and succession, using a practical blueprint that builds agility, accountability, and culture. Participants will use real scenarios to identify leadership levers already embedded in their systems. Walk away with a framework and tools to turn career agility into a sustainable business advantage. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Georgia Chamber** is hosting **Atlanta Connections and Cocktails** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM, at **Onward Reserve** (116 Bennett Street, NW, Atlanta, GA 30309). The Georgia Chamber invites you to join in for this connections and cocktails event. Georgia Chamber members, prospects, and community members are welcome to join in for an evening of networking in Atlanta. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **United Way of Greater Atlanta** is hosting **Next Level Leadership: Build Influence, Drive Impact, and Shape the Future** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 11:00 AM to 1:30 PM, at **Delta Air Lines Corporate Headquarters – Wheels Up Conference Room** (1030 Delta



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Boulevard, Atlanta, GA 30354). Join United Way of Greater Atlanta's African-American Partnership for an engaging professional development experience featuring executive leaders from some of Atlanta's most respected organizations. The Next Level: Building Influence, Driving Impact, & Preparing for the Future explores what it takes to lead with purpose, navigate change, and stay ahead in an evolving workplace. Hear firsthand lessons from senior executives, gain practical leadership insights, and explore the trends shaping the future of work. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **Georgia Center for Nonprofits** is hosting a webinar on **Federal Funding and the New Landscape of Risk and Compliance** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 12:00 PM to 12:45 PM. The landscape of federal funding compliance is shifting and proactively managing the associated risks is essential to preserving these funding sources and sustaining your mission and impact. GCN is providing three new opportunities for nonprofit leaders and stakeholders to understand what's changing and how they can respond. GCN CEO Karen Beavor will be joined by Arnall Golden Gregory Partner Megan P. Mitchell for an overview of the changing requirements and ways nonprofits can assess, adapt, and maintain funding. You'll come away with heightened awareness of your compliance obligations, your organization's key risk areas, and information to help you create a plan to shore up your practices. Participants will receive a Compliance Risk Assessment Tool and Planning Guide to facilitate next steps. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Georgia Center for Nonprofits** is hosting a webinar on **How to Start a Nonprofit** on Thursday, October 29th, from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM. Passion may get you started, but government, funders, and policies are critical if you are to be successful. Many people have the opinion that there are too many nonprofits, and duplication is causing greater competition for funding. Learn how to overcome these perceptions and challenges in the community and ensure you are on a path toward success. The workshop covers the legal, financial, planning, governance, and fundraising areas needed to start a successful nonprofit organization. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) – Atlanta** is hosting a **Talent Acquisition Network Meetup** on Friday, October 30th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Join this virtual conversation among talent acquisition professionals. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) – Atlanta** is hosting a **New Member Orientation** on Tuesday, November 3rd, from 12:00 PM to 12:30 PM. Whether you've recently joined as a new member or just need a refresher on all the great benefits available to you, SHRM encourages you to join us for this informational webinar! [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **Georgia Center for Nonprofits** is hosting a **Collaborate Strategic Options Lab** on Wednesday, November 4th, from 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM. Whether you're considering shared services, a strategic alliance, or exploring merger conversations, this cohort-based, consultant-led program guides your team from an idea ("we should collaborate") to a well-defined model and an executable partnership plan. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) – Atlanta** is hosting **Designing Total Rewards Statements That Change the Conversation** on Wednesday, November 4th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Total rewards statements are supposed to help employees see the full picture of their compensation. In practice, most end up as PDFs that get opened once and forgotten. The problem usually is the design, the timing, and the story they tell (or fail to tell). This webinar reimagines total rewards communication as a conversation tool, not a compliance deliverable. SHRM will discuss how to structure statements that answer the questions employees actually have, how to time their delivery for maximum impact (hint: not just at annual review), and how to equip managers to use them as a starting point for richer pay discussions. If you're building or refreshing total rewards statements, this program will change your approach. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) – Atlanta** is hosting a **Lunch & Learn: Peachtree City** on Thursday, November 5th, from 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Peachtree City Library** (201 Willowbend Road, Peachtree City, GA 30269). High-demand workplaces place heavy pressure on HR and people leaders, often pulling them into constant reactivity. This session equips professionals with practical tools to manage disruptions, protect their peace, and lead from a grounded place. Participants will learn how to filter priorities, navigate emotional overload, and model steadiness in environments where everything feels urgent. This is a direct, honest conversation about leadership under pressure — and how to stay effective without burning out. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Georgia Chamber** is hosting the **Economic Inclusion Summit** on Tuesday, November 10th, from 8:30 AM to 1:00 PM, at the **Georgia International Convention Center** (2000 Convention Center Concourse, College Park, GA 30337). As Georgia continues to become more diverse, our state's leaders must seek to understand, engage in, and accept the responsibility to work towards an inclusive environment. Join business professionals from all over the state as you hear from speakers and panelists on topics ranging from shifting cultures in the workplace to the success and failures of diversity and inclusion experts. This event will allow participants to grow their network with individuals and organizations who



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share the commitment to making economic inclusion a strategic priority for business success and community prosperity. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) – Atlanta** is hosting a webinar on **Understanding Changes in Employer Healthcare** on Thursday, November 12th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Something fundamental is shifting in employer healthcare, and most benefits teams won't see it coming until it's already expensive. The Consolidated Appropriations Act's PBM transparency provisions, taking effect in 2028, will finally give employers full visibility into drug pricing, rebates, and utilization — but PBMs are already positioning to offset lost rebate revenue through administrative fees that are harder to see and harder to challenge. At the same time, direct-to-employer drug models, first tested with GLP-1s, are tracking to expand into other high-cost drug classes, meaning the coverage decisions employers make today will shape how much flexibility they have once the new rules land. This session goes beyond a standard trends panel: Dr. Uppal is actively co-authoring research on the CAA transparency provisions, Aaron Wurst brings deep operational knowledge of where the new pharmacy risks are hiding, and a leading benefits consultant will translate it all into what employers should be asking their PBMs and vendors right now. This isn't a session about what's trending — it's about what's coming in 2027 and 2028, and what separates the employers who lead through it from the ones who scramble to catch up. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

Opportunities with National Hosts

- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM)** is hosting **Form I-9 Compliance: Meeting Audit Requirements With Confidence** on Monday, October 12th, starting at 2:00 PM. Among the most ubiquitous of personnel forms in the U.S. is Form I-9, but how much do you really know about it? Join SHRM's exclusive webinar as panel of guests takes an in-depth look at Form I-9. SHRM will be joined by Steve Boese, program chair of the HR Technology Conference, and Dr. Paola Cecchi-Dimeglio, author of Diversity Dividend and faculty member of the Harvard Law School and Kennedy School of Government. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Brookings** is hosting **Beyond the School Walls: How Community Partnerships Strengthen Learning Ecosystems** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Community partners encompass a wide range of non-profit, for-profit, and governmental organizations that promote the learning, well-being, and safety of children, both [inside and beyond the school walls](#). From providing meals and quality after-school care opportunities to promote mental and physical health, civic leadership, creativity and exploration, these organizations help strengthen the broader ecosystems in which children learn and thrive. On October



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13th, the Center for Universal Education at Brookings will bring together innovative leaders working with rural and urban communities and schools in the U.S. and Uruguay to explore how community partnerships can strengthen trust and build more connected learning ecosystems. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Lightcast** is hosting a webinar on **Building Career-Relevant Programs** on Tuesday, October 13th, starting at 1:00 PM. See how institutions can use labor market data to evaluate and shape programs that align with employer demand and lead to strong career opportunities. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)** is hosting **The State of Pay: Insights into Compensation for Early Talent Recruiting** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. Join NACE to explore the latest data on staffing salaries, benefits, budgets, and offer and acceptance rates—and what it means for your organization. You'll gain practical benchmarks and insights to help you stay competitive, including trends in base pay, bonuses, benefits, and overall budgets. Explore updates to key recruiting benchmarks, including number of entry-level professional hires, cycle times, and offer, acceptance, and renege rates. Discover how pay varies by region, company size, and industry, and dive into new research examining how specific functions and responsibilities influence salary levels. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National League of Cities (NLC)** is hosting a webinar on **AI Purpose-Built for How Local Government Actually Works** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. Artificial intelligence is rapidly changing how organizations serve customers, manage information and improve productivity. But for municipalities, success with AI requires solutions designed around the unique needs of local government. Join NLC and partner VC3 for an informative webinar exploring how municipalities are using secure, purpose-built AI tools to enhance resident service, improve operational efficiency and preserve critical institutional knowledge. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **International Economic Development Council (IEDC)** is hosting **Turn Data into Measurable Economic Growth** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. IEDC is pleased to announce a new partnership with Datafy to help economic developers turn consumer spending intelligence into measurable economic growth. Economic developers are expected to strengthen local businesses, attract visitors and investment, and demonstrate measurable results — often with limited data, limited budgets, and limited time. Join IEDC and Datafy's Ian Ross for a conversation about how economic development organizations can combine spending data with targeted action to drive measurable economic growth. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **Coalition on Adult Basic Education (COABE)** is hosting **Brewing Brilliance: Navigating Change Together – Adult Education Provider Fall Focus Group** on Tuesday, October 13th, from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Over the past year, changes to eligibility requirements have affected how state adult education programs connect individuals with vital education and literacy services. COABE is convening a focus group to better understand how these changes are affecting programs, providers, and the learners they serve. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM)** is hosting a webinar on **Unwritten Rules, Real Risk: AI's Legal Exposure in HR** on Wednesday, October 14th, starting at 1:00 PM. Artificial intelligence is transforming the workplace, but the legal framework governing its use in employment remains largely unwritten. While few states have enacted laws specifically regulating AI in the employment context, employers face significant exposure under existing legal regimes that were never designed with AI in mind. This program examines multiple layers of legal risk, and the specific steps employers should consider taking to mitigate that risk. The session will explore overlapping obligations create a compliance environment where the absence of clear AI-specific rules does not mean the absence of liability — it may, in fact, mean unlimited liability for employers who fail to act proactively. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **American College Testing (ACT)** is hosting **From Skills to Careers: Unlocking the Power of ACT WorkKeys and the WorkKeys NCRC** on Wednesday, October 14th, starting at 2:00 PM. High schools play a critical role in helping students connect classroom learning to real career opportunities. Yet many schools struggle with helping students understand how their skills translate into workforce readiness and postsecondary pathways. This session explores how WorkKeys and the ACT® WorkKeys® National Career Readiness Certificate (NCRC®) give educators a practical, evidence-based framework for doing exactly that — help every student identify, articulate, and demonstrate the foundational workplace skills that employers across industries recognize and value. The WorkKeys NCRC is a career readiness credential for students on multiple pathways — whether they head directly into the workforce, technical training, or postsecondary education. For the counselors, administrators, and instructional leaders supporting them, it provides a common language that bridges advising, curriculum, and community partnerships. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL)** is hosting a **2026 Roundtable on Evaluating Economic Development Incentives** starting Wednesday, October 14th through Friday, October 16th, at the **AC Hotel Columbus Downtown** (517 Park Street, Columbus, OH 43215). The Roundtable is an annual meeting designed for state economic development tax incentive evaluators from across the country. Attendees will have the opportunity to hear



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from experts on topics like evaluation methods, survey design, the use of artificial intelligence in evaluations, and more. The interactive format will give attendees the chance to connect and collaborate with peers who are seeking to enhance their evaluation processes. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)** is hosting **Virtual Coaching for Empowerment** on Thursday, October 15th, from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Are you interested in gaining the coaching skills and strategies needed to help your team provide effective coaching for all levels of clientele? Join NACE for this informative event. Participants will examine appropriate reinforcement techniques throughout the helping process, and gain understanding of a nonjudgmental approach in the coaching process, modeling acceptance, facilitating openness, and demonstrating self-awareness. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)** is hosting **From Classroom to the Workplace: AI and Accessibility** on Thursday, October 15th, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. As part of NACE's Disability Signature Series: Celebrating Value and Talent, this three-part series will explore strategies, tools, and perspectives to help career services professionals, employers, and other stakeholders foster inclusive and accessible experiences for students and early career professionals with disabilities. Each session will highlight a different aspect of supporting and celebrating the value and talent of people with disabilities. In this session, join us as the Office of Career Strategies (OCS) and Student Accessibility Services (SAS) at Yale University to discuss how AI can affect the accessibility of the transition from higher education to the workforce. This will be a presentation on the intersection of students and employees with disabilities and how AI may impact their transition from one to the other. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **American College Testing (ACT)** is hosting **Partnering on the Pathway: A Student-Centered Journey from PreACT College and Career Readiness** on Thursday, October 15th, starting at 2:00 PM. Taking the ACT is not simply an assessment or a single experience. It is a student-centered journey of growth and learning that involves collaboration and partnership between students and educators. In this session, ACT will discuss how to talk to students about the value and strategies surrounding the ACT assessments, how educators can help engage students in both preparation and feedback, and how to use data insights in a meaningful way. The primary goal is to help you create students who are not only prepared for the ACT but also excited and ready for the future ahead. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **WorkforceGPS** is hosting a webinar on **Worker Mobility in Action: State Strategies to Expand Participation Advancement** on Thursday, October 15th, from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM.



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This webinar will highlight how states are putting these concepts into practice. Speakers from Colorado, Connecticut, and Indiana will discuss approaches such as improving job matching through technology, streamlining licensing processes, expanding access to career and labor market information, and aligning credentials with workforce demand to help more individuals connect to and progress in high-quality jobs. The session is designed to surface practical insights and peer lessons that participants can apply to strengthen and sustain worker mobility strategies in their own states. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)** is hosting **Supercharge Student Career Readiness: Make Employer-Valued Power Skills Visible** on Friday, October 16th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Students participate in internships, projects, and leadership experiences, but can they clearly demonstrate the power skills employers value most? This webinar explores a behavior-based approach to making communication, collaboration, creative thinking, and leadership visible and developable. Learn how formative insights before and after an experiential-learning activity can help students recognize strengths, set development goals, articulate growth, and engage in richer coaching conversations. Presenters will also show how career teams can use aggregate insights to target support, improve programs, and demonstrate how experiential learning builds career readiness. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Career Pathways Network (NCPN)** is hosting a **Career Pathways Leadership Certification Academy** starting Saturday, October 17th. This Career Pathways Leadership Certification is designed to empower career technical education, adult education, counseling, corrections, and workforce development professionals in building career pathways that are industry-informed and learner-focused. Grounded in CORD's Framework for Career Pathways Alignment, this series provides a research-based foundation for systemic improvement and alignment of career pathways. Participants will engage in monthly virtual meetings focusing on best practices and insightful discussions designed to enhance the skills and knowledge of career pathways leaders through a structured, interactive, and collaborative approach. Between sessions, participants will have opportunities for networking and work on learning exercises to reinforce professional growth and practical application. The deadline to register is Friday, October 16th. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Regional Councils (NARC)** is hosting its **2026 Executive Directors Conference** starting Sunday, October 18th through Wednesday, October 21st, at the **Cliffs Hotel and Spa** (2757 Shell Beach Road, Pismo Beach, CA 93449). The annual Executive Directors Conference is designed by and for executive directors of regional organizations, including regional councils and metropolitan planning organizations. The conference, held in a different region of the country each year, brings executive directors



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and senior staff together to discuss topics including organizational structure, innovative best practices, and new developments in technology. This conference provides the once-a-year opportunity for regional leadership to meet in person, learn from their colleagues and gain important insight on solutions to challenges in their own communities. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **National Association of Counties (NACo)** is hosting a **2026 NCCAE Annual Meeting** starting Monday, October 19th through Friday, October 23rd, at the **Fontaine Hotel** (901 West 48th Place, Kansas City, MS 64112). The National Council of County Association Executives (NCCAE) provides a vehicle through which its membership improves the administration of the various associations of counties and associations of county officials and provides a forum through which members meet and exchange information of importance. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National League of Cities (NLC)** is hosting a webinar on **Stronger Communities Through Service** on Monday, October 19th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Join NLC and partner JustServe to hear directly from mayors and city leaders on how volunteer efforts are helping their communities meet local needs and build trust. JustServe will explore the research behind why service strengthens cities and towns, discuss how your community can get started and share how to become a recognized JustServe city. You'll leave with clear first steps and the support of a local JustServe representative. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM)** is hosting **The Resilience Advantage: Building Workplaces That Thrive** on Tuesday, October 20th, starting at 11:00 AM. This is the first session of SHRM's Healthy Workplaces Virtual Retreat. HR professionals won't want to miss this powerful virtual retreat designed to address today's most pressing workplace challenges. Resilience isn't something we're born with it, it's a skill we build, day by day, through how we respond to change. In this opening keynote, SHRM CEO Johnny C. Taylor, Jr. sits down with Chris Carey, CEO of Calm Health, to explore why workplace stress and burnout remain at record highs even as conversations about mental health have become more open — and what's still missing from the equation. Together, they'll examine the shift from reactive support to proactive resilience-building, the growing role AI plays in shaping employee wellbeing, and why mental health is best understood not as a benefit, but as a business strategy. The conversation will also look at what resilient leadership looks like in practice, and how executives can model it for their teams. Attendees will leave with a clearer picture of how to build organizations where people don't just survive — they thrive. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Lightcast** is hosting a webinar on **Attracting and Enrolling Learners** on Tuesday, October 20th, starting at 1:00 PM. Explore how career and workforce data can help institutions



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communicate program value and show prospective learners where their education can lead. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL)** is hosting an **NCSL Base Camp – Map Your Course** starting Tuesday, October 20th through Wednesday, October 21st. Elections, workforce, health, technology—connect with national experts to help you keep up in a rapidly evolving policy landscape. Take advantage of professional development offerings to gain the skills and specialized knowledge to excel in your role in the legislature. This online event will offer live sessions to give you the greatest opportunity to interact with our expert speakers. Attend in real time or access them on your own after the event. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Council for Workforce Education (NCWE)** is hosting the **NCWE 2026 Annual Conference** on Tuesday, October 20th through Thursday, October 22nd, at the **Omni Ranchos Las Palmas** (41000 Bob Hope Drive, Rancho Mirage, CA 92270). Join the NCWE Annual Conference to transform the community college and workforce education landscape. Be part of a powerhouse network of community college, workforce, industry, human service, research and advocacy leaders who are propelling college and career opportunities. As the premiere, practitioner-driven workforce education conference, the event features ideas that expand college and career pathways, strengthen employer and community partnerships, boost data-driven decision making, increase comprehensive supports and student-centered services, and harness emerging technologies and new credential and learning frameworks. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM)** is hosting **Caregiving Support at Work: A Business Imperative** on Tuesday, October 20th, starting at 1:00 PM. This is the second session of SHRM's Healthy Workplaces Virtual Retreat. HR professionals won't want to miss this powerful virtual retreat designed to address today's most pressing workplace challenges. Caregiving is not only a personal challenge. It's a workforce issue with measurable business and economic consequences. As employees juggle responsibilities for children, aging parents, spouses, and other loved ones, employers are facing growing impacts on productivity, retention, workforce participation, and talent availability. With demographic shifts, care-sector labor shortages, and rising costs adding pressure, organizations need new strategies to support employees while strengthening business performance. Join experts from Stanford University, KPMG Economics, and Bright Horizons as they explore caregiving's growing impact on the workforce and share strategies for uncovering hidden risks, fostering a culture of support, and building a compelling case for long-term investment in family care benefits. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM)** is hosting **Staying Human and Healthy When Work Moves at the Speed of AI** on Tuesday, October 20th, starting at 2:00 PM. This is the final session of SHRM's Healthy Workplaces Virtual Retreat. HR professionals won't want to miss this powerful virtual retreat designed to address today's most pressing workplace challenges. High-performing professionals face unprecedented cognitive load, constant context-switching, and always-on expectations as AI-driven workflows accelerate the pace of business. At the same time, employees are balancing intense career pressures with modern life stressors, including family caregiving and hybrid work transitions. In this 50-minute session, leadership from MFS Investment Management and Wellhub explore how forward-thinking organizations are moving beyond fragmented wellness perks to address mental strain and employee burnout. Attendees will gain actionable insights from MFS's transition away from legacy reimbursement programs toward a unified global strategy that achieved ~70% adoption. Join in to learn how embedding physical movement, mental health tools, stress management, and family-inclusive support into a high-stakes corporate culture creates a resilient workforce and drives sustainable business performance. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)** is hosting **Demo Days: Get Students Hired – Interview Ready Solutions** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 10:30 AM to 2:30 PM. During this session, attendees will be able to explore solutions designed to help career services teams prepare students to stand out and succeed in the hiring process. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Coalition on Adult Basic Education (COABE)** is hosting a webinar on **Evidence-Based Instruction** on Wednesday, October 21st, starting at 2:00 PM. Adult literacy instructors are encouraged to implement evidence-based best practices; however, many instructors are not made aware of what evidence-based best practices are, and they are not provided with clear strategies for implementing them. This webinar will introduce 10 research-based practices, the source of the research, the rationale for the strategies, and examples of how instructors and administrators can implement those practices. [Click here](#) to register via Zoom.
- The **National Association of Workforce Boards (NAWB)** is hosting a webinar on **Strengthening Workforce PHA Partnerships: Models, Strategies, and Federal Insights** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Public housing residents face some of the most persistent barriers to employment — and the systems best positioned to support them often operate in parallel rather than in partnership. As HUD sharpens its focus on apprenticeships, employment access, and Section 3 outcomes, collaboration between Workforce Development Boards (WDBs) and Public Housing Agencies (PHAs) is becoming both a federal priority and a local opportunity. Join NAWB and HUD for a practical,



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field-informed discussion featuring Norman Albances (Ventura County Workforce Development Board), Tyrone Hampton (Philadelphia Works), Jasmy Methipara (HUD), and Andrew Bercich (NAWB). [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **National League of Cities (NLC)** is hosting a webinar on **How Jacksonville Turned Flood Risk into a Community-Led Vision for Resilience** on Wednesday, October 21st, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. How can cities address chronic flooding while creating healthier, more vibrant communities? Jacksonville's McCoys Creek project offers a compelling example of how community engagement, environmental restoration and resilient infrastructure can work together to deliver lasting benefits. This webinar, hosted by NLC partner Black and Veatch, will discuss how the City of Jacksonville, Florida, partnered with residents and stakeholders to reimagine a flood-prone corridor as an asset that improves quality of life, reconnects neighborhoods and enhances environmental health. Through lessons learned, attendees will discover how community collaboration can help transform infrastructure projects from problem-solving initiatives into opportunities for broader community impact. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)** is hosting **From Learning to Earning: Building Accessible Pathways from Campus to Career** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. Internships can be a powerful bridge between education and employment, providing students with opportunities to apply what they have learned, develop career competencies, build professional relationships, and gain the confidence and experience needed to navigate the workplace. Yet, the 2020 Census reported that people with disabilities are less likely to enter and complete college, and many post-secondary career development programs do not recognize the inequities that students with disabilities face during the transition from education to employment. Therefore, thoughtfully designed internships are imperative for garnering increased participation among students with disabilities, and collaboration across traditional institutional boundaries can serve to optimize the design process. This session will highlight a partnership between CU Boulder and the State of Colorado's Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR) that helped create and support a successful multi-month internship for Keith, a neurodivergent recent graduate of the university. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Counties (NACo)** is hosting **NACo Public Promise Procurement Launches New Amazon Business Contract** on Thursday, October 22nd, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Learn how your county can access over 300 million products and hundreds of thousands of third-party sellers through this new, nationally solicited Amazon Business contract, featuring fixed-term price ceilings across eight categories to keep your everyday purchasing compliant and cost-effective. This contract works alongside your county's existing Amazon Prime membership, not in place of it, and activates through your current



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Amazon Business account executive; no new relationships required. You'll also get tools to customize how your county spends, including the ability to prioritize local and in-state businesses. Hear directly from Douglas County, Neb., the Lead Public Agency behind this solicitation, on how the contract came together and learn how NACo's member-governed, peer-reviewed process gives your county confidence in every purchase. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **International Economic Development Council (IEDC)** is hosting its **2026 Annual Conference** starting Sunday, October 25th through Wednesday, October 28th, at the **Hyatt Regency New Orleans** (601 Loyola Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70113). Calling all changemakers, visionaries, and developers! Join thousands of economic development professionals and thought leaders from around the world as they gather in a city that embodies resilience and reinvention. Together, attendees will explore bold strategies, celebrate community transformation, and accelerate the future of economic development. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Manufacturing Institute** is hosting its **Workforce Summit** starting Monday, October 26th through Wednesday, October 28th, at the **Indianapolis Marriott Downtown** (350 West Maryland Street, Indianapolis, IN 46225). The Manufacturing Institute invites you to the fifth annual Workforce Summit: Skills at Scale: Delivering America's Competitive Advantage. This year's Summit focuses on the workforce capabilities manufacturers need to grow and compete. Industry leaders, practitioners and experts will share practical approaches for building strong talent pipelines, developing technical and digital skills and supporting a workforce prepared for rapid technological change. Across keynotes, case studies and peer discussions, attendees will learn what leading manufacturers are doing to improve retention, expand training and create work environments that support long-term success. The Summit is designed for participants to walk away with actionable strategies they can implement immediately. Beyond the sessions, the Workforce Summit creates space for manufacturers – large and small – to connect, share ideas and build partnerships that strengthen the future manufacturing workforce. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Workhuman** is hosting **Build a Stronger Culture Without Adding to HR's Workload** on Tuesday, October 27th, starting at 12:00 PM. HR leaders know recognition matters. The challenge is making it work at a growing organization. Recognition programs can deliver real impact, but only when they're easy for lean teams to run, meaningful to employees, and clearly connected to the outcomes the business cares about. Join Workhuman for a practical look at what good recognition looks like for mid-sized companies — the problems it solves, the value it creates, and what it takes to make it work without adding more to HR's plate. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- **Lightcast** is hosting a webinar on **Demonstrating Institutional Impact** on Tuesday, October 27th, starting at 1:00 PM. Discover how institutions can quantify and communicate their economic impact, demonstrate value to governing bodies, and support accreditation. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Workforce Development Professionals (NAWDP)** is hosting **Virtual Office Hours: Pre-Apprenticeship Presentation and Extended Q&A** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. Join NAWDP for Virtual Office Hours focused on Training and Employment Notice (TEN) 05-26 (released on September 8th) on Effective Framework for Pre-Apprenticeship. NAWDP will explore the U.S. Department of Labor's updated Framework for Effective Pre-Apprenticeships, including the five core components of effective programs and how workforce and education partners can strengthen pathways into Registered Apprenticeship. Following the two presentations, participants will have the opportunity to join a breakout room Q&A based on their interests. Choose the breakout room that best fits your questions: Pre-Apprenticeship, Registered Apprenticeship, or the Care Economy. Come ready to ask questions, share ideas, and learn from experts and colleagues working to expand apprenticeship opportunities. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **WorkforceGPS** is hosting **Real Property Under ETA-Funded Grants** on Tuesday, October 27th, from 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM. Navigating real property can be complex, but DOL-ETA experts are here to help. This session will provide guidance on real property issues, including using grant funds for capital expenditures and other real property costs, depreciation, maintaining insurance, handling idle facilities and idle facility capacity, retaining records, disposing of real property acquired with ETA grant funds, renting real property, and using/disposing of State Workforce Agency (SWA) real property with Federal equity. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Counties (NACo)** is hosting **Countdown to LUCA: Practical Strategies for Local, Tribal, and State Governments** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 1:00 PM to 2:15 PM. The 2030 Census Local Update of Census Addresses (LUCA) operation may seem distant, but preparation begins well before the official launch in May 2027. Join NACo and the National League of Cities (NLC), in partnership with the U.S. Census Bureau, for the first webinar in a series focused on practical steps communities can take to prepare for effective participation. LUCA is the only opportunity for local, Tribal and state governments to review and correct the Census Bureau's residential address list before the census begins, a critical step to ensuring an accurate and complete count. An accurate count directly affects the distribution of federal funding for programs and services for the next decade. This webinar will feature Census activities currently underway in rural communities, urban neighborhoods and Tribal Nations. Speakers will demonstrate what effective early



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preparation looks like, share lessons learned and discuss strategies that leaders can use to improve address data, engage stakeholders and position their communities for a successful LUCA operation. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **National Association of Workforce Development Professionals (NAWDP)** is hosting an **October POWER HOUR** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. This POWER HOUR session will explore disability awareness, local and national resources, and key disability employment policies. You'll gain practical tools and fresh perspectives to support greater inclusion and employment opportunities for people with disabilities. There will also be a set aside time for Q&A. Join presenter Shammi Carr, Disability Advocate and Consultant. Don't miss this opportunity to learn, celebrate, and take meaningful steps toward a more inclusive workforce. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National League of Cities (NLC)** is hosting **NLCU: Beyond Compliance – Collaborating with Procurement to Deliver for Residents** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Procurement is often seen as a bureaucratic hurdle that slows important projects down. But for cities that get it right, procurement is a strategic lever for delivering better services, advancing policy goals, supporting local businesses, and building public trust. Participants will leave with a grounded understanding of how public procurement works, as well as practical strategies for collaborating with procurement teams to navigate common friction points. Case examples from peer cities will illustrate how collaborative approaches have led to faster contract awards, stronger vendor competition, and improved project outcomes. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of State Workforce Agencies (NASWA)** is hosting a webinar on **AI Solutions in Action** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM. This webinar details Colorado's strategic transition from high-cost legacy systems to the modernized Connecting Colorado platform, powered by Eightfold's deep learning AI and a centralized case management system, by MyOneflow. It provides workforce agency leaders with a practical roadmap for navigating enterprise AI procurement, change management, and secure data architecture while capturing annual operational savings. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Aspen Institute** is hosting a **“Rooting Our Leadership in Humanity” Flash Seminar** on Wednesday, October 28th, from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM. This one-hour virtual Flash Seminar—*Rooting Our Leadership in Humanity*—is a chance to experience the Aspen method of text-based dialogue from the comfort of your home or office. Participants engage with a short reading as a jumping off point to explore fundamental questions about humanity and leadership; uncovering how your answers influence your personal and professional leadership decisions. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **Aspen Institute** is hosting **What Employee Ownership Means to Workers** on Thursday, October 29th, from 2:00 PM to 3:15 PM. Employee owners themselves bring a critical perspective to building effective employee-owned companies and expanding the model. Workers know best which elements of ownership matter most, so their voices are important in designing ownership plans, putting them into practice, and evaluating outcomes. Understanding those perspectives can help companies develop workplace practices that let employee ownership thrive and help policymakers craft policies that support its growth. The Economic Opportunities Program's forthcoming report, *What Employee Ownership Means to Workers*, shares the perspectives and experiences of workers at companies with different forms of employee ownership: ESOPs, EOTs, worker cooperatives, and broad-based equity compensation plans. Join the Aspen Institute Economic Opportunities Program for *What Employee Ownership Means to Workers* virtually to hear findings from the report and a panel conversation featuring four employee-owners who participated in the research, as part of our celebration of Employee Ownership Month. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National League of Cities (NLC)** is hosting a webinar on **Supporting Employee Health While Managing Health Care Costs** on Thursday, October 29th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Cities are facing a difficult balancing act: health care costs continue to rise while cities are simultaneously managing tight budgets, recruiting and retaining talent in tight labor markets, and growing demands for competitive employee benefits. Employer health benefits costs are projected to increase 6.5% per employee in 2026. Through NLC's partnership with Bearing Advisors, Prevent+Protect offers local governments a different approach to employee benefits, while helping cities manage costs without requiring a new benefit appropriation or reducing employee take-home pay. During this webinar, Jim Hunt and Mike Conduff will explain how Prevent+Protect works and how its three-part approach—Physical Health, Mental Health and Financial Health—is designed to strategically address the factors driving health care utilization and costs. The speakers will also explain the program's transformational approach to financing, the positive impact on a city's general fund and the ease of implementation. The challenges facing American cities are not getting smaller. The session is designed for city leaders who are looking for innovative ways to strengthen employee benefits while managing rising health care costs. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)** is hosting **Beyond Retention: How to Prove the Business Impact of Early Career Programs** on Friday, October 30th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Gallup estimates that replacing employees can cost between 40% and 200% of salary, depending on the role. Yet many early career teams still focus on hiring, completion, and retention metrics while struggling to demonstrate the broader business



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value of their programs. As budget scrutiny increases and expectations from senior leaders grow, the ability to connect early career investment to business outcomes has become a critical capability. This session explores the three measurement shifts that move early career teams from reporting activity to demonstrating value. Participants will learn practical ways to connect program outcomes to capability development, talent pipeline strength, and business priorities, building a compelling business case that secures executive support and future investment. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- **Lightcast** is hosting a webinar on **Turning a Construction Talent Shortage into a Talent Strategy** on Tuesday, November 3rd, starting at 1:00 PM. What happens when employers stop competing for the same limited pool of skilled trades workers and start building the talent pipeline together? Hear how Colorado Succeeds used labor market data and an employer-led approach to align industry, education, and workforce partners around shared talent needs. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **International Economic Development Council (IEDC)** is hosting an **Economic Development Planning** workshop on Wednesday, November 4th and Thursday, November 5th, from 10:30 AM to 5:30 PM. A well-defined strategy is the cornerstone of economic success. This course will guide you through the process of visioning, consensus building, and performance measurement to craft effective, data-driven strategies. You'll gain the tools to align stakeholders, optimize resources, and develop plans that drive meaningful, long-term economic outcomes for your community. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Aspen Institute** is hosting a webinar on **How to Tell Governments What You Think** on Wednesday, November 4th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Because governments work for the people, it's important for government officials to hear from ordinary citizens what we think about what they are doing. Yet most of us don't know how to effectively share our opinions with governments. Join the [Aspen Policy Academy](#) to learn how to tell government actors across all branches of government what you think about their ideas. This program will teach you broad principles for communicating to policymakers, as well as specific tips for sharing your opinions with Congress, executive branch officials, and even the courts. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Workforce Development Professionals (NAWDP)** is hosting **NAWDP 101: Getting to Know NAWDP** on Wednesday, November 4th, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Are you new to NAWDP or thinking about becoming a member? Curious about the Certified Workforce Development Professional (CWDP) Credential and how it can support your professional growth? Join NAWDP's Director of Membership, Alexis Franks, for an engaging introduction to all things NAWDP! Discover the benefits of membership, explore valuable resources and professional development opportunities, learn about current



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NAWDP initiatives, and get an overview of the CWDP Credential and how you can earn it. Whether you're new to NAWDP or ready to take your involvement to the next level, this session will help you CONNECT, ADVANCE, and INNOVATE with a network committed to strengthening the workforce development profession. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **National League of Cities (NLC)** is hosting **Workforce Innovation Network Quarterly Calls** on Thursday, November 5th, starting at 3:00 PM. Strong workforce development drives economic growth, reduces un- and underemployment, and promotes social mobility. Local leaders are invited to join NLC's Workforce Innovation Network (WIN), a space for municipal leaders to learn from one another, share tools and resources, and discuss key workforce development issues. Join WIN Quarterly Calls to connect with industry experts to learn about the latest trends, resources, and opportunities for communities to advance workforce success for all residents. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Prosperity Now** is hosting the **Atlanta Regional Summit** on Thursday, November 5th, at the **Loudermilk Conference Center** (40 Courtland Street, SE, Atlanta, GA 30303). During this event, attendees will have the opportunity to explore ideas and partnerships that support entrepreneurship, small business growth, and economic opportunity. Join leaders from across sectors for a day of learning, collaboration, and practical solutions focused on strengthening financial stability and expanding economic opportunity. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Workforce Development Professionals (NAWDP)** is hosting a **30 Minutes of Excellence – November: When There are No Jobs to Place Them in: A Veteran Economic Readiness Framework for Rural and Underserved Workforce Areas** on Tuesday, November 10th, from 2:00 PM to 2:30 PM. Veterans in rural communities face a compounded challenge: they were never taught how the civilian economy works, and the economies they're returning to may not have traditional employment pathways. The standard model — resume, interview, placement — breaks down when there are no employers hiring. Ritchie Thomas, Army Veteran and CEO/Founder of Military Transition University, presents a rural-adapted economic readiness framework built on six employment tracks that actually work in rural and underserved geographies. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)** is hosting its **2026 Competency Symposium** on Thursday, November 12th, from 10:45 AM to 5:30 PM. Skills-based hiring is transforming the workforce. Join career services leaders, faculty, employers, and higher education innovators for the 2026 NACE Competency Symposium as strategies, partnerships, and innovations shaping the future of career readiness are explored. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)** is hosting **Developing Career Readiness Competencies for Skills-Based Hiring** on Friday, November 13th, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. Skills-based hiring has shifted the student focus from simply logging career readiness metrics to actively developing verifiable workplace skills. This session shows how a scalable, simulation-based program builds real skills through relatable workplace scenarios. Interactive video modules and simulations teach and reinforce these vital skills, giving students repeated practice with real-time feedback. Assessment data shows measurable growth, and students earn a verified certificate of completion. Attendees will learn practical strategies for helping students generalize these skills beyond the simulation and into real workplace settings. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Coalition on Adult Basic Education (COABE)** is hosting a webinar on **Tuning Up Your Accessibility Practice** on Monday, November 16th, starting at 2:00 PM. You do not need to be an accessibility expert to make your documents and presentations more user-friendly for learners, colleagues, and even yourself. This webinar will explore key components of accessibility, along with practical steps that you can apply to what you create and how you communicate. Wherever you are with accessibility practices, you can take one step forward in opening up your message to your audience. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Jobs for the Future (JFF)** is hosting its **Fair Chance to Advance National Summit** on starting Tuesday, November 17th through Thursday, November 19th, at the **Hyatt Regency St. Louis at The Arch** (315 Chestnut Street, St. Louis, MO 63102). Jobs for the Future invites you to join the inaugural Fair Chance to Advance (FC2A) National Summit. This year's summit will bring together over 200 leaders from state systems for corrections and community supervision, postsecondary education, and workforce development, as well as policy makers, system-impacted leaders, employers and industry leaders, and other stakeholders committed to ensuring that people with histories of incarceration have a fair chance to advance. At a time when employers face talent shortages, states are rethinking workforce strategies, and millions of talented workers remain excluded from opportunity—FC2A brings together leaders shaping the future of the fair chance ecosystem. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Aspen Institute** is hosting the **2026 Aspen Cyber Summit** on Wednesday, November 18th, starting at 8:00 AM, at **Capital Turnaround** (700 M Street, SE, Washington, DC 20003). The Aspen Cyber Summit is the nation's premier annual technology and cybersecurity policy gathering, bringing together the top voices from government, industry, and civil society to create a safer world, online and off. As threats move faster than ever, from complex nation-state operations to the rapid integration of AI in our daily lives, we're moving beyond simply identifying risks to driving actionable, cross-sector solutions. Since 2016, the Aspen Cyber



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Summit has hosted the most consequential cybersecurity discussions of our time. This stage will feature global cybersecurity and national security experts, senior government leaders from the White House and allied nations, members of Congress, Fortune 100 executives, and thinkers from civil society. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

- The **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)** is hosting **Flipping the Campus Recruiting Model with AI** on Wednesday, November 18th, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. Campus recruiting has always run on the model of showing up to events and hoping you meet the right candidates. AI is flipping that model, so recruiters arrive at events with an interview schedule already filled with best-fit candidates. This session draws on survey data from Yello's State of Campus Recruiting Report to look at where AI actually stands in campus recruiting today, and what's changing as a result. Attendees will leave with a read on where AI actually helps in campus recruiting today, and where the real work still belongs to a human. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National League of Cities (NLC)** is hosting its **City Summit 2026** on Wednesday, November 18th through Saturday, November 21st, at the **Music City Center** (201 Rep. John Lewis Way South, Nashville, TN 37203). City Summit is where local leaders connect, learn, and engage with experts and their peers. Build your leadership skills and gain proven strategies to support the work you are doing in your community. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- **Workhuman** is hosting a webinar on **Turning Human Moments into Workforce Intelligence** on Thursday, November 19th, starting at 12:00 PM. Organizations have more workforce data than ever — from performance and retention to AI adoption. But some questions remain difficult to answer: What are people actually contributing? What behaviors are shaping culture every day? Every recognition moment captures a human observation about contribution, behavior, and impact. When analyzed at scale, those moments create a rich source of human-authored data that can reveal workforce insights traditional systems often miss. Join Workhuman for a detailed look at findings from the 2026 Recognition Intelligence Report and discover how organizations are using recognition intelligence to better understand their workforce, culture, and business. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Coalition on Adult Basic Education (COABE)** is hosting a webinar on **The Role of Eligible Providers as One-Stop Partners** on Monday, November 23rd, starting at 2:00 PM. This webinar will provide evidence-based practices, tools, and resources to effectively serve job seekers and employers through collaborative workforce partnerships. Participants will examine ways to strengthen their role in providing integrated access to employment, education, and training services through the one-stop system. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



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- The **Association for Career and Technical Education (ACTE)** is hosting its **CareerTech Vision 2026** on Thursday, December 3rd and Friday, December 4th, starting at 9:00 AM, at the **Ernest N. Morial Convention Center** (900 Convention Center Boulevard, New Orleans, LA 70130). Thousands of career and technical education professionals will gather at this premier event to explore the future of workforce development, education innovation, and regional economic alignment. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Association of Counties (NACo)** is hosting the **2026 Fall Board of Directors Meeting and Building Better Futures: A County Leaders' Symposium on Youth Outcomes** starting Thursday, December 3rd through Saturday, December 5th, at the **Omni Charlotte Hotel** (132 East Trade Street, Charlotte, NC 28202). County leaders partner every day with families, community organizations and private businesses to improve outcomes for young people, especially our most vulnerable. Yet even as we make pockets of progress, an important question remains: How can we build better futures for our youth? Hosted by NACo Incoming President George Dunlap as part of his presidential spotlight, in partnership with NACo's Board of Directors and Large Urban County Caucus, "Building Better Futures: A County Leaders' Symposium on Youth Outcomes" will focus on practical strategies and collaborative approaches that counties can advance at the local level—from proven prevention and early intervention models to cross-sector partnerships that align resources and expand opportunity. Participants will leave with actionable ideas, stronger partnerships and a shared commitment to measurable outcomes for vulnerable youth. Because lasting progress doesn't happen by accident, it happens when counties lead. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **National Career Pathways Network (NCPN)** is hosting **NCPN Connect 2027** starting Thursday, February 18th through Saturday, February 20th, at the **Grand Hyatt San Antonio River Walk** (600 East Market Street, San Antonio, TX 78205). NCPN Connect 2027 brings career pathway leaders and practitioners from across the country to San Antonio for the annual conference of the National Career Pathways Network. Connect with colleagues across education, workforce, and industry while exploring the ideas, partnerships, and practices shaping the future of career pathways. Bring your experience to the conversation—and leave with new connections and ideas you can put to work. Registration, hotel information, and exhibitor and sponsorship opportunities are coming soon. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- The **National League of Cities (NLC)** is hosting the **2027 Congressional City Conference** starting Monday, March 15th through Wednesday, March 17th, at the **Marriott Marquis** (901 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20001). Congressional City Conference is where local leaders engage on policy, learn from experts, and make connections. Gain the



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tools you need to lead and build partnerships critical to brighter futures for your city, town, or village. Hear from federal agency experts and other advocacy professionals on the federal-local connections and the impact of federal policy on local governments. [Click here](#) to learn more and save the date!

- The **National Association of Workforce Boards (NAWB)** is hosting **The Forum 2027** starting Sunday, April 4th through Thursday, April 8th, at the **New York Marriott Marquis** (1535 Broadway, New York, NY 10036). NAWB Forum 2027 is the national gathering for workforce leaders committed to strengthening their organizations, their communities, and the workforce system. Through timely discussions and sessions, practical learning, and meaningful peer exchange, The Forum offers an opportunity to step away from the day-to-day and invest in your professional growth. The challenges facing workforce development continue to evolve, and so must our leadership. Forum 2027 is designed to provide the ideas, strategies, and relationships that help professionals lead with confidence, influence change, and transform outcomes in their communities. Whether you're looking to strengthen your leadership, discover innovative approaches, or connect with colleagues facing similar challenges, Forum 2027 is an investment in your work and the communities you serve. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- The **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM)** is hosting **SHRM HR-X LIVE!** starting Sunday, June 27th through Wednesday, June 30th, at the **McCormick Place** (2301 South Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, Chicago, IL 60616). SHRM studied more than 1,250 organizations over five years and found the best HR teams are strong in four areas. We call these the dimensions of HR maturity, and they matter: the more mature an HR team, the more it drives the business. In one industry we studied, each step up in maturity was linked to \$62,000 more revenue per employee. Yet nearly 90% of organizations are still at average or below. HR-X Live! is built around each of those dimensions. You'll go deep in one, explore all four, and leave with a credential that proves your expertise. Explore electives across every HR dimension. Swap ideas with people who do what you do. Enjoy the HR community moments SHRM events are known for. You go home with new skills, an HR-X credential, and a playbook you can put into action. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

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- From **Accenture**: With AI, the capital projects industry has a massive opportunity to reshape project development, execution and success. Accenture analysis found that on major capital project programs, AI-enabled enhancements can potentially uplift project value by 9% to 16%, improve schedules by 6% to 11% and reduce overruns by 20% to 30%. This translates into savings of \$170 million to \$290 million on a \$1 billion project when deployed in an integrated way across project development and delivery with data, workflows, people and partners connected across the project lifecycle. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **The Annie E. Casey Foundation**: Leading for better results has never been simple. Today's leaders are navigating uncertainty, responding to constant change and balancing the needs of staff, partners and communities — often while managing their own stress. When pressure becomes chronic, it can affect more than our health. It can make it harder to think clearly, build relationships, solve problems and stay focused on the results we hope to achieve. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **American Economic Association**: The authors examine a 2016 zoning reform in São Paulo and related detailed administrative data to assess the impact of zoning policies. By simulating the model for ten years following the reform, the authors estimated that the reform added roughly 39,000 units—a 1.6 percent increase in the housing stock—and reduced average prices by 0.4 percent. The authors suggest that this modest average can be explained by BAR rising only 0.54 overall. But neighborhoods receiving the largest increases saw up to 17.5 percent more units and 3 percent lower prices. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **The Aspen Institute**: Research shows employee-owned companies are often more productive and resilient businesses. For workers, employee-owned companies often provide good wages and more training, wealth-building opportunities, and voice at work. The business and the profits of employee-owned firms are anchored in the community, rather than wealth flowing elsewhere. Though employee ownership is not a silver bullet, it should be a tool in every state's and city's economic and workforce development strategy. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **Brookings**: The approach tested here proposes locally developed and governed AI to help communities surface knowledge and values and arrive at a shared vision across interconnected policy domains that can drive commitment to shared action. Whether it can do so under real-world conditions remains to be tested. If it can make multi-issue problem-solving faster, cheaper, and more inclusive, AI could become one tool through which communities reassert agency amid a present environment of technological and societal disruptions. [Click here](#) to read more.



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- From **Center for American Progress**: The consequences of rising federal debt are real. They show up in higher mortgage and student loan payments, slower wage growth, and a larger cost for younger generations entering the housing market at today's higher interest rates. If debt continues to grow faster than the economy, these costs will continue to weigh on American households. Congress can change this trajectory, but the way it does so matters. Stabilizing the debt-to-GDP ratio would prevent the debt burden from growing further. Congress has several ways to accomplish this, including changes to taxes and spending, each of which would distribute the costs differently across American households. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **Center on Budget and Policy Priorities**: Our analysis examines the prevalence of denials among two groups: new SNAP applicants and current participants undergoing recertification. Generally, we see similar results across demographic groups. One notable result is that households with no children present were more likely to be denied, and more likely to be denied for procedural reasons, than households with children. This may be at least partly related to the fact that households with children are exempt from work requirements, and as such households with no children would be more likely to face the administrative burdens associated with work requirements. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **Economic Policy Institute**: Not all Hispanic workers have avoided a worsening employment situation in the last year. For example, the employment rates of young Hispanic workers between the ages of 16 and 24 have struggled to maintain consistent gains in the last year. While the average employment rate for young Latinos is now improving after a sharp drop last year, employment among young Latinas is falling along with that of other young workers and recent graduates. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **FedCommunities**: Many workers receive paychecks via direct deposit, knowing the funds will be available a few days after processing. But what if you need that money to pay rent in the meantime? For millions of underbanked individuals—cash-constrained consumers with banking relationships who also use quick-pay alternatives—such situations can be a source of frequent stress. While unbanked individuals don't hold accounts at financial institutions, the underbanked sometimes lack immediate access to needed, deposited funds. As a result, underbanked people often turn to alternative financial services (AFS) to pay bills on time and avoid bank account overdraft fees. But as many of these alternative services charge a user fee, reliance on these services can end up costing the underbanked more over time. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From the **Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta**: The dotcom episode suggests that the labor market risks of a technology boom are not limited to the workers a new technology might replace. The workers who build and deploy the technology face their own risk: that the skills



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they acquire while the technology is unstable can lose value quickly once it matures, and the financing that fuels the boom decides how many workers are exposed. In the French data, the talented individuals who joined the boom are not the ones who ultimately benefited from it. None of this discussion suggests that the AI boom will end the same way; our evidence concerns the workers who joined the last boom, not whether the boom's investments paid off in aggregate. [Click here](#) to read more.

- From **Gallup Workplace Insights**: Majorities of U.S. employees who have used AI in their job say it helps them do their job faster (63%) and find more creative solutions to work tasks (56%). Nearly half say AI allows them to spend more time on the most interesting parts of their job (47%) or helps them produce higher-quality work (46%). Thirty-one percent of AI users say their AI use has led to their employer asking them to take on more responsibilities. The proportion is slightly higher, 37%, among AI users who say the technology helps them work faster. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From the **International Association of Workforce Professionals (IAWP)**: A new analysis from the Indeed Hiring Lab offers a useful reminder that whether it is easy or difficult to find a job can depend enormously on where someone lives. Indeed examined labor-market conditions in more than 800 metropolitan and micropolitan areas across the United States, looking at both the number of people seeking work and the demand from employers. The result is a very different picture from the one we get from national unemployment rates or monthly jobs reports. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **Jobs for the Future**: Industry-led workforce development depends on strong coordination among employers, workforce boards, training providers, education partners, and other stakeholders. Sector partnerships are a key vehicle for facilitating success: Ongoing collaborations align training and hiring strategies with regional economic demand. At their best, these partnerships build workforce systems that are responsive, coordinated, and capable of supporting participants through training and into employment. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **JPMorganChase**: Ford Philanthropy and JPMorganChase announced \$550,000 in collective support for Focus: HOPE, a Detroit-based nonprofit providing education and job training. The grant will strengthen Focus: HOPE's industrial manufacturing training program — teaching manufacturing skills, robotics, and welding, while expanding employer connections, career placement support, and transportation assistance for trainees. It connects the Michigan LIFT platform's innovation and manufacturing goals with the talent needed to strengthen Michigan's supplier network and drive long-term industrial growth. [Click here](#) to learn more.



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- From **Manpower**: This report examines the workforce trends reshaping healthcare and life sciences worldwide. Drawing on global labor market data, employer insights, and industry expertise, it explores the forces behind talent shortages, the skills that will shape future success, and the strategies leading organizations are using to attract, develop, and retain critical talent. It also highlights how employers can strengthen workforce resilience through skills-based hiring, workforce transformation, strategic reskilling, and human-centered leadership. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **McKinsey & Company**: Nuclear discussions are seeing a revival, but it remains some way away from being a scalable, affordable solution. Today there are just nine small modular reactors in operation or under construction worldwide. However, standardized designs, reduced construction risk, regulatory streamlining, lower costs, and increased customer demand from data centers, industry, and utilities could all change the picture for nuclear power. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From the **National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE)**: Among Class of 2025 master's level graduates, those earning degrees in computer and information sciences pulled in the highest starting salary, according to results of NACE's Summer 2026 Salary Survey. With an average starting salary that is 4.6% higher for the Class of 2025 than it was for the Class of 2024, the overall average starting salary for computer and information sciences bumps up to \$111,306. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From the **National Association of Counties (NACO)**: Without congressional action, the SRS program expired on September 30, 2026, with counties facing a fiscal cliff in FY 2027. The Secure Rural Schools Reauthorization Act of 2026 would extend the program for three years through FY 2029, with counties receiving their final authorization payment in early 2030. The bill also extends the deadline for counties to initiate projects until the end of FY 2031 and the deadline for counties to fully obligate program funding until the end of the FY 2032. As a clean reauthorization, the proposed legislation makes no changes to the SRS program or the funding formula. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From the **National Association of Workforce Boards (NAWB)**: For most of the twentieth century, the American summer job was more than a way for teenagers to earn spending money. In many respects, it was one of the largest workforce development programs in the country. No legislation created it. No grant funded it. No performance measures tracked it. Every summer, millions of young people learned how to show up on time, deal with customers, work alongside people they didn't choose, take feedback, solve small problems and earn the trust of an employer. We didn't call it work-based learning. It was simply work. That distinction matters because we spend a great deal of time today talking about talent shortages, career pathways and work-based learning. [Click here](#) to read more.



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- From the **National Conference of State Legislatures**: Data center development is drawing increased attention in state legislatures as artificial intelligence and cloud computing expand. Alongside electricity demand and economic development considerations, lawmakers are examining how the facilities' use of water to cool their many servers will affect local supplies and infrastructure. NCSL's review of 2025 and '26 legislation, updated this week, identifies about 100 bills and resolutions in 39 states addressing data center water use and related planning. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From the **National League of Cities (NLC)**: A student is considered chronically absent when they miss 10 percent or more of the school year for any reason. In 2024-25, the 22.6 percent national chronic absence rate is still much higher than the 15.4 percent rate in 2019. When students miss too much school, the impacts can extend beyond the classroom, affecting educational attainment, future opportunities and the long-term well-being of communities. Mayors and municipal leaders may not oversee their local school districts, but they have an important role to play. Cities can bring together schools, families, youth, community organizations and public agencies to identify why students are missing school and coordinate solutions. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From the **National Fund for Workforce Solutions**: Workers leave jobs and job seekers stop searching when the cost of having a job outweighs the benefit. Why apply for jobs that don't offer the pay or flexibility you need? How do you show up for work when you can't afford the cost of childcare? Lower-wage work can feel like a dead end, even when you find meaning in what you are doing. The good news is that this challenge is solvable. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From the **National Skills Coalition**: As part of a new national initiative called A New Promise of Work, NSC brought together people from more than 100 national organizations representing workers, employers, labor, education, philanthropy, workforce development, advocacy, and community leadership to explore a simple but ambitious question: What should work promise people in the future? Immediately, familiar issues surfaced: quality jobs, childcare, transportation, economic mobility, employer accountability, skills, equity, and access. None of that was surprising. The sector has spent decades trying to advance and build solutions around these exact priorities, and they matter. But the conversations also revealed something else: we've become incredibly good at tinkering with and patching up the system we currently have. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **Prosperity Now**: Prosperity Now's 2026 field learning showed a strong preference for practical support. Sixty-two percent of respondents selected step-by-step guidance or playbooks, 58% selected client-facing curriculum or materials and 53% selected training



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modules as resources that would help their organizations engage effectively. The same survey found that 49% saw clear, actionable guidance on program rules and workflows as the most valuable support for the coming year. [Click here](#) to read more.

- From the **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM)**: Most employees want to grow. They want new skills, more responsibility, and a clear path forward in their careers. Yet many of them never enroll in the learning programs their employers offer, even when those programs could change their trajectory. Often the reason is not a lack of interest. It is a stack of barriers. An employee may not be able to cover tuition up front. A schedule may leave no room for a live class. A manager may never approve the request. Each obstacle quietly shrinks the return on an organization's learning and development (L&D) investment. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From the **Urban Institute**: Child care providers continue to face financial, workforce, and enrollment challenges that can threaten their program stability and families' access to care. Federal and state policymakers have increasingly relied on operating grants to grow or maintain child care supply and prevent closures. Yet there is little evidence about how ongoing operating support is related to enrollment stability at the provider level. Understanding how enrollment changes as providers continue to receive flexible, monthly funding can inform future state and federal investments in child care stabilization and supply-building strategies. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From the **U.S. Chamber of Commerce**: The U.S. Chamber is working with state and local chambers to provide data and analysis on premium tax burdens and help inform policy discussions in state capitals. By bringing greater transparency to how these taxes affect employers and employees, the business community can make the case for policies that protect the affordability of employer-provided health coverage. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **Workday**: Across the first half of 2026, the labor market showed signs of stabilization, with hiring moving closer to break-even by the second quarter. But flat growth does not mean little change when you look closer. Some employers are still reducing headcount, while others are growing. And employees are feeling that unevenness directly: 38% report experiencing reorganization or restructuring in the past year. [Click here](#) to read more.
- From **Workforce Monitor**: Compared with the August monthly report, staffing employment grew by 0.5%. Staffing employment declined during the week of Sept. 7–13, with the ASA Staffing Index decreasing by 1.4% to a rounded value of 93. Many staffing companies cited the Labor Day holiday as a barrier to growth that week. Staffing jobs were 3.3% higher compared with the same period last year, down from 7.2% recorded the previous week. New starts also decreased during the 37th week of the year, down 5.6% from the prior



week. A little over four in 10 staffing companies (42%) reported gains in new assignments week to week, close to the average of 41% so far in 2026. [Click here](#) to read more.

- From **WorkRise**: When workers cannot achieve economic security through work alone, public benefit programs fill the gap. Although these programs play a critical role in reducing hardship, their growing role in supporting working families raises important questions about labor market policy and public spending. Drawing on national and state-level data, this brief provides state and federal policymakers with evidence that higher wage floors and stronger worker protections, labor standards enforcement, and labor market competition can improve workers' economic security and reduce reliance on public benefits. [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 [33°n](#) blog. From a look at housing, rental rates, and cost of living to the job market and latest on wages, this blog is a one-stop 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 [Job Mobility and Smart Growth Toolkit](#) shows how workers can advance through labor markets—featuring national and city-by-city 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 **Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA)**: BEA is part of the United States Department of Commerce is a U.S. government agency that provides official macroeconomic and industry statistics, most notably reports about the gross domestic product (GDP) of the United States and its jurisdictions. [Click here](#) to access the data.
- From **Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS)**: BLS is a unit of the United States Department of Labor and the principal fact-finding agency for the U.S. government with detailed labor economics and statistics. [Click here](#) to access the data.
- **Career Ladder Identifier and Financial Forecaster (CLIFF)**: Career Ladder Identifier and Financial Forecaster, or [CLIFF](#), is an umbrella for interactive financial planning tools designed by the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta to provide information about benefits loss along a career path. [Click here](#) to access CLIFF.



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- From **Eviction Lab**: The [Eviction Lab Tracker](#) shows the past year's eviction statistics for five Atlanta counties and area census tracts. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- From **FedCommunities**: FedCommunities is offering **Using Qualitative Research to Understand the Economy: A Toolkit** for researchers, policymakers, employers, and workforce organizations interested in engaging directly with the populations they serve to elevate those populations' perspectives in policy, programming, and practice. Research that engages communities as equal partners can yield unique, authentic results. This new Worker Voices Project toolkit, "Using Qualitative Research to Understand the Economy: A Toolkit," offers insights on the community-engaged qualitative research practices used for the Fed's Worker Voices Project and shows how researchers, policymakers, and workforce organizations might use these methods in their own work. [Click here](#) to access the toolkit.
- From the **Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Center for Workforce and Economic Opportunity (CWEO)**: The Atlanta Fed maintains a variety of data intelligence tools for informing workforce partners. [Click here](#) to learn more.
 - The Atlanta Fed's [Job Calculator](#) determines the net employment change needed to achieve a target unemployment rate after a specified number of months. The user can adjust the target unemployment rate, the number of months, and the assumed labor force growth.
 - [Labor Force Participation Dynamics](#) provides data on the behavioral, demographic, and cyclical factors associated with labor force participation.
 - The [Labor Market Distributions Spider Chart](#) allows monitoring of broad labor market developments by comparing current conditions to those in up to two earlier time periods that the user selects.
 - [Labor Report First Look](#) provides a concise view of the Bureau of Labor Statistics' Employment Situation Summary. The tables and charts in the First Look offer a quick look at current and historical data along with data constructed from the summary. Data in the First Look will be updated with each release of the summary, which usually occurs on the first Friday of each month.
 - The [Unemployment Claims Monitor](#) 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 Short-Time Compensation (or Workshare), Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees, Ex-Service Members, and Extended Benefits programs.
 - [Wage Growth Tracker](#) measures the wage growth of individuals. It is constructed using microdata from the Current Population Survey (CPS) and is the median percent change in the hourly wage of individuals observed 12 months apart.



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- From **Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis**: The [Federal Reserve Economic Data \(FRED\)](#) is an online database consisting of hundreds of thousands of economic data time series from scores of national, international, public, and private sources. FRED, created and maintained by the Research Department at the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, goes far beyond simply providing data. It combines data with a powerful mix of tools that help the user understand, interact with, display, and disseminate the data. [Click here](#) to access FRED.
- From the **Georgia Department of Education (GaDOE)**: [Georgia Insights](#) is an initiative of GaDOE focused on improving and increasing the role of data-informed decision making among education decision makers in the state. Georgia Insights is the go-to location for GaDOE's dashboards, data files, and data resources. By providing data in a streamlined, usable, and useful manner, Georgia Insights equips educators, parents, and communities with the tools and information needed to enact positive change in Georgia's schools. [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. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- From **Georgia Municipal Association (GMA)**: GMA's Dashboard includes indicators for each city in Georgia along with city and statewide averages for comparisons. Users can choose economic, education, household, population, demographic, and labor data. [Click here](#) 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. This includes Georgia's [Top Industries](#). [Click here](#) to learn more.
- From the **From the Governor's Office of Education and Workforce Strategy (GOEWS)**: GOEWS supports accountability and transparency through strategic data use and collaboration with education stakeholders to advance student success. [Click here](#) 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 high-impact strategies to build a future where employers, workers,



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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 [Data Nexus](#), 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. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- From **Prosperity Now**: The [Prosperity Now Scorecard](#) 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. [Click here](#) to access.
- From the **Technical College System of Georgia**: TCSG's Data and Research provides access to the System Scorecard, enrollment data, and more. [Click here](#) 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. [Click here](#) 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 cannot grow, compete, or thrive. The [America Works Data Center](#) captures trends on job openings, labor force participation, quit rates, and more. [Click here](#) 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. [Click here](#) to learn more.

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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. [Click here](#) to access the MAX Provider Portal. If your organization is not already represented in the MAX Provider Portal, [click here](#) 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 resilience 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 www.metroatlantaexchange.org.

MAX launched the [MAX Membership Association](#) 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 [Click here](#) to learn more and join MAX today.

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