RE-EMPLOYMENT

Start a Job Search in an Uncertain Economy

MEET WITH A CAREER ADVISOR OR CAREER LIAISON

Talk with a career advisor or career liaison about your career. Advisors and liaisons can assist you with:

- · Resume and Cover Letter Development
- Interview Preparation
- · Job search strategies

Learn more here: https://career.fsu.edu/info

GET A DOCUMENT REVIEW

Receive detailed audio and visual feedback on documents such as:

- Resumes
- Curriculum Vitae
- Cover Letters
- Personal Statements

Learn more here: www.career.fsu.edu/careerdocs

FIND RELIABLE CAREER INFORMATION

Use <u>The Career Center's guides</u> to help you plan, prepare, and execute your job search, for example:

- Searching for a Job
- · Researching Potential Employers
- · Create a LinkedIn Profile
- The First Job Interview
- Negotiating Job Offers

REFLECT AND REASSESS YOUR STRENGTHS

Use Career Center resources to identify, assess, and attain skills:

- Transferable Skills Checklist
- ProfessioNole Pathways & Competencies
- Focus2

CONNECT TO EMPLOYERS & OPPORTUNITIES

Learn about opportunities and events for FSU students and alumni by using <u>NoleNetwork</u>.

- View full-time jobs, part-time jobs, and internships
- · Schedule a mock interview to hone your skills
- · Access Career Center events and view employer participants
- Upload your resume and complete your profile so employers can find you

EXPLORE JOB POSTINGS

Search for opportunities according to your personal career goals. There are several websites that compile job postings for you:

General: www.indeed.com; www.linkedin.com

Non-Profit: www.idealist.org; https://jobs.flnonprofits.org/ Government: www.jobs.myflorida.com

Find more posting sites here. Click "Opportunities."

ATTEND CAREER FAIRS

Chart your path to success at a career fair. Learn about upcoming events <u>here</u>.

- Attend virtual career fairs for national opportunities
- Explore career opportunities in a variety of industries
- · Network with employers and practice your elevator pitch

PREPARE FOR INTERVIEWS

Practice interviewing skills at your convenience using <u>Big Interview</u> or by appointment with the <u>Mock Interview Program</u>.

- · Learn how to answer tough questions confidently
- Practice answering behavioral/competency-based interview questions or industry-specific questions
- Send your practice interviews to mentors for feedback and advice

BUILD YOUR NETWORK

Search for professional connections using networking websites. Use professional associations, affinity groups, <u>ProfessioNole Mentors</u> and <u>LinkedIn</u> to:

- Proactively reach out to contacts
- Develop mentorships
- Cold call companies
- · Search for FSU Alumni to join your network

FIND SUPPORT

If you need financial, food, or unemployment assistance, there are programs to help:

- Florida Department of Economic Opportunity
- FSU Food for Thought Pantry
- FSU CHAW Financial Wellness
- · CareerSource Florida
- · DSA Emergency Relief Fund

