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## **JOB SEARCH STRATEGIES**

Choosing more than one strategy will increase the effectiveness of your search

STRATEGIES	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	LINKS		
Career Development	This includes resume review, mock	http://www.xavier.edu/career/		
Office Programs and	interviews, job search strategies,			
Services	career fairs, workshops, walk-in hours,	https://issuu.com/xavier12/docs/xujob_internship_s		
	etc. Please see our Job and Internship	earch guide - up		
	Search Guide.			
XU's Hire-A-Muskie	Are you registered on Hire-A-Muskie?	https://xavier-csm.symplicity.com/		
Online Job and	Yes No			
Internship Search				
Site				
Career and	Next Fair Date://	http://www.xavier.edu/career/ students/Career-		
Internship Fairs	Visit a career coach and attend a	Fairs1.cfm		
	workshop to prepare!			
Networking	O Parents/Family	http://www.xavier.edu/career/students/Networking1		
	O Peers	<u>.cfm</u>		
	O Mentors			
	O Friends/Neighbors	http://www.xavier.edu/career/mentor/ index.cfm		
	O Professors			
	O Events/Conferences (N.E.W.,			
	Cincinnati groups)			
	O Professional acquaintances such			
	as previous employers,			
	colleagues, doctors, bankers, etc.			
Social	What does an internet search say	www.linkedin.com		
Media/Marketing	about you? Be aware that potential	www.iiiikediiiiediii		
Yourself and LinkedIn	employers are looking. Clean things	https://issuu.com/xavier12/docs/xujob internship s		
roursen und zinkeum	up. LinkedIn: Join professional groups,	earch guide - up		
	Xavier Alumni, etc. Find trends,	Same Same		
	connections, jobs and more!			
Informational	Often an aspect of networking, these	https://indd.adobe.com/view/8aca3c46-e201-4bd5-		
Interviews and Job	strategies allow you the opportunity to	a33a-d4131719d1b3		
Shadowing	see what a job or career is like without			
J	the stress of asking for a job or	https://issuu.com/xavier12/docs/xujob internship s		
	internship. Still be professional,	earch guide - up		
	though!			
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Online Job Postings	There are so many different online job postings/search sites out there. Some are general (Monster.com), and some will be specific to a career track or industry. Performing multiple searches using keywords such as "job search" and your industry or desired job title will help in identifying the specific career track or industry search sites.  For more online job posting links, check out: <a href="http://www.xavier.edu/career/students/search-Online.cfm">http://www.xavier.edu/career/students/search-Online.cfm</a>	What websites are you using?  O O O O O O O O O
Professional Associations	Talk with your career coach, faculty and connections within the field you are interested in as well as performing internet searches to identify the professional associations that are right for you.	O O O
Targeted Companies/Geograp hic Interests	Identify as many companies/organizations as you like that fit the profile of your ideal company or position. GoingGlobal focuses on both the national and international search. Check it out by logging into Hire-A-Muskie.	O O
Volunteering	This is a great way to network and "try out" different organizations, especially helpful if interested in the nonprofit industry. Great for your resume!	
Reciprocity with Other Jesuit Schools	Helpful in location search. Reciprocity allows you to utilize some of the career-related services at other Jesuit colleges and universities to assist you with your out-of-town internship or job search. Meet with a Career Coach to request Reciprocity.	
Chamber of Commerce	May be especially helpful in a location search. Chambers of Commerce represent companies, businesses and more.	
Professional Employment Agencies	Immediate openings are available for permanent or temporary employment through these resources. Be cautiousutilize only "fee-paid" agencies, which indicate the agency receives compensation from the company.	http://naceweb.org/knowledge/third-party- recruiters.aspx