

News for Job Seekers

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Open Position: 2014 Youth Transitions Fellowship

The HSC Foundation, in partnership with the National Council on Independent Living (NCIL), is now accepting applications for a paid fellowship position with the organizations' disability youth transition and collaboration work. This fellowship is ideal for a person with a disability who has an interest in youth career transitions and employment solutions. The fellowship starts in June 2014, and continues for 12 months. Under the supervision of NCIL's Executive Director, the Youth Transitions Fellow (YTF) will gain exposure to youth programs serving people with disabilities and will have the opportunity to facilitate collaboration among internship, fellowship, and apprenticeship programs based in the Greater

Preferred Skills and Qualifications:

- Ability to facilitate collaboration among large groups
- Ability to work with people in all levels of an organization, including young people with a variety of disabilities
- Strong communication skills and strong organizational skills
- Creative and innovative personality
- Familiarity with technology and social networking tools
- Strong interest in youth transition for people with disabilities and organizing.

Eligibility:

Anyone who self-identifies as an individual with any type of disability is invited to apply.

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Career Fair for Veterans and Persons with Disabilities

Veterans and persons with disabilities can meet and speak with VA hiring managers seeking to fill several positions noncompetitively (before the positions are announced nationwide to the public on USAJobs.gov) with qualified professionals.

Friday, March 28, 2014
10am to 2pm
Coatesville VA Medical Center
Building 5, Great Hall
1400 Blackhorse Hill Road
Coatesville, PA 19320

The following are some of the career fields for which the medical center may be hiring:

Public Safety (Police and Firefighter), Facility Maintenance, Food Service Administration, Information Technology, Finance, Human Resources, and many more.

On the day of the event, please bring multiple copies of the following:

VETERANS:

- Resume
- Proof of Military Service (DD-214 or Statement of Service Letter)
- VA Service Connected Disability Award Letter
- Professional Licenses, Certificates, or College Transcripts

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You will not be required to disclose your specific disability; however, your application for this program will signify that you consider yourself a person with a disability. Please Note: This fellowship is specifically for people with disabilities.

Please Provide the Following:

- Please attach your resume in Microsoft Word format.
- Please provide the contact information for four (4) references who are familiar with your qualifications relevant to this fellowship and your personal character.
- Please attach in Microsoft Word format two (2) letters of recommendation from two (2) of the above-mentioned references.

What Happens Next:

- Completed applications received by NCIL before 5:00 PM EST, Friday, April 18, 2014 will be collected and reviewed by our team.
- Semi-Finalists will be contacted for short, preliminary telephone interviews.
- Finalists will be contacted for formal telephone interviews.
- The fellow will be selected and notified by May 15, 2014.
- The fellow must be able to begin work by June 16, 2014.

The HSC Foundation's National Youth Transitions Center is a collaborative learning community to benefit youth with disabilities and returning wounded veterans. The National Youth Transitions Center, developed by The HSC Foundation, will bring together the resources of multiple organizations to provide much needed transitions related services, research, public policy, best practices, pilot projects, and evaluation so that youth with disabilities can achieve their greatest level of independence. The Center

will create a forum to enhance the ability of young people and veterans with disabilities to enter and reenter the workforce, participate in and contribute to community life, and become productive members of society.

The National Council on Independent Living is the longest-running national cross-disability, grassroots organization run by and for people with disabilities. Founded in 1982, NCIL represents thousands of organizations and individuals including: individuals with disabilities, Centers for Independent Living (CILs), Statewide Independent Living Councils (SILCs), and other organizations that advocate for the human and civil rights of people with disabilities throughout the United States.

An outcome of the national Disability Rights and Independent Living Movements, NCIL was founded to embody the values of disability culture and Independent Living philosophy, which creates a new social paradigm and emphasizes that people with disabilities are the best experts on their own needs, that they have crucial and valuable perspective to contribute to society, and are deserving of equal opportunity to decide how to live, work, and take part in their communities.

TO APPLY:

Applications must be received by 5:00 PM (Eastern Standard Time) on or before Friday, April 18, 2014.

Via Email: tim@ncil.org

JSA InterActive is Hiring

Here is the job description:

We need someone 1-2 hours a day to start. They will be calling businesses to invited them to my speaking engagements at the chamber of commerce. They will also be emailing RSVPs to them using Eventbrite's system.

They need to know how to use a computer, the internet, google docs, and generally savvy with the internet and websites.

They should be warm and inviting. Have some experience with sales / customer service.

Additionally if they have the skills, they may: call warm leads interested in our services, qualify them, get their requirements and fill out our proposal template.

Compensation:

Starting Pay will be between \$12 and \$14 hour, after a month of successful work this will be increased by \$1.00 per hour for successful independent contractors. Additionally, we will provide a commission for all sales closed that generate revenue for the company.

They have to have and use their own phone for the calls.

Skills Required:

appointment-setting, b2b-marketing, cold-calling, customer-service customer-support, email-marketing, lead-generation, outbound-sales, sales, telemarketing, telephone-skills

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES:

-Resume
-Professional Licenses, Certificates, or College Transcripts

For additional information, please contact one of the following Human Resource specialists at 610-384-7711: Brandon Hickok, Ext. 4672, Matt Kauffman, Ext. 4665, Amanda Hansen, Ext. 4670

Job Interview Question & Answer Phone App

My first question when I first saw this resource was - how can a phone app actually help someone prepare for an interview? Here is how it works. First, you can select a question set you'd like to practice. This includes: get to know you, past performance, working in this position, and salary related questions. Then, the app actually allows you to "watch" the question being asked, just like in an interview. Then, you "record" your response to each question so you can see what you might look and sound like to an employer. And, finally, you'll get to "see" expert job interview coach, Peggy McKee, CEO of Career Confidential, give her answer to that question. This allows the user to compare their answer to her answer to see how they might improve.

You can download the application for iPhone, iPad and Android here:

<http://jobinterviewquestionsandanswersapp.com>

If you try it, please let us know what you think!

Ticket to Work

Just as a reminder, AIM is a contracted Employment Network to assist you with your employment goals. There are information session every 3rd Wednesday of the month at 1:00pm. The next one will be April 16th. Please contact Corrine at 610-376-0010 x103 to

