

Career Services Remote Newsletter

May 7, 2020

Hello UIC Students -

Here is the latest installment of the new VIRTUAL CAREER SERVICES NEWSLETTER!

Student Employment News

Student Employment x UIC Life IG Takeover!

May 12th, 2020

12:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Student Employment is taking over! Check us out on the UIC Life Instagram (@uiclif) as we share tips on how to find jobs on-campus, who's currently hiring, and more. Join us at 2PM when we go live on IG! Come say hi and ask questions!

Student Employment Webinar Series

Find out more about working on-campus as a Student Employee!

Check out these webinars on the [Student Employment](#) website.

- *Introduction to Student Employment*
- *B.E.S.T. (Basic Employment Student Training)*
- *Making the Most of your On-Campus Job*

Resource for International Students

Uniworld Online

<https://uniworldonline.com/search>

On this site, international students looking for jobs can research parent companies within their home country in order to locate positions in the US and in US based companies with offices and jobs abroad.

Job Search Tips

Glassdoor

https://www.glassdoor.com/blog/11-job-search-tips-for-college-graduates-and-students/?utm_medium=partner-b2b&utm_source=on24&utm_content=11-job-search-tips-for-college-graduates-webinar-console-tp-industry-trends-ot-content&utm_campaign=b2c-job-seeker-webi

America Needs You - Webinars and Internship Opportunities

Internship Video Series –

Succeeding at a Remote Internship – Tips and tricks to stand out in a remote internship and add to your resume.

Join in on May 21st at 5:30 CST [here](#)

Internship Search – How to effectively use online databases, LinkedIn, and career center resources. Join in at **May 7th at 4 pm CST** [here](#)

Virtual Networking 101 – Join us as we ways to communicate effectively online, cultivate new connections, and maintain relationships. Join in on **May 18th at 4 pm CST** [here](#)

2020 Fellow Application [here](#) (we're still keeping this open as they can apply on a rolling basis).

Resources on Companies Currently Hiring

New positions are posted in **UIC Careers** every day! Make sure that www.uiccareers.com is your first stop when looking for open positions!

Additional information can be found on these sites as well --

<https://www.chicago.gov/city/en/narr/misc/jobs/jobsnow.html>

<https://candor.co/hiring-freezes/>

[https://www.themuse.com/advice/companies-hiring-during-coronavirus-covid-19:](https://www.themuse.com/advice/companies-hiring-during-coronavirus-covid-19)

<https://www.linkedin.com/feed/news/heres-whos-hiring-right-now-4525187/>
<https://joinhandshake.com/students/whos-hiring/>
https://www.glassdoor.com/blog/54-companies-actively-hiring-during-covid-19/?utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_content=20200506_crazy_may&utm_campaign=may20_us

Metropolitan Water Reclamation District Positions

<https://www.jobapscloud.com/MWRD/auditor/classspecs.asp>

Healthy and Safe Working Environments

Please be sure when you are applying for open positions, it is important to ask about measures these organizations are taking to keep their employees safe during the COVID-19 crisis. Recommended questions are below. If you are unclear about your rights or benefits at work [please review this guide for navigating COVID-19 and employment in Illinois](#) presented by the UIC Center for Healthy Work. If you have questions about how to approach this subject with a potential employer please get in touch with the Career Services staff at careerservices@uic.edu. If you are concerned about your health and safety at work during COVID-19 please email healthywork@uic.edu.

Things to consider/ask:

1. What are the company policies for sick and family leave?
2. Are workers provided paid sick leave during the COVID-19 pandemic? How many days of paid sick leave are workers provided? How many days of unpaid leave are given?
3. What measures (i.e. social distancing) are in place to ensure workers' health and safety?
4. Are workers being provided personal protective equipment (PPE) at no cost to them while on the job?
5. How is the company limiting workers' exposure to COVID-19?
6. Have you had any positive cases of COVID-19? If so, what have you done to mitigate the spread of cases after the positive case was confirmed?
7. Are workers given hazard pay? How is hazard pay compensated? If workers are only able to get hazard pay for working overtime, will the company provide hazard pay until the pandemic ends?

CareerIgnite Webinar Series

All of our pre-recorded webinars and chats can be found at:

<https://careerservices.uic.edu/upcoming-career-events-2/>

Introduction to Resume Writing (PT Job and Internship/ATS)

Enhancing the Resume (Seniors/Graduate Students/ATS)

Planning a Gap Year

Developing and Maintaining Your Digital Brand

Tips on Identifying and Avoiding Job Scams

Virtual Networking and Interviewing

How to Be a Job Candidate in a Recession

Tech Resources for Job Candidates