



Looking Forward Our Way

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Columbus Chamber's insurance program for members <https://columbus.org/members/savings-programs/columbus-chamber-health-insurance-program/>

INFORMATION ON LOCAL/STATE/NATIONAL CHAMBERS

Ohio Chamber of Commerce: <https://ohiochamber.com/>

List of all chambers of commerce in Ohio: <https://www.officialusa.com/stateguides/chambers/ohio.html>

GOVERNMENTAL RESOURCES AND INFORMATION FOR EMPLOYERS, ENTREPRENEURS AND JOB APPLICANTS

Ohio and Central Ohio:

Governor's Office on Workforce Transformation: <https://workforce.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/workforce/>

Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities: <http://ood.ohio.gov/>

Ohio Career Technical Education & Ohio Technical Centers:

<https://higher.ohio.gov/about/ohios-campuses/career-technical-education/career-technical-education-ohio-technical-centers>

Ohio's Department of Veterans Services/Jobs & Education: <https://dvs.ohio.gov/jobs-and-education>

OhioMeansJobs: <https://ohiomeansjobs.ohio.gov/home/>

Ohio Small Business Development Centers: <https://clients.ohiosbdc.ohio.gov/>

OhioTechCred: <https://techcred.ohio.gov/>

Ohio's Workforce Development: <https://jfs.ohio.gov/owd/>

ASPRY-Workforce Development Board of Central Ohio: <https://www.wdbco.org/>

The Columbus Region: <https://columbusregion.com/>

National:

U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics: www.bls.gov

BLS Occupational Outlook Handbook: www.bls.gov/ooh

O*NET Resource Center: www.onetcenter.org

SCORE (Senior Core Of Retired Executives): <https://www.score.org/>

Small Business Administration <https://www.sba.gov/>

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act funding (WIOA) US Department of Labor
<https://www.dol.gov/agencies/eta/wioa/>

ORGANIZATIONS AND NONPROFITS FOR EMPLOYERS, ENTREPRENEURS AND JOB APPLICANTS

Columbus Metropolitan Library <https://www.columbuslibrary.org/>

Business Library is located at the Main Library 96 South Grant St; Columbus 43215

Computer courses: <https://events.columbuslibrary.org/events>

LinkedIn Learning/Columbus Metro Library: <https://www.columbuslibrary.org/research>

Center for Women Business Owners <https://www.linkedin.com/company/center-for-women-business-owners/>
CRIS Community Refugee & Immigration Services: <https://www.crisohio.org/>
Dress For Success: Columbus <https://columbus.dressforsuccess.org/>
Eastland Fairfield Career & Tech Schools: <https://www.eastland-fairfield.com/>
ECDI – Economic & Community Development Institute: <https://www.ecdi.org/>
Goodwill Columbus: www.goodwillcolumbus.org
HRACO (Human Resource Association of Central Ohio) <https://hraco.org/>
Jewish Family Services: <https://www.jfscolumbus.org/>
National Association of Women Business Owners: <https://www.nawbo.org/>
New Directions Career Center: <https://newdirectionscc.org/>
PerScholas: <https://perscholas.org/>
Riverview International Center: <https://www.riverviewinternationalcenter.org/>
WARM/Westerville Area Resource Ministry: <https://warmwesterville.org/>
Welcoming City: <https://www.welcomingcity.com/>

ESOL Training

Columbus City Schools: <https://www.ccsch.us/ace>
Columbus State Community College: <https://www.csc.edu/>
Delaware Area Career Center: <https://www.delawareareacc.org/>
Eastland Fairfield Career & Tech Schools ESOL: <https://www.eastlandfairfield.com/o/aw/page/english-for-speakers-of-other-languages>
Godman Guild: <https://www.godmanguild.org/>

IF YOU ARE LOCATED OUTSIDE OF CENTRAL OHIO

Utilize your local library system. Also, check with your state’s and county’s workforce development offices; go to the U.S. Department of Labor’s CareerOneStop website for details and locations <https://www.careeronestop.org/> or <https://www.careeronestop.org/LocalHelp/AmericanJobCenters/american-job-centers.aspx>

You may also find assistance through local nonprofit organizations; the United Way office near you may have information on nonprofit agencies ready to support your job search <https://www.unitedway.org/find-your-united-way/#>

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