

Support Groups

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Name	Address	City, State, Zip Code	Telephone / Fax	E-mail / Website	Hours / Information	Contact Person (s)
Addison Public Library Job Club	4 Friendship Plaza	Addison, IL 60101	630-543-3617	www.addisonlibrary.org	Monthly- dates vary	Sally Schuster
DeVry Institute of Technology Career Counseling / Placement	1221 N Swift Road	Addison, IL 60101-6106	630-652-8601 Fax: 630-953-1236	www.devry.com	Current students and alumni only	By Appt. only: Kathleen McCuen
Orchard Evangelical Free Church	2247 N. Charter Point Drive	Arlington Heights, IL 60004	847-392-4840	www.ahefc.org jackburgman@gmail.com	Call for appt. One on one coaching.	John Burgman
Executive Network Group Arlington Hts Public Library	500 N. Dunton Avenue	Arlington Hts, IL 60004	847-622-4425	Hendrickson Room 2 nd Floor director@engchgo.org	Usually 2 nd Tuesday of Month \$100 per year	
CareerPlace formerly Barrington Career Center	600 Hart Road, Suite 275	Barrington, IL 60010	847-304-4157 Fax: 847-304-4163	careers@barringtoncareercenter.com	Mon – Fri 10 – 4:00 p.m. \$100 a year	Monica Keane, Kathy Reese, Teri Wilson
Barlett Library Job Club	800 S. Bartlett Rd.	Bartlett IL 60103	630-837-2855	www.bartlett.lib.il.us	1 st Fridays 10-1130	Karen Sego
Career Transitions Network Group-Living Lord Church	1044 Congress Drive	Bartlett IL 60103	630-830-3630 x4608	CtersEB@yahoo.com www.groups.yahoo.com/Cters/	Tuesdays 7-9 pm	Pastor Steve Meyers
Business Networking Chicago-BNC	Various Locations	Chicago	312-943-6376	www.bnchicago.org dcarman@bnchicago.org		David Carman
Saints Peter & Paul	410 1 st Street	Cary, IL 60013	847-639-3041	Carol Santee 847-516-2636 x 299	Last Tuesday 7:30-8:30 p.m.	
Breakfast Network Club St. Michael's Parish Center	1711 N. Cleveland	Chicago, IL 60614-5602		kirsten@youthcreator.com davidcarmen@breakfastnetworkclub.org	Mondays 9:30am-11:30am	Kirsten Nieradtka David Carmen

Career Transitions Center	703 W. Monroe Street	Chicago, IL 60661	312-906-9908	www.CTCChicago.org	M, W, TH 9-5 p.m. Tues. 9-8 p.m. Fri 9-3 p.m. Fee-based	Anita Jenke Exec. Director
Chicago Network After Work	Various Meeting Places	Chicago, IL		www.chicago.networkafterwork.com	Different Dates and Locations	
Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce	200 E. Randolph St. Suite 2200	Chicago, IL	312-494-6709	www.chciagolandchamber.org Must register online		Call for information
Chicago Jobs Council	29 E. Madison, Street, Suite 1700	Chicago, IL 60602	Fax: 312-252-0460	www.cjc.net	M on – Fri 9:00-5:00 p.m.	Robert Wordlaw
Chicago State University	9501 S. King Drive	Chicago, IL 60628	773-995-2327	www.csu.edu/careerdevelopment/ Link to cougar job connection		
DePaul University Alumni Association	1 East Jackson	Chicago, IL 60601	312-362-8437	www.careercenter.depaul.edu	Mon-Fri 9:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Carol Montgomery
Employment Council St. Chrysostom's	1424 N. Dearborn	Chicago, IL 60610	312-944-1083	www.saintc.org/ministry/outreach	Monday 6:00-7:00 p.m. Harding Room	Michael Cade
Jewish Vocational Service	216 W. Jackson Suite 700	Chicago, IL 60606	312-673-3400	www.jvschicago.org Various offices Chgo. Metro Area	Call for information	
University of Illinois Alumni Career Center	200 S. Wacker Drive, 1 st Floor	Chicago, IL 60606	312-575-7830	www.uiaa.org/careers/	Call for information	
Women Employed	22 W. Monroe St.	Chicago, IL 60603	312-782-3902	www.womenemployed.org	Call for information	
YWCA Alliance of Metropolitan Chicago	11 E. Adams Suite 300	Chicago, IL 60603	312-913-2150	www.ymcachgo.org	Call for information	
Career Renewal Program Holy Cross Catholic / St. Gregory Episcopal	724 Elder Lane	Deerfield, IL 60015	847-945-0430	www.holycrossparish.net/career/	Every other month through May	Sharon Dieter 847-945-9033
Gray Hair Management, LLC	1181 Lake Cook Road, Suite D	Deerfield, IL 60015	847-940-2800 Fax: 847-940-2180	www.grayhairmanagement.com	Call for appointment. 6:30 p.m. \$50.00	Scott Kane
Midwest Business Brokers	Fountain Blue	Des Plaines	847-882-8230	www.mbbi.org	1 st Tues. of month	Mary Korreck

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Executive Network Group of Greater Chicago, Inc.	2859 Central Suite 212	Evanston, IL 60201	847-622-4425	www.engchgo.org	Call for information	
College of DuPage Career Services	425 Fawell Boulevard	Glen Ellyn, IL 60137	630-942-2230 Fax: 630-858-9394	www.cod.edu	Monday-Thursday 8:00 – 6:00 p.m. Fri 8:00-5:00 p.m.	Evening hours by Appt.
St. Joseph Employment Support Ministry St. Southminister Church	680 S. Park Boulevard	Glen Ellyn, IL 60137	630-653-6870 Fax: 630-858-5491	info@stjosephministry.org www.stjosephministry.org	1 st & 3 rd Wed of month 7:00p.m. Check schedule	Joe Kirkland Bob Clark
St. Hubert's Jobs & Networking St. Hubert's Parish Ministry Center	729 Grand Canyon Street	Hoffman Estates, IL 60194	847-885-7700	www.sainthubert.org Jkgolf67@aol.cpom	2 nd & 4th Mondays 7:30-8:30 p.m.	Jerry Koncel
Holy Family Catholic Church Job Support Group	2515 West Palatine Road	Inverness, IL 60067	847-359-0042		Saturdays 7:30 - 9:30 a.m. 847-359-4097	Brain Healy
Career Café- Joliet Jr. College Renaissance Center	214 N. Ottawa St. Rm. 519	Joliet, IL	815-727-4444 x143	www.jobs4people.org mgajcak@willcountyillinois.com	Tuesdays 1030-1130	Mary Gajcak
Career Resource Center Grove Cultural Campus	40 East Old Mill Road, Suite 105	Lake Forest, IL 60045	847-295-5626	www.careerresourcecenter.org	M,W,Th 9:30-4:30 Tue 4:00-9:00 Fri 9:00-12:30	Jan Leahy
St. Francis de Sales Ministry Center	135 S. Buesching	Lake Zurich, IL	847-438-6622	www.stfrancislz.org		
Lisle Township Job Club Lisle Library	777 Front Street	Lisle, IL 60532	Library 630-971-1675	joy@lisletownship.com	Last Fri. of month 10:00 – 1:00 p.m.	Joy Dooley 630-968-1880
workNet DuPage Workforce Development	2525 Cabot Drive, Suite 302	Lisle, IL 60532	630-955-2030 Fax: 630-955-2059	www.worknetdupage.org	Last Friday of month 8:30–12:00 p.m.	Jim Fergle
LDS Employment Resource Services Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints	4951 Indiana Avenue, Suite 400	Lisle, IL 60532	630-487-2181		Monday – Friday 9:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Sally Morrison
Executive Status Group	Benedictine Univ-Krasa Center,	Lisle, IL 60532	630-469-2771	gawron@core.com	1 st Monday 7-9pm	Steve Gawron

Manufacturing Fellowship Group Lombard Bible	Across from Helen Plum Library	Lombard, IL 60148		mfgpros@att.net Manufacturing and related positions	Last Tuesday each month 6:30pm-8:30pm	Juan Chapa
CEDA-Northwest Self Help Center	1300 W Northwest Highway	Mt. Prospect, IL 6056	847-392-2332 x 228	thuntsha@cedaorg.net	M-F 8:00-5:00 p.m.	Thomas Huntsha
Career Path Ministry, Our Savior's Lutheran Church	815 S. Washington	Naperville, IL 60540	Office: 630-355-2522	www.oursaviours.com	8 week Job Search Saturdays 8-10 a.m.	Sarah Gmitro 630-281-4216
Chicago Training Network Panera Bread	Ogden Ave. and Naperville Road	Naperville, IL	630-469-2771	gawron@core.com Industry Teachers, Trainers, Managers	3 rd Tuesday 9:30 a.m.	Steve Gawron
Community Career Center Job Club	1815 W Diehl Road Suite 100	Naperville, IL 60563	630-961-5665 Fax: 630-961-1271	bbrillon@communitycareercenter.org	Wednesdays 9:30-11:00 a.m. 11:30-1:00 p.m.	Joy Dooley Facilitator Becky Brillon Program Dir.
Community Career Center MAP(Mondays Accountability Groups)	1815 W Diehl Road Suite 100	Naperville, IL 60563	630-961-5665 Fax: 630-961-1271	bbrillon@communitycareercenter.org	Mondays 10-1130	Becky Brillon Program Dir.
Community Career Center Mom Networking Group	1815 W Diehl Road Suite 100	Naperville, IL 60563	630-961-5665 Fax: 630-961-1271	bbrillon@communitycareercenter.org	2 nd & 4 th Fridays 10-1130	Becky Brillon Program Dir.
Alleluia Lutheran Church	Book & 103rd	Naperville, IL 60564	630-730-8050	Jodymail@sbcglobal.net	3 rd Monday of month 645 PM	Jody Eriksen
Crossroads Career Network, Crossroads Comm. Church	Eola Community Center	Naperville, IL 60540	630-585-7777	DLCarl@Earthlink.net	2 nd Tuesday 7:00-9:00 p.m.	Dave Carl
Community United Methodist Church	20 N. Center Street	Naperville, IL 60540	630-606-0962	larrymkahler@comcast.net	2 nd & 4 th Thursdays	Larry Kahler
Grace Methodist Church Networking w/ Thatch	300 E. Gartner	Naperville, IL 60540	630-961-3278	tirwin@wideopenwest.com	Call for Info.	Thatch Irwin
Midwest Entrepreneurs' Forum – ITT	30W265 Argyll	Naperville, IL 60563	630-305-0005	www.midwestentrepreneursforum.org	Call re: Wheaton or Chicago mtgs.	
St. Raphael Job Network Group	1215 Modaff Road	Naperville, IL 60540	630-355-4545	p16wilson@wideopenwest.com www.workministry.com/fbogroups/il/straphael/index.html	4 th Sat. of month 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Pam Wilson

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St. Thomas Job Club St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church	1500 Brookdale Road	Naperville, IL 60565	630-355-8980	http://www.stapostle.org	1 st ,2 nd ,3 rd Fridays 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. 4 th Friday 7:00-9:30 p.m.	Dave Muthler 630-355-3444
Training Network Midwest Business Education Professionals	1300 Iroquois Suite 115	Naperville, IL 60563	630-469-2771		2 nd & 4 th Tuesday 9:00- 11:30 a.m.	Steven Gawron
St. Joseph the Worker St. Margaret Mary	1450 Green Trails Drive	Naperville, IL		info@stjosephministry.org www.stjosephministry.org	1 & 3 Wednesday 7-9 Check Schedule	Joe Kirkland Bob Clark
Information Technology Knowledge Network Mission Hills Country Club	1700 Mission Hills	Northbrook, IL 60062		dickhughey@comcast.net		Dick Hughey
Gray Hair Management, Mission hills Country Club	1700 Mission Hills	Northbrook, IL 60015	847-940-2800	www.grayhairmanagement.com	Call for information	Scott Kane
Christ Church of Oak Brook	31 st & York Road	Oak Brook, IL 60523	630-654-1882	Meets Quarterly - Seminar Self-assessment www.my.cc-ob.org/jobsearch	Fri 7:00-9:00 pm Sat 8:30-12 noon	Deborah
Ascension Church Work/career Ministry	808 East Avenue	Oak Park, IL 60304	708-246-4404		7:30-8:30 a.m.	Kurt MacKay
Career Enterprises	300 N. Maple	Oak Park IL	708-524-4850	careerprz@aol.com		Robin Sheerer
H.O.P.E. Emp. Ministry St. Elizabeth Seton Church	9300 167 th Street	Orland Hills, IL 60477	708-403-0101 708-712-2837	tom.mcmahon@mcmahonjobs.com	1 st Tuesday of month 7:00-9:00	Tom Mc Mahon or Steve
Job Support Group Holy Family Catholic Church	2515 W. Palatine Road	Palatine, IL	847-359-0042	holyfamilyparish.org	Saturdays 7:30-9:30 a.m.	
Pay-it-Forward Networking Group Immanuel Lutheran Church	200 North Plum Grove	Palatine, IL 60067	Church: 847-359-1549	www.ilcp.org davidkrull@aol.com	3 rd Tuesday 7:00- 9:00 p.m.	Dave Krull 708-686-7180
William Rainey Harper College	1200 W. Algonquin	Palatine, IL 60067-7398	847-925-6720	www.goforwardharpercollege.edu careercenter@harpercollege.edu	M-W 8-8:00 p.m. TH-F 8-4:30 p.m.	
William Rainey Harper College Career Stimulus Program	Wojcik Conference Center 1200 W Algonquin	Palatine, IL 60067-7398		nwajiler@harpercollege.edu	1 Friday a month 1 st mtg. free \$85 membership 9:00-1:15	Nancy Wajler

Moraine Valley Community College	10900 S 88 th Ave.	Palos Hills, IL 60465	708-974-4300	www.morainevalley.edu		Peter Dienan
Tooling & Manufacturing	1177 South Dee Road	Park Ridge, IL 60068	847-825-1120 x 1346	dkiraly@tmanet.com	8:00 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.	Dan Kiraly
St. Mary Immaculate Parish Emp. Ministry	15629 S. Route 59	Plainfield, IL 60544	815-436-2651 x 815	www.smip.org	2 nd & 4 th Tuesday 7:00 p.m.	David Bachtel
Grace Lutheran Church Job Support Group	7300 West Division Street	River Forest, IL 60305	708-366-6900		Wednesdays 10:30-11:30 a.m.	
Reemployment Network Holy Family Church	4401 Highcrest Road	Rockford, IL 61107	Judy 815-397-9397	www.holyfamilyrockford.org Brian 815-394-1001	Wednesdays 7:00 a.m. Church Hall	
Trinity Emp. Development Service Trinity Lutheran Church	405 Rush Street	Roselle, IL 60172	630-894-3263			
Marketing Executives Networking Group	Sprint Building 5600 N. River Road	Rosemont IL	847-279-2354	www.mengonline.com jbohm@nextep2.com Can attend meeting free as guest. Membership required 150K+ with title of VP, Sr. VP, or CMO	Tuesday 1 x month 7:15 a.m.-10:00 am	Juli Bohm, Chair Chicago Chapter
Job Club Schaumburg District Library	130 Roselle Road	Schaumburg, IL 60193	847-923-3322		1 st Thursday 9:00-5:00 p.m.	John Ericson
ChemPharma-Chicago Chapter Schaumburg Public Library	130 Roselle Road	Schaumburg IL 60193	815-455-5130	www.chempharma.net	Last Friday of Month 9:30 a.m.	Pete Harren
Consumer Products Group (CPG) Networking Group Schaumburg Pub. Library	130 Roselle Road	Schaumburg, IL 60193	630-985-0883	Email: naglejc@aol.com	Once a month	Joseph Nagle
Technical Sales & Support Professional Networking Group	Dominick's Finer Food Cafeteria 1293 Higgins Road	Schaumburg, IL 60173		Wayne Van Dyne wvandyne@comcast.net Perry Weinberg phweinberg@gmail.com	1 st & 3 rd Mondays 7:00-9:00 p.m.	IT Tech Sales, Sales Support, IT Managers, Project Mgrs.
Free Career Counseling Skokie Public Library	5215 Oakton Street	Skokie, IL 60077	847-673-7774 x 217	www.skokie.lib.il.us www.jvschicago.org	1 st & 3 rd Thursday Call for Appointment	Phyllis Cable

Job & Career Support Group Skokie Public Library	5215 Oakton Street	Skokie, IL 60077	847-673-7774 x 4126	www.skokie.lib.il.us mbuhman@skokie.lib.il.us	3 rd Monday 3:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Mike Buhmann
Careers Support Group Willow Creek Community Church	67 East Algonquin Road	South Barrington, IL 60010	847-765-5000	www.willowcreek.org/careers	Mon 7:00 p.m.-9:00 pm 3 x a yr. Call for info.	
Self Help Jobs Program Peace CRC	833 East 168 th Street	So. Holland, IL 60473	708-331-7755 708-633-6580		By appointment only	
Career Transitions Group Christ Community Church	37W100 Bolcum Road, Room 212	St. Charles, IL 60174	630-485-3371		Saturdays 8:00-12:00 noon	Tammi Vest
Tri-City Unemployment Group (TUG)	1145. North 5 th Avenue	St. Charles, IL 60174	630-631-1871	www.tricityug.org Info@TriCityUG.com	Every other Monday 630 p.m.	Laurie Mohr
Streamwood Job Club Streamwood Village Hall	301 E. Irving Park Road, Room 102	Streamwood, IL	847-214-6947	Free workshops every other week kmeisinger@elgin.edu	Wednesdays 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.	Kathy Meisinger Program Coord.
Self-Help Jobs Program	8383 West 171 st Street	Tinley Park, IL 60477	708-633-6580 Fax: 708-633-6581	Call for Appointment No Fee	Tuesday and Thursday 9-430	Laura Vande Werken
The Christian Church of Villa Park	1336 South Villa Avenue	Villa Park, IL 60181	847-867-4141	www.cvponline.net	Saturdays 4:15-5:15 p.m.	
W.O.W IIT Campus	201 East Loop	Wheaton, IL		joy@LisleTownship.com Telancy219@aol.com morcarees@aol.com	1 st Wednesday of month 6:30pm	Joy Dooley Teri Clancy
University of Chicago ITT Entrepreneurial Roundtable	1755 S Naperville Road, Suite 200	Wheaton, IL 60187	630-527-8552 ext. 22	billwentz@businesslegalexperts.com	3 rd Monday of the Mo. 6:30-8:30 pm fee varies	Bill Wentz
Career Transitions Gary United Methodist Church	224 North Main Street	Wheaton IL 60187	708-805-8669 Rev Tony Asta	Vicki Austin 630-510-1900 Angela Stephenson 630-200-2533	2 nd Monday of Month 7:00 – 830 p.m.	
Between Success Spouse Support Group, Gary United Methodist Church	224 North Main Street	Wheaton IL 60187	708-805-8669 Rev Tony Asta	Vicki Austin 630-510-1900 Angela Stephenson 630-200-2533	3 rd Tuesday/Mo. 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.	

Holy Trinity Catholic Church	111 S. Cass Ave	Westmont, IL		WCasey@holytrinitywestmont.org	1 st Tuesday @845 am	Deacon William Casey
People's Resource Center	649 Blackhawk	Westmont, IL 60559		www.peoplesrc.org 630 682-5402 x 333	2 nd & 4 th Wednesday 12:30 p.m.	
Interfaith Career Network	Various Churches	LaGrange/ Western Springs, IL	708-246-4404	www.interfaithcareernetwork.org	Call for information Varied	Tom Rohan Judy Kennedy
Network To Success Job Search Club – McHenry County Job Training	500 Russell Court	Woodstock, IL 60098	815-338-7100 Ext. 239	www.mchenrycountywokforce.com	2 nd & 4 th Wednesday 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Jim Pacholski Career Counselor
Woodridge Job Club Woodridge Public Library	3 Plaza Drive	Woodridge, IL 60517	630-968-1880 Ext. 232 630-964-7899 Library	www.woodridgelibrary.org	Group Resume writing & review every Monday 10:00 – 1:00 p.m.	Lisle Township Director of Youth Services
Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce	TBA	TBA	312-494-6709	www.chicagolandchamber.org Must register on-line.	5:00 – 7:00 p.m. monthly \$30 for non-member	Call for information
MIT Enterprise Forum	TBA	TBA	312-642-4647	chiforum@mit.edu	5:00 p.m. Bi-monthly mtg. day varies-call for information \$20	Mona Pearl

Job Search Resources for Over 50

Retired Brains	Listings for retirees			www.retiredbrains.com		
Senior Job Bank	Listings for over 50			www.seniorjobbank.org		
The Next Chapter	National Community based organization for those over 55 to network and explore options			www.civicventures.org		
The Phoenix Link	Post your resume on this site that caters to experienced executives			www.thephoenixlink.com		