



Services for International Students

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College of Engineering, Architecture & Technology ♦ Career Services

OSU Career Services provides various resources for international students who are seeking career planning and /or job search assistance. The OSU HIRE System is a great tool for your part-time, internship, or full-time job search – it's a great place to begin your search.

On-campus interviewing with OSU HIRE System

International students with an F-1 or J-1 visa have some special considerations when determining whether to use the OSU HIRE System. Many employers have regulations within their companies which prevent them from hiring F-1 or J-1 visa holders, thus International students with F-1 or J-1 visas may have more success with their job search by using several or all of the job search methods previously mentioned. International students seeking a degree in engineering, technical, or MBA related programs are most likely to benefit from the OSU HIRE System. All F-1 or J-1 visa holders who decide to subscribe to OSU HIRE System are required to list their work authorization on their resume.

For all job seekers, we recommend using several methods for conducting your job search. These 11 ways can prove invaluable, especially when several or all are used.

1. Networking
2. Internet job search
3. Direct company contacts
4. Career and job fairs
5. Employment/network services with professional organizations
6. Job listings form Career Services
7. Referral by Career Services
8. On-campus interviewing & OSU HIRE System

9. Job listings in newspapers
10. State employment office
11. Employment Agencies

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Other Services include:

- **Workshops**
Event topics include the basics for the job search such as resume writing, cover letter, networking, interviewing, and how to use the OSU HIRE System.
- **Career Fairs**
These events provide an excellent opportunity to meet recruiters and learn about job opportunities. Times, locations, and companies attending are posted on the OSU Career Services website, www.hireOSUgrads.com.
- **Part-time student employment**
Job listings for part-time employment, both on and off campus, are posted on the OSU HIRE System.
- **Career Consultation**
The college has a full-time career coordinator to help with your resume writing, interview techniques, and other job search needs.

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