

# ON-LINE RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS TO SUPPORT JOB SEARCH

The following is a list of Toronto-area agencies and resources that will help with your job search. Some have specific programs in place for people with disabilities, others will assist with your job search. Don't forget that Career Advisors on campus are also here to help – with your resume as well as interview prep and practice!

**Humber College Community Employment Services** is one of the Employment Ontario service providers selected to deliver the Ministry of Training and Colleges and Universities' new youth employment program: **Youth Job Link**

Youth Job link is aimed at youth, including students, who do not face significant barriers to employment. Services will include access to job search resources and information to help them transition to the labour market, including summer employment.

Students with disabilities may also be able to receive additional funding.

**T: 1-877-944-5744**

**Website:** <http://jobs.humber.ca>

## **CareerEdge**

New graduates with disabilities can gain access to meaningful, paid internship opportunities through Career Edge. Participating private, public and not-for-profit sector employers are committed to offering qualified new graduates paid internship opportunities within supportive and professional work environments.

**T: 416-977-3343** Email: [letschat@careeredge.ca](mailto:letschat@careeredge.ca);

**Website:** <https://www.careeredge.ca/for-job-seekers/>

## **Job Opportunity Information Network (JOIN)**

The Ontario Job Opportunity Information Network for Persons (JOIN) is a network of 26 community agencies in Toronto. JOIN assists persons living with disabilities to find and maintain employment and assists employers to recruit qualified candidates to meet their hiring needs.

**T: 647-728-0377** Email: [info@joininfo.ca](mailto:info@joininfo.ca)

**Website:** <http://joininfo.ca/job-seeker>

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### Humber College Career Services

NORTH CAMPUS: Academic & Career Success Centre, Learning Resource Commons, First Floor, 416.675.6622 ext. 5030

LAKESHORE CAMPUS: Student Welcome and Resource Centre, WEL105, 416.675.6622 ext. 5028

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### **Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work**

The mission of the Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work is to promote and support meaningful and equitable employment of people with disabilities. As innovators and agents of change, they build partnerships, develop skills, share knowledge and influence attitudes.

**T: 416-260-3060** Email: [info@ccrw.org](mailto:info@ccrw.org) Website: <http://www.ccrw.org/>

*Two of the initiatives offered by the Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work that would benefit students and graduates are the Ready to Work Inclusion Program and the Workplace Essential Skills Partnership. See the contact information below.*

#### **Ontario Workplace Inclusion Program**

OWIP supports job seekers with disabilities enhance their essential skills to prepare for wage subsidy, work experience and ultimately employment.

**T: 905-556-2095** Email: [owip@ccrw.org](mailto:owip@ccrw.org)

#### **Workplace Essential Skills Partnership**

WESP is designed specifically to provide job seekers with disabilities a professional view of the world of work.

**416-260-3060 x 242** Email: [wesp@ccrw.org](mailto:wesp@ccrw.org)

### **The JobStart Employment Accessibility for Students Program**

The Employment Accessibility for Students Program enables individuals to find full or part-time work! JobStart job developers ensure that each and every candidate is job ready. Individuals have filled positions in fields such as finance, insurance, real estate, and leasing, business and educational services, health care and social assistance, information technology, and customer service/retail.

**T: 416-253-2720** Email: [info@jobstartworks.org](mailto:info@jobstartworks.org)

**Websites:** <https://www.jobstart.org/eas> | <https://www.jobstart.org/capability> | <https://www.jobstart.org/yjc>

**JobStart** is one of the Employment Ontario service providers selected to deliver the Ministry of Training and Colleges and Universities' new youth employment program: *Youth Job Connection*. This employment program is designed to help young people between the ages of 15 and 29 overcome barriers to employment and gain valuable skills and experience. The program offers 60+ hours of in class job search training and career exploration combined with a paid work placement to increase confidence and readiness for employment. Ongoing job coaching, mentoring and transition to further employment and /or educational pursuits is a fundamental aspect of this program.

**T: 416-231-2295; ext 5731 or 5734.**

**Website:** <http://www.jobstartworks.org/Programs/YouthJobConnection.aspx>

### **Specialisterne Canada**

For over a decade, Specialisterne has developed hiring and management practices that enable the employment of people on the **autism spectrum** by removing the barriers to once inaccessible industries and careers. They aim to prove the business value in hiring people who think and communicate differently and to build capacity for neuro-diversity in the labour market.

**T: 416-479-0689; ext. 222** Email: [info@specialisterne.ca](mailto:info@specialisterne.ca)

**Website:** <https://ca.specialisterne.com>

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### **Lime Connect**

Lime Connect is for university and college students and alumni with disabilities. It matches them with top Canadian corporations that offer full-time employment, co-op employment, internships and scholarship opportunities. **Website:** <https://www.limeconnect.com>

### **Discover Ability Network**

Discover Ability Network is a job-matching online portal and resource that connects people with disabilities directly to Ontario employers. **Website:** <https://discoverability.network>

### **March of Dimes**

March of Dimes is an approved Ontario Disability Supports Program service provider. It helps people with disabilities achieve greater independence by providing them with job training and finding them employment. **Website:** [www.marchofdimes.ca](http://www.marchofdimes.ca)

### **Ontario Internship Program**

[Ontario Internship Program](#) provides paid internships across a wide spectrum of fields (Communications, Economics, Health, and more). As a government and diversity employer, diverse candidates such as persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

### **The Federal Student Work Experience Program (FSWEP)**

The [Federal Student Work Experience Program](#) (FSWEP) provides students with learning opportunities through valuable, hands-on work experience. As a government and diversity employer, diverse candidates such as persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

### **Federal Internship Program for Canadians with Disabilities**

[The Federal Internship Program for Canadians with Disabilities](#) is a national program that offers internships to Canadians with disabilities. Interns will have the opportunity to develop their work skills and increase their employability. This program will offer 2-year internship opportunities in the federal public service to 125 persons with disabilities between 2019 and 2024.

### **AMI TV Paid Internships for Students with Disabilities**

[Accessible Media Inc. / AMI Internships](#) Exciting opportunities await students who have a passion to make a difference every day. AMI will provide a challenging and rewarding experience in the Broadcast industry in a wide variety of technical, business and creative roles.