Top 5 Mistakes People Make When Job Hunting





Applying only through traditional means rather than taking advantage of referrals and social media.

Getting a referral is one of the best ways to get hired, but even without one, it pays to tap into your network of friends and professional contacts. You never know what hidden opportunities are out there.



Applying for less than 3 jobs a week

In the job search game, quality is just as important as quantity. Aim to apply to 2 – 3 jobs per day and keep a spreadsheet listing all your pending applications.



Having a negative attitude

Job searching is draining, but try not to take rejections personally. Stay positive!



Not having an 'elevator pitch' or career summary on hand.

You never know when you might stumble across someone with an opportunity. Having a quick 40 seconds speech about who you are and what you're all about is the best self-marketing tool you can have.



Not using a recruitment agency like TalentWeb

Finding the perfect job is tough work and you shouldn't have to go at it alone. That's why we're here – we want to help!