

Great Jobs in Vermont
An initiative to link great candidates to great jobs
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With the second lowest unemployment rate in the country, we need to make sure people know that we have great jobs in Vermont – and lots of them. Many people have an affinity for Vermont, whether they got their degree here or just visited for a long weekend, but are unaware of the variety of great companies and plentiful job openings available in Vermont. The Governor's Office is partnering with local businesses, the Vermont Recruiter's Association, Chambers of Commerce, higher education institutions, alumni networks, the Agency of Commerce and Community Development, the Department of Labor and others to help link up job seekers in and out-of-state with available job openings in our great VT businesses.

- We have created a design concept and marketing tool for anyone interested in using it. For example, alumni networks, higher education institutions, or chambers of commerce can add this to their e-newsletters, mailings or social media to help get the word out to their memberships about available jobs. Here is an example of one of the designs:



- This tool links to job resources, including a brand new Jobs Link on the VT Department of Labor Website and a Great Jobs in VT LinkedIn group, in which VT employers can directly post their job listings.
- The VT Recruiter's Association, with member companies that have hundreds of job openings in the state, is partnering with this us on this initiative. Please find a list of members below.
- This is a tool not only for creating awareness about VT companies and job opportunities with recent graduates and others living out-of-state, it is also an easy way for career services organizations to help link in-state job seekers to great jobs.

Two events are planned to help kick this off:

- Announcement on Wednesday, June 4th at 10:00am at Keurig Green Mountain Coffee Roasters
 - Press conference with Governor Shumlin, business and higher ed partners and recently hired employees to unveil the marketing tool and the partnerships created between businesses, higher ed institutions and state government to link people to great jobs in Vermont
 - Will also highlight Vermont job openings and the Career Connections event
- Career Connections Event on Thursday, June 5th at 12:30pm at Hotel VT
 - The VT Recruiter's Association is hosting its first event to link companies to job seekers from 1pm – 7pm
 - Press conference to kick-off the Career Connections event and highlight the great VT businesses and openings currently available

Members, VT Recruiters Association

A.N. Deringer, Inc.
AllEarth Renewables
Beth Gilpin Consulting
Brueggers
Burton Snowboards
Cabot Creamery
Champlain College
CVMC
Dartmouth Hitchcock
Dealer.com
Fletcher Allen
Gallagher, Flynn and
Company
Healthy Living Market
HR Consulting Solutions
Husky
Keurig Green Mountain
Lake Champlain Chocolates
Logic Supply
Marathon Health
Mylan Technologies
MyWebGrocer
National Life
North American Breweries
Northwestern Medical Center
Revision Military
Rutland Regional Medical
Seventh Generation
Shelburne Plastics
Spherion
UVM
VIVID Workplace
VT Energy Investment Corp.

Participants, June 5th Career Connections Event

National Life Group

Keurig Green Mountain

"Gallagher, Flynn and Company, LLP"

PC Construction

Fletcher Allen Health Care

Agri-Mark/Cabot Creamery

"Hickok & Boardman Insurance, Inc."

Spherion

Coldwell Banker Hickok & Boardman Realty

Visiting Nurse Association of Chittenden and Grand Isle Counties

Community College of Vermont

iSystems LLC

"HR Consulting Solutions, LLC"

Vermont Energy Investment Corporation (VEIC)

Logic Supply

Mylan Technologies

New York Life Insurance Company

Mywebgrocer

Campus to Career Solutions

Vermont Department of Human Resources

Dealer.com

Creative Workforce Solutions

Shearer Automotive Group

Vermont Department of Labor

Vermont Army National Guard

Howard Center