



IU Alumni Career Services

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Two main needs

- Help with choosing and transitioning to a new career
 - Help with finding a job
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What do alumni need when choosing a new career?

Need	
Assessments (values, interests, personality, skills)	
Online	
In-person	
Online resources to learn about possible careers	
People with whom to conduct informational interviews, job shadow	
Ways to find volunteer opportunities to “test drive”	
Personalized help	

What do alumni need when searching for a new job?

Need	
Resume help	
Cover letter help	
Interview help/practice	
Places/ways to network	
Relocation help	
Job board	
Personalized help	



Demo of Online Services

<https://alumni.indiana.edu/career/>

What do alumni need when choosing a new career?

Need	IUAA Service
Assessments (values, interests, personality, skills)	
Online	CareerBeam
In-person	MBTI and Strong Interest Inventory
Online resources to learn about possible careers	CareerBeam, WetFeet
People with whom to conduct informational interviews, job shadow	IU Alumni Directory, Career Advice Network
Ways to find volunteer opportunities to “test drive”	Going Global
Personalized help	Career Counseling

What do alumni need when searching for a new job?

Need	IUAA Service
Resume help	Optimal Resume, CareerBeam
Cover letter help	Optimal Letter, CareerBeam
Interview help/practice	Optimal Interview, CaseQuestions
Places/ways to network	IU Alumni Directory, LinkedIn, Chapter Events, Career Advice Network
Relocation help	Career Advice Network, Alumni Directory, Chapters
Job board	IU Alumni Job Board
Personalized help	Job Search Coaching



How can you help?



Created concept from *What Color is Your Parachute* by Richard Bolles



How can you help?

- Update your employment information on the IU Alumni Directory
- Register as a mentor
- Post available positions at your company
- Register on LinkedIn, join IU groups
- Come to alumni events in your area
- Spread the word!

