Employer Research and Information

**Brief Employer Contact Information & Company Home Pages**
- ChamberFind.com
- CollegeGrad.com - Entry Level Employers
- Employer Locator - careeronestop
- State Profile - careeronestop
- SuperPages.com Yellow Pages
- ZoomInfo

**In-Depth US Employer Information**
- Electronic Resources - USC Libraries
  (To access, choose "Business" and click on "Find Resources.")
- Glassdoor.com (Obtain access by emailing students@glassdoor.com for a password.)
- Valuation Resources Industry Reports
- WetFeet
- EDGAR-- U.S. Securities and Exchange filings for publicly-held companies

**International Employers**
- American Chambers of Commerce Abroad - U. S. Chamber of Commerce
- American Firms Operating in Foreign Countries & Foreign Firms Operating in the United States- Uniworld
- Business Publications
- Kompass - Companies worldwide

**News and Journal Articles**
- BusinessWeek (Search for organizations, top right)
- Google News

**Employer Rankings**
- Employer Rankings - Fortune
- Employer Resources - job-hunt.org
- JobStar - Best Companies
- Top 25 Ideal Employers - BusinessWeek

**Manufacturers**
- ThomasNet
- Georgia Manufacturing Directory
- West Virginia Manufacturers Directory

**Guides For Company Research**
- Guide to Researching Companies
- Targeting & Researching Employers
Interviewing, Networking & Professional Dress

Interviewing
Interviewing videos - CollegeGrad.com
Interviewing - Riley Guide
Interview Follow-Up/Thank You Letters
The Behavioral-Based Interview - University of Maryland
Preparing for a Telephone Interview - Florida State University

Networking
Networking, Interviewing, & Negotiating - Riley Guide
The Art of Networking - Quintessential Careers
Conducting Information Interviews Guide - Florida State University

Avoiding Scams in a Job Search
Job Hunting Job Scams - Federal Trade Commission
Scams and Schemes in Work and Employment Services - Riley Guide
Mystery Shopping Alert
Work-At-Home Schemes - Better Business Bureau Work At Home

Professional Dress
What to Wear - Princeton University
Proper Business Attire and Etiquette - TSolutions.net
Extreme Interview Makeover - University of Tennessee-Knoxville
Dressing for the Interview by Industry - Monster .com
Dress for the Job You Want (For men)

Dining Etiquette
Ellen Degeneres Dining Clip

Resumes, CVs & Job Search Letters

Susan Ireland Resumes
Resume Tutor - University of Minnesota
Resumes & Cover Letters - The Riley Guide
Cover Letter Resources for Job Seekers

References - guidelines for your job search - Virginia Tech
Should you Send a Thank You Letter After an Interview?

Curriculum Vitae
Curriculum Vitae - JobStar
Writing the Curriculum Vitae - Owl Purdue Online Writing Lab
Outlook & Trends - South Carolina & Nationally

National Employment/Occupational Outlook
Compare Employment Trends by Occupation - careeronestop
Finding Employment in Difficult Economic Times
College Hiring Outlook 2012 - NACE JobChoices
Jobs Rated Report - careercast
Labor Market Information Center - careeronestop
State Profile - careeronestop
Occupations - fastest growing, most openings, largest employment, declining, highest paying - careeronestop
STEMTrends (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math)

Industry Outlook
Career Guide to Industries - US Bureau of Labor
Industry Information Resources - Valuation Resources
Job Trends - Major Industries - Indeed.com

State & Metropolitan Area Outlook
SC Labor Market Information - SC Employment and Workforce
State Economic Development Agencies
State Profile (all states) - careeronestop

Salary Surveys and Data

Nationwide Statistics
Glassdoor.com (Obtain access by emailing students@glassdoor.com for a password.)
Salary Search - Indeed.com
Finance & Accounting Salaries - Robert Half
PayScale
Salary Calculator - NACE
salary.com
Salary Guides & Guidance - The Riley Guide
Salary Surveys for NonProfit Sector - Idealist.org
Wages by Occupation and Local Area - careeronestop
MOVE Salary Calculator

South Carolina Statistics
Occupational Employment and Wage Estimates - SC Department of Employment and Workforce
SC Teacher Salaries by County
Relocation Information

Cost of Living
Cost of Living Calculator - CNN.com
Cost of Living Comparison Calculator - Bankrate.com

International Cost of Living & Chambers of Commerce
ChamberFind.com

Community Rankings & Profiles
Chamber of Commerce.com
CityRating.com
CityTownInfo.com
Sperling's Best Places
State Profile - careeronestop
US County Maps for all 50 States

Relocation Tips and Guides
Relocation Resources - careeronestop

Career Fairs

Carousel Expo
Career Expos - Equal Opportunity Publications
JobEXPO.com
Job Fairs - Skidmore College
National Career Fairs
Women for Hire Career Expo

Professional, Scholarly & Trade Associations

Association Job Boards
Gateway to Associations - ASAE
Professional and Trade Associations and Labor Unions - careeronestop
Scholarly Societies Project - University of Waterloo
Yahoo! - Business and Economy: Organizations: Professional