

Selected Resources Related to Graduate Student Services

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The resources on this handout include websites, articles, and guides intended to assist graduate students with various aspects of career problem solving and decision making. Although there are numerous additional graduate-student career development resources available online, no attempt was made to include all relevant resources for purposes of this handout. Instead, only those resources that were found to be most relevant and useful for graduate students' career development were selected for inclusion. Also, there are numerous additional websites containing job postings in government, industry, and nonprofit sectors that may be useful when providing career services to graduate students, no attempt was made to include all such websites.

*All of the websites, articles, and guides included on this handout can be accessed electronically through FSU's Center for the Study of Technology in Counseling and Career Development: www.career.fsu.edu/techcenter

Selected Websites:

Academic, nonacademic, and postdoctoral job search

www.universityjobs.com – University job search and other resources

www.chronicle.com – Higher education news and information, including academic job postings

www.insidehighered.com – Academic job postings and expert advice from online mentors

www.academiccareers.com – Academic job search

www.phds.org – Job postings in academic, industry, and government, including postdoctoral positions

www.postdocjobs.com – Postdoctoral job postings

www.rileyguide.com/jobs.html – Links to websites with job listings in humanities, science, law, government, and more

www.ironstring.com/sellout – Informational site for Ph.D. students considering careers outside of academics

www.versatilephd.com – Informational site about academic employment realities and nonacademic career options

Social networking and survival

www.gradshare.com – Graduate student online community, expert advice and helpful information

www.gradresources.org – Survival tips, crisis line, and online mentors

Associations

www.nagps.org – National Association of Graduate and Professional Students

www.asgs.org – Association for the Support of Graduate Students

www.nbgssa.org – National Black Graduate Student Association

www.gwis.org – Graduate Women in Science

www.apa.org/apags – American Psychological Association Graduate Student organization

www.intlcareers.org – International Careers Consortium

www.nationalpostdoc.org – National Postdoctoral Association

* Please check directly with the authors/creators of the resources on this handout in order to obtain permission for public use of any website, article, or guide listed

Selected Articles:

[Career Development for Graduate Students: Building a Workshop Series](#): Baker, T., & Newman, J., (NCDA Career Convergence)

[How to be a Good Graduate Student](#): desJardins, M., 1994 (University of Indiana)

[Landing an Academic Job: The Process and the Pitfalls](#): Dantzig, J. A., 2007 (University of Illinois)

[The Transition from Graduate Student to Assistant Professor](#): UC Berkeley Career Center website

[After the Offer, Before the Deal: Negotiating a First Academic Job](#): Golde, C. M., 1999 (University of Wisconsin)

[Learning the Lingo](#): Heiberger, M. M., & Vick J. M., 2002 (Chronicle of Higher Education)

[Different Paths to Full Professor](#): Jaschik, S., 2010 (Inside Higher Ed)

[Advice for Wannabe Profs](#): Givens, T. E., 2010 (Inside Higher Ed)

[Not So Private Professors](#): Stripling, J., 2010 (Inside Higher Ed)

[Why I Like Being a Contract Faculty Member](#): Fasnacht, N., 2010 (Chronicle of Higher Education)

[Out of Academia](#): Newitz, A., (Salon)

[The Confidence-Man and Jobs beyond Academe](#): Johnson, M., 1999 (Ironstring)

[Journeyman: Getting Into and Out of Academe](#): Soojung-Kim Pang. A., 1997 (Encyclopedia Britannica, 1998)

[How to Succeed in Graduate School: A Guide for Students and Advisors](#): DesJardins, M., 2010 (ACM Crossroads)

[How to Cut Ph.D. Time to Degree](#): Jaschik, S., 2007 (Inside Higher Ed)

[Ph.D. Supply and Demand](#): Jaschik, S., 2010 (Inside Higher Ed)

[Taking the Ph.D. Back Home](#): Kowalsky, D., 2001 (Chronicle)

[Using Graduate School Strategically](#): Newhouse, M., 1999 (Chronicle)

[Using Graduate School Strategically, Part II](#): Newhouse, M., 1999 (Chronicle)

[Graduate School Neuroses](#): Meeks, C., 2002 (Chronicle)

[Is There Life After Graduate School?](#): Singer, J., 2007 (Chronicle)

[Postdoc Survival Skills](#): Gordon, P., 2004 (Chronicle)

[Postdocs for Humanists](#): Cahn, P. S., 2002 (Chronicle)

[The Perfect Postdoc: A Primer](#): Austin, J., 2003 (Science Careers)

Selected Guides and Handouts:

[Writing a Curriculum Vitae - Florida State University](#)

[Dossier Preparation: Teaching Portfolio and Personal Statements - Stanford](#)

[CVs and Cover Letters - Stanford](#)

[Interviewing for a Faculty Position - Florida State University](#)

[The Academic Job Search Handbook](#)

[Academic Job Search: a Practical Overview - Stanford](#)

[Academic Careers: Preparing for the Market - University of Washington](#)

[First Year as a Professor - University of Washington](#)

[Ph.D. Thesis Research: Where do I Start? - Columbia University](#)

[Writing and Presenting your Thesis and Dissertation - Michigan State University](#)

[Ph.D. Pathways: Alternatives to Academic Careers - Stanford](#)

[Beyond Academia: Exploring Options - University of Washington](#)

[Beyond Academia: Preparing for the Job Search - University of Washington](#)

[Tools for Success in Graduate School and Beyond - University of Texas](#)

[Finding and Using Graduate Student Resources - Florida State University](#)

[Thriving in Graduate School - University of Washington](#)

[Finding and Funding a Postdoc Position - University of Washington](#)

[How to get the Mentoring you Want - University of Michigan](#)

[Obtaining Letters of Recommendation - University of Washington](#)