

# MARINEMPLOYMENT CONNECTION

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# SEPTEMBER 2015 GUEST WORKSHOP SERIES

The Marin Employment Connection (MEC) offers two weeks of *Keys to Employment* job search skills workshops each month, as well as some orientations from our community partners.

#### **MEC Keys to Employment Workshop Series**

- The Successful Mindset for Today's Job Market
- Career Assessment
- Master Applications & References
- The Internet and Hidden Jobs
- Networking 101
- Resumes
- Interviewing Techniques
- "Workin' It Out" Workplace Communication Skills

Once a year MEC features a *Guest Speaker Series* with subject matter experts who offer further insight into the changing nature of the workforce and ways to enhance job-search tactics.

The following pages list the classes offered in September. Note: Keys to Employment Workshops return in October.

Workshops are offered on a first-come, first-serve basis so be sure to check the start times on the calendar and plan to be here early. Parking is limited.



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www.marinemployment.org

**Calendar of Events** 

Looking for Work?

Check out

MEC's Job Board



### WEEK 1: SEPTEMBER 14—18

#### Monday, September 14

1-2:30 PM Making Your Best Impression: Tools and Tips for Job Seekers

Katelyn Willoughby, Center for Volunteer and Nonprofit Leadership

#### **Tuesday, September 15**

9-10:30 AM Managing One's Emotions During the Job Search Process

Diane Greer, Planning & Strategies Consultant

1-2 PM **How to Expunge Your Criminal Record** 

Lisa Salinas, Marin County Public Defender

#### Wednesday, September 16

9-11 AM **Applying for Jobs with Marin County** 

Florence Pattison, Marin County Human Resources

1-2:30 PM Earn a GED to Access Employment and Higher Education

Jaemi Naish, GED Program Coordinator, Tamalpais Adult School

#### Thursday, September 17

9–11 AM **To Infinity and Beyond: Launch Your Dream Job** 

Marilyn Spoja, ResetGo

1–2:30 PM **How to Find Free Money** 

Shandra Thomas, Community Action Marin, SparkPoint Marin

#### Friday, September 18

9-11 AM Using LinkedIn to Get Hired and for Career Advancement

Angela Dunz, YWCA Marin



## WEEK 2: SEPTEMBER 21—25

#### Monday, September 21

9-10:30 AM **Using Key Words to Master Online Applications** 

Bonita Wahl, Department of Rehabilitation

1-3 PM The Keys to Discovering a Meaningful Career

Ryan Rigoli, Soulful Brand

#### Tuesday, September 22

9-10:30 AM **Career Networking Tips** 

Clare Shanahan, Consultant

1-3 PM **How to Ace an Interview** 

Windi Snearly, Wells Fargo Bank

#### Wednesday, September 23

9-10 AM **How to Make Your Resume Stand Out** 

Rochelle Ayala, Nelson Staffing

1-2:30 PM **Volunteering with Marin County** 

Tara Clark & Anne Star, County of Marin

#### Thursday, September 24

9–11 AM Exploring Volunteer Opportunities in Marin

Anton Timms, Center for Volunteer and Non Profit Leadership

1–3 PM Are You Ready to be Self-Employed?

Miriam Hope Karell, Renaissance Center of Marin

#### Friday, September 25

9–10 AM How to Apply with Staffing Agencies

Peter Dempsey, ExpressPros





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MEC connects Marin County residents and employers to the resources they need to become and remain successful.



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