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1. PERSONAL CONTACTS

The job you seek could be closer than you imagine. Tap into your existing relationships and the organizations you are already involved in.

PREVIOUS JOBS:

- Internships
- Part-time
- Full-time
- Freelance

COLLEGE:

- Professors
- Mentors
- Guest speakers
- College events
- Colleagues
- Career center
- Alumni
- Job board

PERSONAL NETWORK:

- Industry contacts
- Parents (and grandparents)
- Parents' friends and business associates
- Siblings
- Siblings' friends and business associates
- Extended family members (aunts, uncles, cousins)

MY PERSONAL CONTACTS

Previous jobs:

College:

Personal network:

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2. DESIGN JOB WEBSITES

Online recruiting sites can provide assistance in your job search, but be sure a site is reputable before you submit any personal information.

RECRUITERS:

- The Creative Group
- Aquent
- The Boss Group
- Creative Circle
- RGA
- Artisan Creative
- Creative Movers

CREATIVE JOB SITES:

- Behance
- Dribbble
- Coroflot
- Krop
- Authentic Jobs
- Talent Zoo
- Smashing Magazine
- Creative Hot List
- Design Jobs Board
- Fresh Web Jobs

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

- AIGA
- ADC
- The One Club

MY DESIGN JOB WEBSITES

Recruiters:

Creative job sites:

Professional organizations:

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3. SOCIAL MEDIA

Many people connect to others through social networking channels. Tap into your social media to identify a contact or a job lead.

- LinkedIn
- Twitter
- Facebook
- Instagram
- Google+
- Pinterest
- Vine
- Vimeo

SOCIAL MEDIA TIPS:

- Delete anything in your social media pages that might be embarrassing.
- Make sure your content varies from page to page and site to site.
- Brand your pages with elements of your personal brand identity.

MY SOCIAL MEDIA CONTACTS

LinkedIn:

Others: