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Job Networking

**(No pre-registration required)**

**RUMC Job Networking invites you to attend  
on Monday, June 24, 2019**

**11 Afternoon Workshops starting at 12:30 p.m.**

**Attire to Hire – 4-8 p.m.**

**Fast Start Orientation – 5:00 p.m.**

**Dinner at 5:30 p.m. with Dinner Speaker, Bill Leonard – “God Had a Better Plan”**

**Evening Workshops 7–8 p.m.**

**Keynote Speaker, 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. – Eric West – “Atlanta’s Job Search Tour Guide”**



**Eric West**

Eric has spent the last 10 years and hundreds of hours listening to the best and worst job search ideas across Atlanta. Fifty minutes with Eric as our “tour guide” will save you many hours of trial and error. As an Accountability Group Workshop Leader with RUMC Job Networking, Eric is well prepared to take us on this journey.

Eric has broad experience in Product Management, Executive Level Sales, Marketing, Operations, Legal, General Management, Intellectual Property Management, Product Introduction, Quality Control, and Communications. Eric helps companies meet operational and financial objectives by analyzing, designing, and implementing proven solutions for the successful introduction of Customer Driven new products.

Come prepared to listen to Eric’s finer points of the job search that otherwise would have passed you by!

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**Attire to Hire. Interview Ready Clothing. 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.** If you have an interview and need one piece for an outfit or an entire outfit, be certain to stop by the “clothing store” located in **B 224**. There is no cost involved. Come and see what we can do to help you look your best!

**Dinner Program. Dinner speaker is Bill Leonard who will be sharing a message about “God Had a Better Plan”.** Seating begins at 5:15 p.m. with serving to start at 5:30 p.m. Our dinner program is focused on developing your spiritual resume’ so you are not conducting your search alone! A donation of \$3.00 for the dinner is appreciated; however, for those who are unable to contribute, the meal is on us. Our buffet may close around 6:15 p.m.

**Our Last Meeting** – Job Networking had 311 job seekers, employers, educators, and volunteers participate in workshops and dinner. We had 86 first time visitors to the program. Attire to Hire outfitted 23 job seekers. The evening ended with job seekers getting answers to their questions from our panel of “Ask the Experts”. A very informative evening for all.

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#### **Detailed Agenda Below:**

**Notice: Bonus Afternoon Workshops prior to dinner and starting as early as 12:30 p.m. Pick one or two! No reservations needed. Also, reservations are not needed for dinner or other evening events.**

**Workshop #1 – 12:30 - 4:30 p.m. Crossroads Course for Career Transition. Fast Paced, Dynamic and Comprehensive.** Are you new in the job search process, or is your search stalled and you are not sure how to proceed? This session is for you! We will guide you through a 7-step process for seeking and finding a job, using the most effective and competitive methods. The content addresses both the spiritual and practical aspects of navigating a crossroads in your career. A donation of \$5.00 is appreciated for the cost of materials. **Led Craig Simons & Tonette White. Room B 233–237 Dining Room.**

**Workshop #2 - 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Revolutionize Your Competitive Edge.** Move your search from stalled to competing for opportunities. Learn the secret formula for jobs. **Led by Reed Harvey, Room B 126.**

**Workshop #3 – 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Boomer & Gen. X Job Search Strategies.** This workshop is a must for job seekers age 45+. Amazon Best Selling Author, **Al Smith**, demonstrates how to uncover objections, overcome "ageism" (age discrimination) and explain how to use your "Value Proposition" to prove you are more marketable than candidates from younger generations. **Led by Al Smith, Room B 131.**

**Workshop #4 – 1:30 to 3:00 p.m. How to be a Dynamic & Confident Job Seeker** – A comprehensive snapshot of what it means to be in career transition. During the session, we will discuss the emotions of your career transition and how to focus on you; define the various “roles of being a job-seeker”; how to create order in your daily search activities and how to execute your plan with confidence now that you know what to do! **Led by Richard J. Morgan, MBA – PARW/CC. Room B 123-125.**

**Workshop #- 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. The Art of Buying the Right Business. A Business Ownership Boot Camp.** Business ownership is not for everyone; choosing between an existing business or acquiring a franchise requires a proven process. There are over 4,000 different franchises, therefore, learning how to find the best match for your future is key. **Led by Bill Williams. Room B 239.**

**Workshop #6 – 1:45 - 3:15 p.m. - How to Win in Your Job Search Every Time!** This is a fast paced, hands-on, in your face workshop that produces results and job offers. HR people hate to be sold a candidate, but they love to buy winners. In a mere 1 1/2 hours you will acquire and have practiced with the tools and triggers that reassure employers that YOU are who they want to buy! You will WIN no matter the competition. **Led by Dan Jourdan. Room B 242–244 "Trinity Café".**

**Workshop #7 – 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. Executives in Transition** – If you are an executive (director level or above) or want to be, this interactive workshop is a must. Topics include finding executive recruiters, leveraging LinkedIn to get found, alternative methods of contact and more. **Led by Amazon Bestselling Author, Al Smith. Room B 131.**

**Workshop #8 – 3:30 to 4:50 p.m. The Interview...Making it an Art-Form.** Below are just a few of the areas that will be covered. - Comprehensive snapshot of the modern elements of the interview process.

- The emotions and stress of interviewing (factors and how to handle).
- Types of interviewing (including detailed overview of the modern video interview).
- Preparation measures/methods (fresh ideas!)
- An interactive mock interview session during each workshop.
- Richard's tips for a great interview and follow up.

**Led by Richard J. Morgan, MBA – PARW/CC. Room B 123-125.**

**Workshop #9 – 3:45 - 5:00 p.m. – Hot Jobs, Rewarding Careers and FREE Boot Camps for Job Training.** Are you trying desperately to go back to the same shrinking industry you just left while there are new thriving industries with huge shortages of professionals? You owe it to yourself to make an informed decision before you jump into another dissatisfying job. You don't have to get a new degree. There are many professional trainings and specialized certificates that take less than 3 months to receive. Find out how to leverage online programs and the government funded training to transition to a new rewarding career or moves to a new thriving industry.

**Presented by Emory University Representative Hamid Arjmand. Room B 239.**

**Workshop #10 - 3:45 - 4:45 p.m. Learn About the Marketing Document!** This is a most important tool in the marketing phase of the search process. **Led by Reed Harvey. Room B 126.**

**Workshop #11 - 5:00 - 5:40 p.m.- First Time or Newer to RUMC Job Networking? Don't miss the "Orientation Fast Start Session".** Our Job Networking events offer a great deal of information that we know can overwhelm newcomers. We can help you understand what we have to offer and decide which events you'd like to try in our Orientation Fast Start Session at 5:00 p.m. **Led by Katherine Simons. Room B 233-237 "Dining Room".**

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#### **7:00 - 8:00 p.m. – Evening Workshops**

**Employers & Educators - (E&E)** - Learn about open job opportunities and educational programs available for job seekers from employers and educators. **Fellowship Hall.**

**One-On-One Resume Review.** Join with us in this session to have your resume reviewed by Career Management Consultants, Hiring Managers and Human Resource Professionals. **Room B 246-248.**

**Resume Writing Workshop.** **Al Smith** will lead this workshop in the best practices for getting selected via your resume. **Room B 131.**

**Interview Workshop.** **Richard Kirby** leads this practical and “do not” miss interactive workshop on interviewing. **Room B 239.**

**One-on-One LinkedIn Profile Review.** Bring a pdf printed version of your LinkedIn profile (there is a pdf icon on your LinkedIn profile under Edit Your Profile). A robust profile **increases your chances** to be found for employment opportunities. **Led by LinkedIn Profile Review Team. Room B 126.**

**God's Talking Workshop!** Join a workshop where you will be able to see how God is trying to talk to you. Have you ever thought about the Bible being full of people in transition and God was trying to talk to them? We have a strong leadership team to guide you through an interactive discussion. **Room B 242-244 "Trinity Café".**

**Leveraging Your LinkedIn Profile.** Now that you have established your LinkedIn profile, how can you leverage it? This presentation is perfect for people who have completed their profile and want to understand how to use LinkedIn to amp up their job search. **Led by LinkedIn Profile Review Team. Room B 123.**

**Mock Interview - Small Group Session** (limited to 5 people). Join **Cindee Sapoznik and Richard Morgan** in a small group workshop designed for people who are starting, or who are already interviewing. Attendees are those looking for feedback at a personal level, through a round table discussion led by a facilitator, where job seekers help each other with their knowledge and experiences. **Room B 216 – (Third Grade Room).**

**Small Group Networking.** Network with your peers in the main room for networking in your profession. We will have Sales, HR, IT and other groups for you to be a part of. If we are missing your group, please let us know! **Fellowship Hall Tables.**

**Facilitator Led Accountability Groups.** RUMC has reorganized the Accountability Groups and added a new group. The Accountability Groups are now organized into two major groups:

1. Entry Accountability Group (Beginning accountability). – **Eric West**
2. Masters Accountability Group (Graduate accountability). – **Bob Chaet**

Consider joining an accountability group. Learn the details and join one at our next meeting. For more information about these groups, **meet with Charlie Brown at Fellowship Hall Table #13 immediately after the dinner segment.**

**Industry Guide Access.** Sign up with **Jim Hallberg** to connect with one of over 100 industry guide volunteers to network with you. You pick one of them to follow up with after our meeting, based on the industry and company they are employed with. **Room B 233-237, Dining Room.**

**Chapel Time with our Prayer Ministry Leaders.** We encourage everyone to keep God in your search. A job search is easier when He is included. Dedicated prayer partners are waiting in the Chapel during this time to pray with you. This could be the most important time you spend with us.

**B Building - Chapel - 3rd Floor.**

**LinkedIn Photos.** Is your LinkedIn photo in need of an overhaul? Photographers will be on hand to make that LinkedIn head shot look professional. **Room B 212 – (First Grade Room).**

**IT Answer Man - Cliff Riviere** will provide one-on-one answers to your computer questions so you don't have IT problems holding back your job search! **Fellowship Hall.**

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**8:00 p.m. – Keynote Speaker – Eric West – Fellowship Hall**

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