

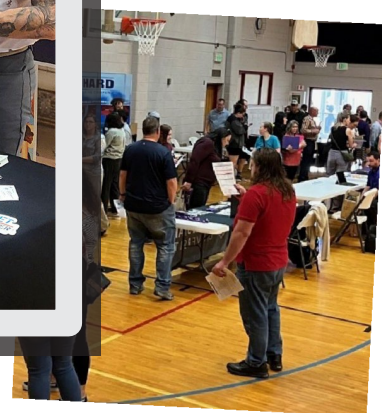
Workforce and Employer Support Update

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JOB FAIRS & RECRUITMENTS

Federal Employee Career Transition & Resource Connection Fair

More than 450 people attended a successful Federal Employee Career Transition and Resource Connection Fair at Ogden Technical College. The event connected attendees with over two dozen vendors from the finance, aerospace, defense and education sectors, as well as Workforce Services. It offered significant support, opportunities and resources for individuals affected by recent or anticipated federal layoffs.



Spanish Fork-Salem Area Chamber of Commerce Job Fair

A job fair in Salem, Utah, at the Advanced Learning Center, brought together about 30 employers and 200 job seekers. The event was a partnership between the Spanish Fork-Salem Chamber of Commerce, Workforce Services and Nebo School District, and facilitated significant networking and job opportunities. Workforce Services staff also helped young attendees with career exploration and provided information about the WIOA Youth Program, which helps young people gain skills and experience for future employment.

Kanab Area Job Fair

The Department of Workforce Services partnered with Kanab City and the local Chamber of Commerce to host a job fair with nearly 30 employers and about 100 attendees. The first half of the event focused on youth entering the workforce, allowing local students to engage with employers, connect with community partners and virtually explore careers. The second half, geared toward the general public, also saw high participation.

EMPLOYER SUPPORT

FLEX Onsite Job Recruitment (South County Employment Center)

Workforce Services collaborated with Synergy, Spherion and YES Staffing to organize a job recruitment event for FLEX LTD | Advanced Manufacturing. The event featured 200 temp-to-hire positions and drew nearly 300 attendees.

Due to its success, discussions are underway for a future event to fill up to 700 additional positions.

Tim Larson, owner of Spherion Staffing, praised the partnership, saying what an incredible service our office provided for the event. He will be sharing this with their 200+ franchises nationwide. He said, “Thank you for being such an amazing partner to us!”



Better Your Business Breakfast Seminar

Fifty-five employers from the Mountainland area attended this seminar at UVU. This free event offered tools and resources for hiring and training, providing information on programs such as On-the-Job Training, Youth Employment Internships and Work Opportunity Tax Credits. Attendees learned about eligibility requirements and how these services could support their business growth.



Amazon Onsite Interviews - New Distribution Center (Price)

Workforce Services continues to support Amazon while they build and open a new distribution center in Price. Amazon officials held employment interviews at the Price EC over the past several weeks, noting that their “interview show rate” has been nearly 100%!

EDUCATIONAL & COMMUNITY PARTNER SUPPORT

Paiute Tribe Community Housing Fair

Workforce Services provided information on employment and training services. Staff engaged with attendees, offering resources to support career development and self-sufficiency. The event fostered valuable community partnerships and increased awareness of available services and programs.

Granger High School Job Fair



This Job Fair featured 34 employers and 500 students. Workforce Services engaged with companies and students to discuss available services and support, and information about an upcoming virtual job fair.

Bear River High School Job Fair

Over 30 employers participated in this fair, where about 200 students visited up to five businesses in

15-minute intervals to learn about each company. Workforce Services presented information about state government jobs and high-demand occupations, as well as an overview of available resources, services and programs.

Maple Mountain High School Mock Interviews

Staff conducted mock interviews for over 70 students at the high school. Many students found the experience helpful in boosting their confidence and providing an idea of what to expect in real-world job interviews. Staff also introduced students to the WIOA Youth Program, highlighting opportunities for paid work experience, skills training and career guidance, and showed them how to register on jobs.utah.gov.

Uintah Basin Business Symposium

Hosted by the Vernal Area Chamber of Commerce, staff provided information on employment services, employer quick-start guides and local economic information. Staff delivered an economic presentation specific to the tri-county region to the 150 attendees.



VETERANS & MILITARY EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

Veterans' & Caregiver Resource Conference

This rural Utah event attracted 40–50 attendees who gained a greater understanding of career development opportunities and assistance programs for veterans and caregivers available through the Department.

Transition Assistance Program (TAP)

Multiple TAP events were held at Hill Air Force Base in recent weeks. The department showcased virtual job fairs, career workshops and the ACE program to approximately 100 transitioning service members and spouses. These events aim to provide crucial resources to assist in smooth transitions to civilian employment.



APPRENTICESHIPS

Attendees Experience Jobs Virtually at National Apprenticeship Day Job Fair

Apprenticeship and career-focused education were highlighted at this Job Fair in Salt Lake City. 183 participants explored apprenticeship career opportunities, some virtually, and connected with 10 employers seeking apprentices.



Salt Lake County Office of Regional Development

Workforce Services presented information on pre-apprenticeship and registered apprenticeship for workforce development. Staff highlighted apprenticeships' role in providing training, mentorship and education for meaningful employment. Additionally, staff presented on how registered apprenticeship can help justice-impacted individuals re-enter the workforce.

UTAH STATE OFFICE OF REHABILITATION (USOR)

Work Ability Career Preparation & Job Fair

This event was organized by USOR's Business Relations and Choose to Work team and was hosted at the Taylorsville's Sanderson Center of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing. The event welcomed 250 job seekers, youth and educators. Additionally, 34 registered employers engaged with participants.



Utah Worksite Wellness Council Conference

USOR delivered an informative session on "Accessibility in Your Workplace" at this conference, attended by 23 participants. The presentation focused on the Americans with Disabilities Act and practical guidance for fostering an accessible workplace with emphasis on the importance of understanding disability disclosure and reasonable accommodations, equipping attendees with knowledge and strategies to hire and retain individuals with disabilities.



WHAT'S NEXT

- Aug. 5: Tooele Career and Resource Fair
- Aug. 26: Utah Valley Job Fair, Utah Valley Convention Center, Provo
- Sept. 11: DWS Virtual Job Fair
- Nov. 7: Utah County Health Career Fair



View all Workforce Services events by scanning the QR code.

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