Module 6: Resources for Students and Employers

Career & Employment Resources

- **Ability Edge**: provides paid internship opportunities for post-secondary students and graduates with disabilities.
- **Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work (CCRW)**: Offers programs and services for all aspects of the employment of persons with disabilities.
- **JOIN (The Ontario Job Opportunity Information Network for Persons with Disabilities)** is a network of 22 community agencies in Toronto that assist people living with disabilities to find and maintain employment.
- **JVS Toronto (Ability Works)**: assists persons with mental health, developmental, learning and physical disabilities, injuries or illnesses to transition to employment.
- **Lime Connect**: offers scholarships and networking events for students with disabilities.
- **Link Up**: offers assistance with needs assessments, job development and placement, employment action plans.
- **Ontario March of Dimes**: Employment preparation, job placement and training.
Addressing Employment Barriers: Resources

Employment Ontario:
http://www.tcu.gov.on.ca/eng/employmentontario/

Ontario Disability Support Program:

Ontario Human Rights Commission:
http://www.ohrc.on.ca/en/issues/disability

Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act 2005:
http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca/html/statutes/english/elaws_statutes_05as.htm

Resources for Employers

- Link Up: From Disabilities to Possibilities
- The Conference Board of Canada: Tapping the Talents of People with Disabilities
- Canadian Human Rights Commission: A Place For All: A Guide to Creating and Inclusive Workplace (CHRC)
- Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work
  - The Job Accommodation Service (JAS) is a consulting service for employers to assist with accommodation
  - Partners for Workplace Inclusion Program (PWIP) and the eLearning Disability Awareness Series (DAS)

Academic Advising & Career Centre Resources

- Occupational Binders
- Reserve Books (Great Jobs series)
- Career Cruising
- Online Self-Assessment
- Tipsheets
- Extern Program
- 1-on-1 meetings with a Career Counsellor
- 1-on-1 meetings with an Employment Coach
- Professional & Grad School Fairs
- Volunteer & Internship Fairs
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