## **April Newsletter 2020**

Think creatively and visualize a new career horizon!

Dear Client,

Hope you are well and taking care. If you are feeling unsettled, you are not alone. A lot of turbulent events have been happening on the global stage. However, I believe this time can be leveraged for self-reflection, career planning, and project completion.

Please know that I am committed to helping you enhance your career growth and success. I encourage you to have faith and remain positive! Business will resume once again. And remote opportunities are out there too. So, if you need career support or guidance, please <a href="mailto:emai



## WHAT'S NEW?

Job Search Resources
JOB SEARCH VAULT

Accelerate your job search and maximize your career success with <u>helpful news</u>, strategies, recruitment resources, and podcasts.

Access my new Job Search Vault to gain high-quality information at zero cost.

Stay informed!

Brand Marketing Collateral CAREER SERVICES

Start planning your next career move. \*Specials until April 30th.

Is your résumé ready?

Invest in NLP-based interview coaching. Now is the time to refine your job search skills!

A wide range of <u>Master-level</u> <u>career products and services</u> are offered to meet your needs.

Holistic Career Support

CAREER GUIDANCE

Do you need <u>career support</u> <u>or guidance?</u>

Are you facing a career transition?

Consider a resume and LinkedIn re-customization.

Book your 30 minute session today. One session/client please. Spots fill up quickly!



## NOMINATED READERS' CHOICE

Creative Horizons Communications has been nominated in Hamilton Community News Readers' Choice Awards 2020 for:

- ✓ Best Career Training
- ✓ Best Employment Agency

Thank you for supporting us! Referrals are greatly appreciated. Check back for results May 14th: https://www.hamiltonnews.com/readerschoice/

Remote work opportunities are out there!

Since 2013, I have been working remotely and would like to share my success tips with you.

If you have transitioned to working remotely, here are some best practices/tips:

- ✓ Carve out a welcoming space.
- ✓ Establish boundaries.
- ✓ Set goals and have a solid schedule.
- ✓ Be efficient and focused. Take breaks.
- ✓ Utilize a collaborative approach.
- ✓ Create innovative tools and best practices.
- ✓ Write out to-do checklists. Keep logs.
- ✓ Stay committed to meeting deadlines.
- ✓ Leverage LinkedIn, Twitter, or Facebook as valuable online resource and networking tools.
- ✓ Balance time for personal interests.
- ✓ Be kind to yourself. Exercise self-care.
- ✓ Seek support and keep learning!

The key is to think creatively and make working remotely engaging and productive.

### Resources:

https://www.workitdaily.com/tips-working-from-home/10-track-your-work-and-progress

https://careerprocanada.ca/workplace-flexibility-rise/

## Remote Work Job Sites:

https://www.creativeresumestrategist.com/jobsearch-coaching-resources

# The Evolving World of Work

The world of work is rapidly changing! These changes are calling us to evaluate our skills and values and how we can best leverage our unique offerings to make a difference.

In the last career forum, I collaborated with career pros to discuss 7 megatrends impacting the changing world of work: The New Retirement, Diversity / Inclusion, Generation Z, Artificial Intelligence (AI), Remote Work, Positive Psychology & Well-Being, and Emotional Intelligence (EI).

Read more here.

View blog site: www.creativehorizonsresumes.com/blog.



"I feel that luck is preparation meeting opportunity."

- Oprah Winfrey

"Follow effective actions with quiet reflection. From the quiet reflection will come even more effective action."

- Peter Drucker

## MAXIMIZE YOUR PRODUCTIVITY AT HOME

## **RESOURCEFUL IDEAS**

- ✓ Get some spring-cleaning done. Declutter your space.
- ✓ Set some goals and improve your job search skills!
- ✓ Invest in a new brand marketing portfolio.
- ✓ Network actively online. Is your LinkedIn profile ready?
- ✓ Tackle long-standing projects and meet your deadlines.
- Catch up on some good reads or movies on demand.
- ✓ Consider a course/program to enhance marketable skills.
- ✓ Unleash your creative side via the arts or indoor hobbies.
- ✓ Increase your fitness with your indoor exercise machine.
- ✓ Take time to destress with yoga, meditation, or walking.

## THRIVING IN CHALLENGING TIMES

STAY CALM, REMAIN PROACTIVE, AND LEVERAGE MINDFULNESS

While we are facing some unsettling times, we all have a choice on how to respond.

I believe that this is a time of awakening calling us to raise our consciousness, improve our wellness, and drive empowering change. How will you respond? How can you make a difference?

It's easy to get immersed in negative emotions. However, doing so essentially gives away personal power. A crisis can bring about a higher purpose and meaning. There is a positive intention and opportunity for mindfulness and growth.

We're in this together; let's do our part to make things better, and we will come out much stronger!

"What lies behind you and what lies in front of you pales in comparison to what lies inside of you." - Ralph Waldo Emerson



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There is a light at the end of the tunnel. Be grateful for your blessings.

Desire - Believe - Expect the positive. Stay healthy and safe.

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For reliable community information and resources on COVID-19, please visit: <a href="https://careerprocanada.ca/career-professional-community-resources-support/">https://careerprocanada.ca/career-professional-community-resources-support/</a>
Affirm the positive each day with these inspirational quotes!

P.S: Let's stay connected on <u>LinkedIn</u>. Look forward to speaking with you soon!

Championing your continued success...

Warmest Regards, fori A. Jazvac