Job Hunting: Get Your Resume In The Right Hands

In today's competitive job market, it's more important than ever to make sure your resume is getting into the hands of the right people. Here are a few tips on how to do just that:

1. Tailor your resume to each job you apply for.

One of the biggest mistakes job seekers make is sending out the same generic resume to every job they apply for. This is a surefire way to end up in the reject pile. Instead, take the time to tailor your resume to each specific job you're applying for. This means highlighting the skills and experience that are most relevant to the job, and using keywords that potential employers are likely to be searching for.



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2. Use a professional resume format.

Your resume should be well-organized and easy to read. Use a professional resume format, and make sure your resume is free of errors. You can find many free resume templates online or ask your local employment office for help.

3. Quantify your accomplishments.

When you're describing your accomplishments on your resume, be sure to quantify them whenever possible. This will help potential employers see the impact of your work. For example, instead of saying "Managed a team of 10 employees," you could say "Managed a team of 10 employees, resulting in a 15% increase in productivity."

4. Use strong action verbs.

Use strong action verbs to make your resume more dynamic and engaging. For example, instead of saying "Responsible for customer service," you could say "Provided excellent customer service, resolving over 100 customer inquiries per day."

5. Proofread carefully.

Before you submit your resume, be sure to proofread it carefully for any errors. Ask a friend or family member to review your resume as well. Any errors on your resume could reflect poorly on you and make you less likely to get an interview.

6. Get help from a professional.

If you're struggling to get your resume noticed, you may want to consider getting help from a professional resume writer. A professional resume writer

can help you create a resume that is tailored to your specific needs and goals.

7. Network with people in your field.

Networking is a great way to get your resume into the hands of potential employers. Attend industry events, join professional organizations, and connect with people on LinkedIn. The more people you know, the more likely you are to hear about job openings that are a good fit for you.

8. Use social media to your advantage.

Social media can be a great way to connect with potential employers and promote your resume. Create a professional profile on LinkedIn, and make sure your resume is up-to-date. You can also use social media to share articles and updates that are relevant to your field of interest.

9. Don't give up.

Job hunting can be a challenging process, but it's important to stay positive and persistent. Don't give up if you don't get the first job you apply for. Keep networking, applying for jobs, and improving your resume. Eventually, you will find the right job for you.

Additional tips:

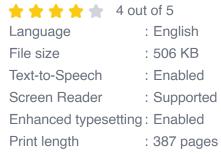
- Use a cover letter to introduce yourself and explain why you're the right person for the job.
- Follow up with potential employers after you've submitted your resume.
- Be prepared to answer common interview questions.

- Dress professionally for interviews.
- Be yourself and let your personality shine through.



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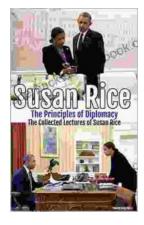
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