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* NEW * AMERICAN JOB FAIR



EMPLOYERS REGISTER NOW!

Thursday May 8, 2025

Bismarck Career Academy 1221 College Dr.

Looking for your next great team member? Connect with New American job seekers at this special hiring event!



2:00-4:00 PM CT 701-328-5000 www.JOBSND.com



Capital Career Fair 2025: Connecting Job Seekers with Opportunities in Bismarck Region

The 2025 Capital Career Fair, hosted by the Bismarck Workforce Center, proved to be a remarkable event for job seekers and employers alike. Held on March 18, 2025, this highly anticipated job fair connected job seekers with a diverse range of businesses eager to fill positions across various industries. The event served as a valuable opportunity for networking, professional growth, and career advancement.

This year's fair saw an impressive turnout, with 460 job seekers in attendance. These individuals came prepared with resumes in hand. eager to explore new employment opportunities and engage with employers. potential **Attendees** ranged from recent high school students to seasoned professionals looking for their next career move. Many took advantage of the chance to learn more about company cultures. iob expectations. potential career paths within different industries.

A total of 122 businesses participated in the event, offering job opportunities fields such as healthcare, manufacturing, technology, energy, and construction. Employers were enthusiastic about meeting prospective employees face-to-face, emphasizing the importance of inperson interactions in the hiring process. Representatives from several companies noted that the career fair provided an excellent platform to identify top talent and schedule follow-up interviews. One employer even shared that he hired a journeyman on the spot after meeting him at the career fair, demonstrating the immediate impact the event had on connecting qualified candidates with job opportunities.

Career Fair also provided additional resources to support job seekers. advisors **Employment** Bismarck Workforce Center were onsite to offer resume reviews, interview coaching, and job search assistance. These services helped candidates refine their applications and improve their chances of securing meaningful employment.

Employers praised the event for the amount of foot traffic it generated, with one stating, "Great exposure for so many companies. Helps us be seen by some who may have never heard about our work." Another employer expressed appreciation for the variety of roles their company offered, saying, "We loved that people could fit into many of the roles that we offer." Other sentiments included common for appreciation the quality conversations employers had with job seekers, the well-organized setup, smooth flow of traffic, and the diversity of attendees, all contributing to a positive and productive experience for businesses and job seekers alike.

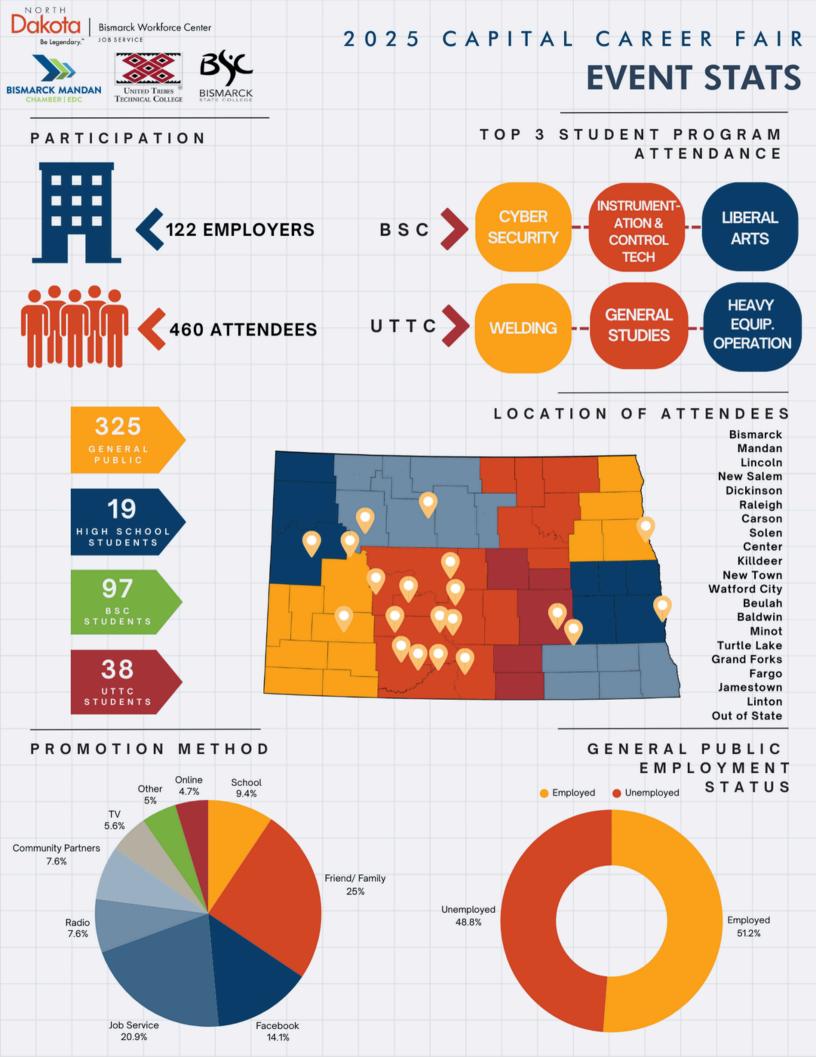


Beyond job opportunities, the Capital The success of this year's fair highlights the ongoing demand for workforce development and employer engagement in the Bismarck region. Organizers expressed gratitude to all participants and encouraged seekers to continue utilizing the resources available through Bismarck Workforce Center, With such a strong turnout, the event reaffirmed its status as a key initiative in connecting job seekers with local businesses.

> As the job market continues to evolve, events like the Capital Career Fair remain crucial in fostering professional growth and economic development. Job seekers and employers alike can look forward to future opportunities to connect, network, and build a stronger workforce for North Dakota.











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Do you have experience hiring New Americans? Would you like to learn about hiring new Americans?

Come to this free event for employers.

Hear how local employers have benefited and how to access community-based support services that guide employment success.

Learn more about the New American Job Fair, happening May 8th.

Virtual Option available.



WHEN

Thursday May 1, 2025 / 2-4 PM CST

WHERE

Bismarck-Burleigh Public Health 407 S 26th St.

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Unemployment Insurance Claims - 701.328.4995

Unemployment Insurance Employer - 701.328.2866

Employer Unemployment Tax - 701.328.2814

Recurring Local Events:

- WIOA Orientation Weekly Tuesday 9am
- Bismarck Veterans Memorial Library 1st Tuesday of every month, 1-5pm
- Workforce Wednesday Hiring Event 1st Wednesday of every month, 3-5pm
- Job Readiness Workshops Every Wednesday, 8:30-12pm
- Dream Center 2nd Monday of every month, 5-7pm
- Dream Center 4th Tuesday of every month, 7-9am

Other Resources:

Secretary of State - 701.328.2900

Workforce Safety Insurance - 800.777.5033

Department of Labor 701.328.2600



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