

## Make the most of Winter Break with your job search

*Just because you are on break does not mean that employers put their search on hold*

Winter Break is right around the corner. While you spend the next couple weeks focusing on your finals, you will then be rewarded with a month off from school. With that in mind, Winter Break is an ideal time to apply for jobs/internships and follow up with employers.



We understand you are on Winter Break and need take some time to relax and recharge your internal batteries before heading back to campus.

If you manage your time right, you will have plenty of time for fun and rest on your break, along with investing some time in creating your future career. Your future self will thank you for it.

While the holidays are a slow time for employers, they still run their daily operations. If anything, this is a great time to fill out applications and follow up with recruiters because their jobs are not as demanding, allowing them more time to follow up with candidates.

Even just committing to a few hours a week can produce some great results. The Spring semester will start up again on January 16<sup>th</sup>, along with all of the demands required inside and outside the classroom/lab. Why not make some great use of the free time you will have until then?

*Utilize the resources provided below to start searching, following up and networking for an internship or job.*

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**Job Search Strategies Workshop**  
Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> 3-4:30 | Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> 12 -1:30  
Daley Library Room 1-470  
[Event Details](#)

**Ask Employers/Resume Reviews**  
Wed. Nov. 29<sup>th</sup> | 12 – 2 PM  
Career Services – SSB 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
[Event Details](#)

**UIC Analytics Career Fair**  
Fri, Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>. | 11:30 AM – 2 PM  
SSB Rooms A,B,C | Major: CS  
[Event Details](#) **Must Register**

**InContext Solutions/Job Shadow**  
Tues. Jan. 9<sup>th</sup> | 9 AM - 5 PM  
Major: CS | Class: Juniors & Seniors  
[Event Details](#)

**ENGR Internship & Job Fair**  
Fri. Jan. 5<sup>th</sup> | 1 – 3 PM  
College of Lake County/Grayslake, IL  
[Event Details](#) Register Online



## Good Luck on your Final Exams!!!

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