Dear Lynx Community:

I hope you all are staying safe and healthy, and that your basic needs are being met during these uncertain times. As you settle into learning remotely, and practice social distancing, many of you might be facing job uncertainty as well. The Career Center and Experiential Learning Center are here to help.

Many of you may work for an employer that had to shut down completely or cut its workforce. We have staff ready to help you navigate this difficult time. We are holding appointments remotely via zoom, you can schedule those in Handshake.

Were you recently laid off? Here are some additional resources for you as well.

- Companies hiring immediately
- Companies hiring right now
- Help Wanted
- How to file for unemployment
- What to do if you’ve been laid off
- Colorado Health Insurance

What does it mean to search for a job or internship during a pandemic? This is certainly uncharted territory for searchers and employers. The good news is that employers are still hiring! We have a virtual recruitment events for several different employers listed in Handshake. Before you attend one, make sure that your materials are up to date. Again, our teams are here to help with resumes, cover letters, applications, virtual interviewing and virtual networking. We can navigate this together.

In addition, as a CU Denver student, you have access to LinkedIn Learning via the student portal. Here are some of the courses and videos I’d recommend:

- Job Search
  - Becoming a Successful Job Hunter
  - Job Searching, Interviewing, and Negotiating Salary
  - Job Search Strategies
  - Get Ahead in the Job Market After a Layoff
  - A Career Strategist’s Guide to Getting a Job
  - Job Searching for College Grads
Interviewing
Find Your Dream Job: Interview Techniques and Resume Writing
Mastering Common Interview Questions
Interview Master Class
What to bring for a job interview
How to succeed in a job interview
Communication skills for effective interviewing
Phone and video based remote job interviews

Resumes
Writing a Resume
Resume Makeover
Resumes and online applications
Tailoring your resume
LinkedIn versus a resume

Cover Letters
Writing a Cover Letter
How to write an effective cover letter
Hook a recruiter with your cover letter
The anatomy of a killer cover letter
How to get your cover letter to decision makers

Improving your LinkedIn profile
Rock Your LinkedIn Profile
Learning LinkedIn
Optimize your LinkedIn profile for recruiters
Best practices for your LinkedIn profile
Creating a compelling LinkedIn profile

When you’re ready to start, we’re here and we can help you succeed.
We care about your success. Take care of yourselves and stay safe.

Warm Regards,

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