

2013 Employment Resources Guide

The purpose of this guide is to provide a resource to those living in Orange, Ulster, Sullivan and Rockland counties looking for job information. Here you will find sources of information at the local, county and state levels.

It is a guide that will help those just getting out of school, those looking to start a new career, as well as those looking for work after retirement.



Hudson Valley Workforce & Industry Data

Dutchess, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster and Westchester counties

The New York State Department of Labor is an Equal Opportunity Employer/Program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

Hudson Valley Unemployment Rates

Not seasonally adjusted.

Jan. 2012 — 7.8% Dec. 2012— 7.3% Jan. 2011 — 7.9% Dec. 2011—6.9%

http://www.labor.ny.gov/stats/hud/

Labor Statistics for the Hudson Valley Region Dutchess, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster and Westchester Counties

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COLLEGE CAREER CENTERS

SUNY Orange Office of Career and Internship Services

<u>http://orange.cc.ny.us/careers/</u> (open to students, Alumni , and the public)

Middletown Office

115 South St. Middletown, NY 10940

Shepard Student Center, 2nd Floor, Room 227 M-F: 8:30 a.m.—5 p.m. Evening hours available by appointment,

please call 845-341-4444.

Newburgh Office

1 Washington Center Newburgh, NY 12550

Kaplan Hall, Student Services Central, Room 110

W. only: 9 a.m.—4 p.m.

For additional appointments, please call 845-341-4444.

Rockland Community College Career Center 145 College Road Suffern, NY 10901

Technology Center, Suite 8220 M. & Th: 8 a.m.—7 p.m. T. W. F.: 8a.m.—4 p.m. 845-574-4216

http://www.sunyrockland.edu/current-students/student-

services/career-services-center (open to students, and Alumni)

SUNY Ulster Career Center 491 Cottekill Road Stone Ridge, NY 12484

845-687-5091

www.sunyulster.edu/academics/student_services.php (open to students, Alumni and Residents)

STATE RESOURCES

Orange County

Orange County Works

Web site: http:<u>www.co.orange.ny.us/</u>

Click on County Department-Find: Employment & Training

Newburgh Office

Orange Works Career Center

Maple Building, 3 Washington Center 4th Floor

Newburgh, New York 12550

Phone: 845-568-5090 or 845-568-5377 Hours: M-F: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Middletown

Orange Works Career Center

Fulton Plaza, 33 Fulton Street, 2nd Floor

Middletown, New York 10940

Phone: 845-346-1100

Hours: M-F: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Port Jervis Office

Orange Works Career Center, Hunt Building

123 Pike Street 1st Floor Port Jervis, New York 12771

Phone: 845-858-1464

Hours: M-F: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Rockland County

Tomorrows Workplace One Perlman Drive Spring Valley, NY 10977

845-356-5100

Web site: www.tomorrowsworkplace.org

Hours M-F: 9am – 4:30pm

Sullivan County

Sullivan Works One-Stop Center

50 North Street

Monticello, New York 12701

Phone: 845-794-3340 Web site: <u>www.scgnet.us</u>

Hours: M-F: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Ulster County

Ulster County One-Stop Center

601 Development Court, Ulster Avenue

Kingston, New York 12401 Phone: 845-340-3170

http://www.workforcenewyork.org/ulster

Hours: M-F: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 pm http://www.doleta.gov/seniors

General information: 1-877-872-5627

SCSEP

Community service and work based training program for older workers.

http://www.doleta.gov/Seniors/html_docs/docs/seniorsF AQ.cfm

ACCESS-VR

(Vocational and Educational Services for Individuals with Disabilities) - employment services for the disabled http://www.acces.nysed.gov/vr/

Mid Hudson area

(Dutchess, Putnam, Orange, Ulster, and Sullivan Counties) http://www.acces.nysed.gov/vr/midhudson/home.html

White Plains

(Westchester and Rockland Counties)

http://www.acces.nysed.gov/vr/whiteplains/home.html

CIVIL SERVICE AGENCIES

Orange County Civil Service

http://www.orangecountygov.com

Department of Personnel

255-275 Main Street Goshen, NY 10924 Telephone: 845-2910-2707, option 2

Civil Service Commissions oversee the employment of persons in the classified service of municipal governments. The civil service merit system ensures that public employees are chosen on the basis of merit and fitness.

City of Middletown

http://www.middletown-ny.com/

Middletown City Civil Service Commission

City Hall -3rd Floor

16 James Street Middletown, NY 10940-0940 Telephone: 845-341-4106 Fax: 845-343-3039

City of Newburgh

http://www.cityofnewburgh-ny.gov/

Newburgh City Civil Service Commission

City Hall -1st Floor

83 Broadway Newburgh, NY 12550-2550 Telephone: 845-569-7340 Fax: 845-569-7449

City of Port Jervis

Port Jervis City Civil Service Commission

14 -20 Hammond Street

P.O. Box 1002 Port Jervis, NY 12771-2771

Hours: 10am to 2pm

Telephone: 845-858-4052 Fax: 845-856-0322

Rockland County

Rockland County Department of Personnel

Sain Building, 4th Floor 18 New Hempstead Road New City, NY 10956-0956 Telephone: 845-638-5200 Fax: 845-638-5229

Fax: 845-638-5229 http://rocklandgov.com/

Sullivan County

Sullivan County Personnel Department

County Government Center

100 North Street

Monticello, NY 12701-2701 Telephone: 845-807-0485

Fax: 845-807-0494

http://www.co.sullivan.ny.us

Ulster County

Ulster County Personnel Department County Office Building -5th Floor

244 Fair Street

Kingston, NY 12402-1800 Telephone: 845-340-3550 Fax: 845-340-3592

http://www.co.ulster.ny.us/

RCLS LIBRARIES ONLINE CAREER LINKS

ORANGE

Newburgh Free Library

http://www.newburghlibrary.org/the-library-for/jobseekers/

• Thrall Library - Middletown

http://www.thrall.org/interjob.html

ROCKLAND

• Finkelstein Memorial Library

http://www.finkelsteinlibrary.org/LibraryServices/Jobsand Career.aspx

Nyack Library

http://guides.rcls.org/jobs

 Valley Cottage Library http://guides.rcls.org/vcljobhunt

• West Nyack Free Library

http://www.westnyacklib.org/research.html#Careers% 20and%20Employment

ONLINE RESOURCES AT YOUR LOCAL LIBRARY

Learning Express Library—interactive online learning platform of practice licensing tests and tutorial course series for students and adult learners.

- Blauvelt http://blauveltfreelibrary.org/
- Chester http://www.rcls.org/chs/
- Cornwall http://www.cornwallpubliclibrary.org/
- Ellenville -

http://eplm.sharepoint.com/Pages/default.aspx

- Greenwood Lake http://www.gwllibrary.org/
- Haverstraw www.hkdpl.org/
- Newburgh www.newburghlibrary.org/
- New City www.newcitylibrary.org/
- Nyack http://nyacklibrary.org/
- Orangeburg <u>www.orangeburg-library.org/</u>
- Palisades www.palisadeslibrary.org
- Pearl River www.pearlriverlibrary.org
- Spring Valley www.finkelsteinlibrary.org/
- Stony Point www.rosememoriallibrary.org/
- Suffern www.suffernfreelibrary.org/
- Tappan http://www.taplib.org/
- Valley Cottage http://www.vclib.org/
- West Nyack http://www.westnyacklib.org/
- Warwick <u>www.albertwisnerlibrary.org/</u>

Computer Skill Online Tutorials—offers online trainings of Microsoft programs (and much more): Word, Excel, Access, Outlook, PowerPoint:

- Albert Wisner-Warwick http://www.albertwisnerlibrary.org/
- Blauvelt Free Library http://blauveltfreelibrary.org/
- Haverstraw King Daughters Library www.hkdpl.org/
- Greenwood Lake Public Library http://www.gwllibrary.org/
- Newburgh Free Library http://www.newburghlibrary.org/
- New City Library http://www.newcitylibrary.org/
- Nyack Library http://www.nyacklibrary.org/
- Orangeburg Library http://www.orangeburg-library.org/
- Pearl River Library www.pearlriverlibrary.org
- Rose Memorial Library www.rosememoriallibrary.org/
- Suffern Free Library www.suffernfreelibrary.org/
- Valley Cottage Free Library http://www.vclib.org/
- West Nyack Library http://www.westnyacklib.org/



JobNow—is a unique online service that features expert resume writing assistance, live interview preparation and career coaching. Go to your local public library website to access it.

LIBRARIES WITH IN-HOUSE CAREER CENTERS

All libraries have resources on cover letters, resumes, Civil Service study manuals, etc.

Florida Public Library

4 Cohen Circle Florida, NY 10921 845-651-7659

Ellenville Public Library and Museum

40 Center Street Ellenville, NY 12428 845-647-5530

Haverstraw King's Daughters Public Library

Rosman Center 10 W Ramapo Road Garnerville, NY 10923 845-786-3800

Moffat Library of Washingtonville

3348 Route 208 Building 2, Suite 2 Campbell Hall, NY 10916 845-496-5483

Newburgh Free Library

124 Grand Street Newburgh, NY 12550 845-563-3600

Orangeburg Library

20 South Greenbush Road Orangeburg, NY 10962 845-359-2244

Port Jervis Free Library

138 Pike Street Port Jervis, NY 12771 845-856-7313

Rose Memorial Library Association

70 East Main Street Stony Point, NY 10980 845-786-2100

Thrall Public Library

11-19 Depot Street Middletown, New York 10940

2-1-1 HUDSON VALLEY REGION

Free, multi-lingual call specialists provide information on local services provided by health & human services agencies. 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.