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Bloom Youth & humanUPtions Present: Career Readiness Workshops

April 5 & 9, 2024 - VIRTUAL

Capacity per Class: 100 (first come first serve)

About humanUPtions

At humanUPtions, students and professionals explore familiar and unfamiliar career options via storytelling by industry leaders and experts. Our goal is to create meaningful connections for mentorships, internships, apprenticeships + jobs, and inspire our audience to craft or reignite personal career maps for success. Our events are industry agnostic. Our attendees are from various backgrounds and age groups. Our carefully curated Career Readiness Workshops strive to bridge the gap between potential and opportunity.

Join us LIVE! **Are YOU Career Ready?** April 12, 2024, Civic Hall @ Union Square, NYC Meet Industry Leaders + Recruiters from Avenica, TikTok, Amazon, J.P. Morgan, the Ad Council, Chick-fil-A, NY Life Insurance, LinkedIn and T.D. Bank!

Agenda + Tickets: https://www.humanuptions.com/contact-4

About Bloom Youth

A non-profit education platform made for youth to accelerate their talents. We equip youth with the mindset, skills, knowledge, mental resources, as well as access to mentors and opportunities to grow individually. Our engagements and mentorship provide opportunities for youth to learn skills needed to be successful in the workplace, as well as guidance to create their individual career paths. Our goal is to provide guidance and awareness to youth who do not have access to traditional education and/or career pathways, youth who are not yet equipped to enter the workforce due to lack of skill building opportunities, and youth who can benefit from having a mentor as a resource in their career creation. Learn more at our website.

We are excited to partner with **humanUPtions** for the 'Are You Career Ready?' event by offering a series of complimentary sessions to attendees. More details on each session, speakers, and links to join are below.

(All sessions in EST time)

Friday, April 5 from 10am-11am

Mentor: Elena Agaragimova (<u>LinkedIn</u>)

Session Overview: Join us for an engaging session with Elena Agaragimova, a seasoned professional who has successfully transitioned from academia to leadership roles in global corporations. In this live session, Elena will provide invaluable guidance on crafting tailored resumes and honing your job search strategy for optimal focus and impact.

Link to join: Join Zoom Meeting

Friday, April 5 from 11am-12pm

Mentor: Taz Rajabali (<u>LinkedIn</u>)

Session Overview: Join us for an insightful session tailored for young fresh graduates and job seekers eager to navigate the competitive job market. In this session, seasoned recruiters will divulge valuable strategies on how to effectively position yourself as a top candidate, master the art of networking at recruitment events, and understand what recruiters truly seek in potential hires. Whether you're aiming to land your first job or advance your career, this event is your opportunity to gain invaluable insights and take actionable steps

toward achieving your professional goals. Don't miss out on this chance to unlock the secrets to career success straight from the experts!

Link to join: Join Zoom Meeting

Friday, April 5 from 12pm-1pm

Mentor: Teresa Freeman (LinkedIn)

Session Overview: Join us for an engaging session led by an esteemed HR executive with experience at Amazon, Deloitte, IBM, and PwC. In this session, you'll discover the critical role that soft skills play in your journey as a young job seeker or fresh graduate. From effective communication to emotional intelligence and leadership abilities, learn how cultivating these essential skills can set you apart in today's competitive job market.

Link to join: Join Zoom Meeting

Friday, April 5 from 2pm-3pm

Mentor: Steve Mellor (LinkedIn)

Session Overview: Join us for a thought-provoking session led by Steve Mellor, where we'll explore the concept of your "optimal self" in the context of your career journey. In this session, Steve will shed light on the importance of authenticity while remaining open to growth and evolution as a professional. Through engaging discussions and insightful exercises, you'll discover how to embrace your unique strengths and aspirations while staying adaptable to change.

Link to join: Join Zoom Meeting

Friday, April 5 from 3pm-4pm

Mentor: Shawn Geegbae (LinkedIn)

Session Overview: Embark on a journey of career exploration with a seasoned Senior Recruiting Specialist from Cordia Resources. In this dynamic session, you'll gain exclusive access to insider insights and expert guidance tailored specifically for young job seekers and fresh graduates in the Washington, DC area.

Link to join: Join Zoom Meeting

Friday, April 5 from 4pm-5pm

Mentor: Chris Lee (LinkedIn)

Session Overview: In this session, participants will discover the power of the first impression and learn how to leverage it for success in meetings and interviews. Whether you're meeting a potential employer for the first time or attending a crucial business meeting, making a positive and memorable impression is essential. Through practical tips and strategies, attendees will gain insights into effective communication, body language, and preparation techniques to ensure they leave a lasting impact on every encounter. By mastering the art of the first impression, participants will enhance their confidence, credibility, and overall success in professional interactions.

Link to join: Join Zoom Meeting

Monday - April 9 from 10am-11am

Mentor: Marc Stoecker (LinkedIn)

Session Overview: Live session - Join us for a dynamic discussion exploring innovative strategies for navigating the career search journey, emphasizing mental fitness as a cornerstone for resilience and success. Learn actionable approaches to bolster your well-being and thrive amidst the challenges of career exploration.

Link to join: Join Zoom Meeting