

Job Fair/Reverse Job Fair FAQs

Will I get a job from this? Every company has its own hiring process that they are legally obligated to follow. This means that they most likely cannot offer you a job directly at the summit. Instead, they can invite you to continue on in their hiring process.

I'm registered for the job fair and reverse job fair. Can I participate in all aspects of the Summit? Yes! We encourage all of the job fair/reverse job fair participants to attend the presentations and panels in the morning. The only sessions you won't be able to attend are the breakout session presentations that are happening during the job fair. You may choose to attend any of the breakout session panels while you wait for your slot during the reverse job fair or after you finish.

I'm a job seeker. Why do you want my resume or CV ahead of time? By providing us with your resume or CV, we can match you with appropriate employers. You will receive an email letting you know which employers you will visit during the job fair, and in what order.

How much detail should I provide in my resume? See our Resume Tips sheet for more information.

I have auditory processing difficulties. What accommodations help me participate in this event? We are asking the employers to provide a recorded presentation or a written outline if possible. Additionally, feel free to wear noise-cancelling headphones or earplugs if they help you. For the reverse job fair, you have the option of pre-recording your presentation. If you need specific accommodations, please email Isabelle Morris at isabell2 'at' stanford 'dot' edu by **March 7th**.

Will I get a job coach through the Summit? No, Stanford does not provide job coaches. However, you may be eligible for a job coach through your regional center (e.g. Golden Gate Regional Center, San Andreas Regional Center, etc.) or the Department of Rehab.

How do I prepare for the reverse job fair, where I present my qualifications to employers? In addition to the resume tip sheet, we will be holding "office hours" before the summit to help you prepare. There will be one for resume writing and one for going over the job fair/reverse job fair details.