Academic Resources

The Chronicle of Higher Education [http://chronicle.com/section/Home/5/] With articles, blogs, and resource guides, the Chronicle is an excellent way of becoming acquainted with North American and European academic environments.

H-Net [http://www.h-net.org/] An excellent resource for subjects in the humanities and social sciences, this website serves as a forum for a wide range of disciplines. You can sign up to various H-Net networks and mailing lists for notice of conferences, publication opportunities, and current issues in your subject area.

academia.edu [www.academia.edu] This online academic network allows you to establish a profile online where you can publicize your research interests and publications. You can “follow” the work of other academics and engage in discussions on topics in your field, allowing you to keep up-to-date with your subject area.

Mailing Lists Ask your colleagues at your host institution to which mailing lists they subscribe. These can be great resources that publicize new publications, funding opportunities, conferences, and job opportunities.

Job Search and Application Resources

Job Listings:

Chronicle Jobs Comprehensive international job listings in academia and in related fields for all disciplines.


jobs.ac.uk Academic and non-academic jobs for the United Kingdom; some international opportunities also listed.

Inside HigherEd International job listings for faculty and administrative positions in higher education.

HigherEd Jobs Database for positions in higher education. Some position postings are out of date.

DAAD Scholarship Database Multiple funding opportunities in Germany and beyond for research, teaching, and further study.

Association for Women in Science Promotes the advancement of women in scientific careers.
National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine Lists fellowships and post-doc openings in scientific, engineering, and medical fields in the United States.

Guidance on Teaching and Research Statements, CVs, Cover Letters and Interviewing:

Advice on writing teaching philosophies

Writing a teaching statement

Making Sense of the Diversity Statement

Interview Guide

CV Writing

Guide to Curricula Vitae, Resumes, and Cover Letters

Alternative Career Options

Non-profit sector:

The Versatile PhD website contains free content available to all and premium content available by institutional subscription. The free content, which anyone may access simply by registering on the site, includes a supportive community of over 30,000 likeminded souls, and the public pages of the PhD Career Finder, an interactive tool that lets users explore careers based on their academic discipline.

Idealist provides international job, volunteer, and internship possibilities.

Secondary School Teaching:

Teaching fellowships designed for professionals to transition to a secondary school teaching position. These positions are available across the United States and are often well paid. Permanent U.S. residency required.

Teaching at Independent Schools in the United States:

The National Association of Independent Schools has a jobs database for schools across the United States. You can narrow your search by subject and state / region. Their website also includes a lot of information on teaching at independent schools.

The Association of Independent Schools in New England has a jobs database that focuses on the northeastern part of the United States known as New England.
*If you want to look seriously for an independent secondary school position, you might consider signing up (for free) with a placement agency like [Carney Sandoe](https://www.carneysandoe.com). This involves filling out a profile on their website. They then assess whether they think they can help you find a position and if they accept you, they will then advocate on your behalf at their client schools. Sometimes their assessment process is quite random, so don't be discouraged if they do not accept you right away - you can always still look at the job postings and apply for positions that way.

**Writing well for publications and applications**

[OWL Purdue Online Writing Lab](https://owl.purdue.edu) gives advice on writing well for publications, job applications for all disciplines, and graduate school applications. It includes an excellent guide on proper citation for research papers in popular formats such as MLA and APA.

For more resources on writing skills, career advice, and more, please visit our [Resources for Fellows & Alumni](https://www.scholarrescuefund.org) page.