



Illinois Sites for Careers and Education

Illinois Department of Employment Security

The IDES Illinois Department of Employment Security main page

<http://www.ides.state.il.us>

Illinois Career Information System

Find information on occupations, education, and financial aid. Use the My CIS Portfolio to create resumes and to plan both classes and career paths. It also provides access to Find Your Green Job and Reality Check.

<https://portal.ilcis.intocareers.org>

O*NET

The nation's primary source of occupational information Central to the project is the O*NET database, containing information on hundreds of standardized and occupation-specific descriptors.

<http://online.onetcenter.org>

Illinois WorkNet

A portal for job seekers and employers, it has career and education resources.

<http://www.illinoisworknet.com>

The Illinois State Board of Education

Has information on learning standards, career and technical education, Illinois Career Development Month, and programs such as High Schools That Work.

<https://www.isbe.net/Pages/College-and-Career.aspx>

The Illinois Community College Board

Handles Tech Prep and adult education initiatives, the site links to community colleges by regions of the state.

<https://www.iccb.org/iccb>

The Occupational Outlook Handbook (OOH)

Source of career data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

<https://www.bls.gov/ooH>

The State of Illinois Business Portal

Offers information on starting and running a business. Particularly helpful are the downloadable forms and the links to Illinois agencies.

<http://business.illinois.gov>

The Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity

Covers business, technology and community development.

<http://www.illinoisbiz.biz>

The Illinois Employment and Training Centers (IETC)

Have resource rooms, computers, and counselors to help with job search.

<http://www.ides.state.il.us/ietc/map.asp>

Illinois Job Link

Offers a match to job openings after you register with the system. New matches are e-mailed to you as they arrive.

<https://illinoisjoblink.illinois.gov/ada/r>