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Los Angeles Southwest College Career Center to host free employment workshops
Counselors and staff aim to help students find success finding a job and once employed

Los Angeles Southwest College's Career Center is hosting a series of free professional work readiness workshops this school year to help students develop the skills they need to not just find employment but also to find success once hired.

During the workshops, which are led by LASC's highly trained counselors and staff, students will learn skills that are necessary to develop prior to being hired such as what makes a successful resume and cover letter, how to contact employers, how to prepare for a job interview as well as best practices on social media. Workshops will also delve into what techniques students will need in the workforce, including soft skills, time management, and effective communication. Students who participate must be currently enrolled in the Los Angeles Community College District.

An orientation for the program is from 4 to 5 p.m. Mondays and workshops are from 10 to 11:30 a.m. and 4 to 5 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays as well as 9 to 10:30 a.m. and 4 to 5:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Activities are all in the Career Center's state-of-the-art location in Room 115 of the School of Career and Technical Education building. For more information, visit the center's recently redesigned website at www.lasc.edu/cte.

About Los Angeles Southwest College

Founded in 1967, Los Angeles Southwest College serves more than 8,000 students with Associate degree programs in 34 disciplines, occupational certificates in 47 disciplines, community services and ESL/citizenship classes. Coupled with a strong focus on student success, the campus has undergone a massive expansion and technological upgrade that will make it a model for community college education in the 21st Century. Los Angeles Southwest College is part of the Los Angeles Community College District. For more information, visit www.lasc.edu.