

# Mapping Your Global Career: How to Find International Work at Home or Abroad

Search for jobs through targeted searches by country or profession

## Reminders

Students, faculty, staff and alumni can register for free on **MyWorldAbroad**:

- <https://myworldabroad.com/abc-college> [your school domain name]

For the best user experience, log in to **MyWorldAbroad**

- <https://myworldabroad.com/login>

Access 75+ Quick Guides, including this one, in one convenient location:

- [English Quick Guides](#)



## THE JOB SEARCH & THE PROFESSIONS

All students benefit from their international skills!

- The first Quick Guide is **ESSENTIAL READING** for all international job seekers.
- The second Quick Guide is an introduction to what it takes to find international work domestically and abroad.

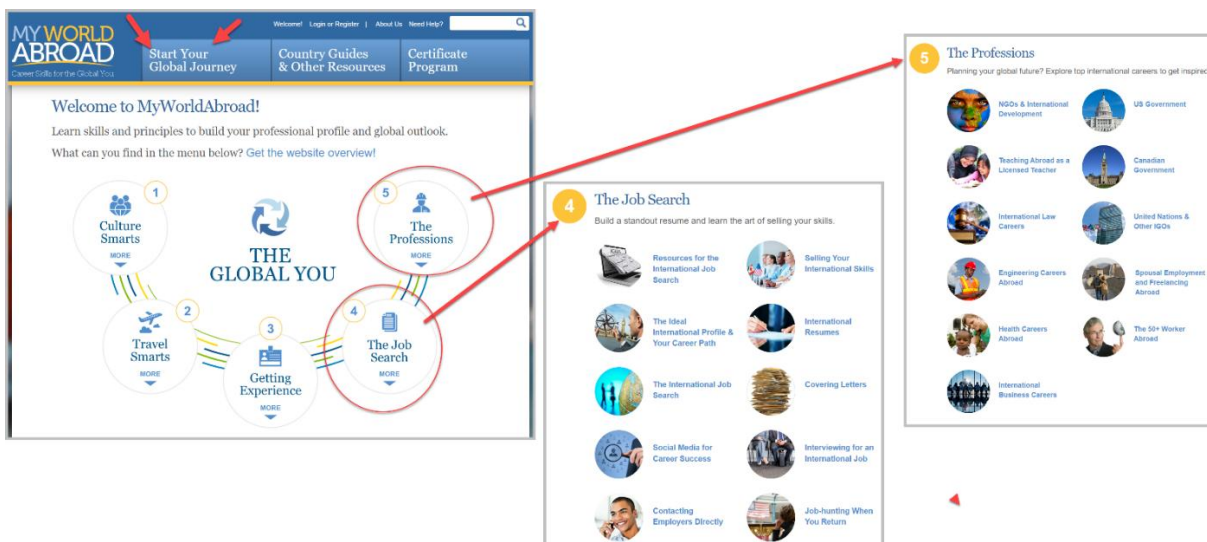
### Debunking the Myths: The Real Deal on International Work (3 pgs) [Link to MWA](#)



### The Ideal International Profile (2 pgs) [Link to MWA](#)



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# Resources: jobs & internships

## 3,500+ Resources in 65 Resource Lists:

From the left-hand menu you can access individual curated resource lists featuring external programs, further advice, job sites, major organizations and more.

1. **RESOURCE FILTERS:** Where needed, refine your search with filters.
2. **MY STARRED ITEMS:** Save all your favorite resources (one of the reasons it's useful to have a registered account).
3. **FILTER FOR NATIONALITY:** Filter all resource lists by citizenship: *US citizen, Canadian citizen, not US or Canadian citizen* (for international students) or *see all resources*.



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#### IMPORTANT NOTE:

Job boards are a good starting point for exploring the international job market — **they help you discover what kinds of roles exist, which employers hire globally, and which skills are in demand.**

However, relying only on job boards is often inefficient: competition is fierce, responses are rare, and many international positions are never posted publicly.

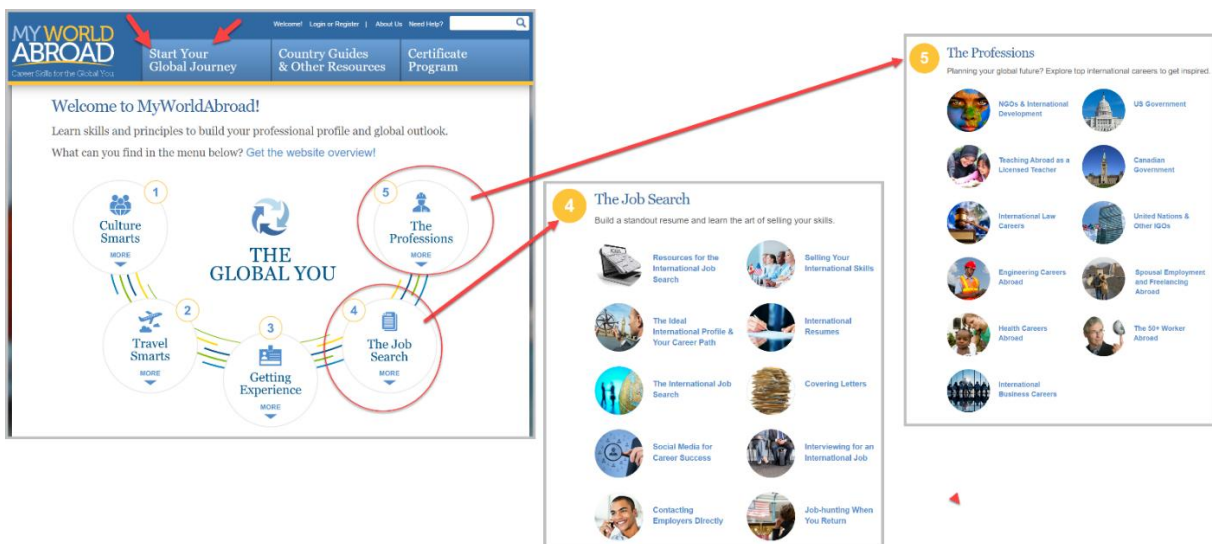
To truly stand out, use job boards as a research tool, then go beyond them by networking, reaching out directly to employers, and building global connections.

### The Professions

- [All NGOs \(1,416\)](#)
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# Searching for PROFESSIONAL JOBS (after graduation)

<https://myworldabroad.com/start-your-global-journey>



**ITEM-4 ABOVE:** MyWorldAbroad has everything you need for the job search.



**Resources for the International Job Search**



**The Ideal International Profile & Your Career Path**



**The International Job Search**



**Social Media for Career Success**



**Contacting Employers Directly**



**Selling Your International Skills**



**International Resumes**



**Covering Letters**



**Interviewing for an International Job**



**Job-hunting When You Return**



## Quick Guides for The Job Search & Finding Internships

### ITEM-4 previous page: The Job Search

#### COMPETENCIES

- [Why You Need International Skills](#) Learn the value of all things global! 
- [Who Are You? What Are Your Skills?](#) Your skill package is unique! 
- [An Inventory of Cross-cultural Skills](#) Articulate your skills VERSION ONE! 
- [Why Employers Love Hiring Students with International Experience](#) Articulate your skills VERSION TWO! 
- [Marketing Your International Experience to Employers](#) Speak confidently about your skills! 
- [Selling Your International Skills With an Elevator Pitch](#) Describe your professional self! 

#### THE JOB SEARCH:

- [The Ideal International Profile](#) Be an outstanding candidate! 
- [Debunking the Myths: The Real Deal on International Work](#) International job search essentials! **(ESSENTIAL READING)** 
- [Career Tips After Your Time Abroad](#) Turn your experience into success! **(GOOD OVERVIEW)** 
- [LinkedIn: Creating a Standout Student Profile](#) Stand out from the crowd! 
- [Social Media for Career Success](#) Don't just scroll — go for gold! 
- [An Overview of International Resumes](#) Win the day with your resume! 
- [International Resumes Are Different](#) Show recruiters your best self! 
- [Interviewing for an International Job](#) Articulate your goals! 
- [Succeeding at Video Interviews](#) Master the art of selling your skills online! 
- [Spousal Employment & Freelancing Abroad](#) Will you become a digital nomad? 

### ITEM-3 next page: Getting Experience

#### The Go Abroad Application Process

- [How to Research & Choose an Organization](#) Find your ideal adventure! 
- [The Go Abroad Application Process](#) Get organized to get ahead! 
- [How to Apply for an International Internship Without Ever Having Traveled Abroad](#) No experience abroad? No problem! 
- [Funding Hacks: Going Abroad No Matter Your Budget](#) You CAN go abroad! 

#### Career Strategies When Going Abroad

- [Career-boosting Strategies While Studying Abroad](#) Think strategically while abroad! 
- [How to Professionalize Your Working Holiday Abroad](#) Enjoy career success! 
- [Career Tips Before You Travel Abroad](#) Rise to the challenge! 
- [Career Tips During Your Travels Abroad](#) Do what it takes! 
- [Teaching English Overseas: A Stepping Stone to International Careers](#) Jump-start your global career! 
- [Language Learning & International Careers](#) Communicate across cultures! 

#### International Internships

- [How to Apply for an International Internship Without Ever Having Traveled Abroad](#) No experience abroad? No problem! 
- [How to Survive Your First International Internship](#) Make an impression abroad! 
- [Job Hunting During Your International Internship](#) Set your sights on career success! 

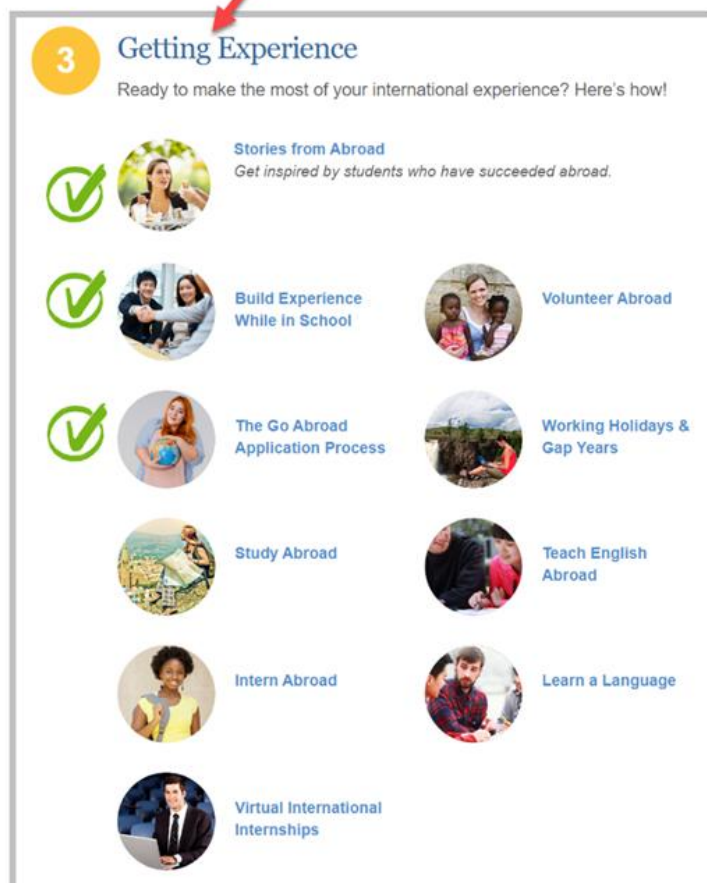
#### VIRTUAL INTERNSHIPS

- [What Is a Virtual International Internship?](#) Work abroad while staying home! 
- [Finding an Ideal Virtual Internship](#) Research, ask questions & prepare for success 
- [Succeeding at Video Interviews](#) Master the art of selling your skills online! 
- [Skills for the Virtual Workplace](#) Prepare to excel online! 
- [Technology & Collaboration in the Virtual Workplace](#) Must-have skills for remote workers! 
- [Boost the Cross-cultural Value of Your Virtual Internship](#) Make the most of the world online. 
- [Your Virtual Internship Timeline](#) Set yourself up for success! 

# Searching for LOWER SKILLED JOBS (*before graduation*)

Students need to build international experience while in school

<https://myworldabroad.com/start-your-global-journey>



# GETTING EXPERIENCE

## The Go Abroad Application Process: (just like a job search)

### Choose your journey!

Advice on how to find a program that meets student needs and goals.

- Check out *MyWorldAbroad's* 3,000 resources and 65 Resource Lists.



### How to Research & Choose an Organization

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### Apply & Get the Funds

- **The first Quick Guide** provides a good plan on how to write a successful application for a go abroad program.
- **The second Quick Guide** helps students overcome the biggest worry about going abroad, and **learn how to find funds** to turn the student's global travel dreams into reality!

### The Go Abroad Application Process

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### Funding Hacks: Going Abroad No Matter Your Budget

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### Plan for Career Value

- **Maximizing the career value** of the student's time abroad to double the value of their journey!
- **This guide** encourages students to create a "career plan" before traveling abroad and to develop "career stories" while abroad, all aimed at impressing future employers upon their return from abroad.

### Prepare for Re-entry & Document Your New Skills

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### Job Hunting During Your International Internship

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## Virtual International Internships: *VALUABLE*

- **Valuable cross-cultural experience** at low cost and accessible by all.
- **Check out this Resource Lists**
- [Virtual International Internship Organizations \(88\)](#)

### BONUS

- [Selling Your Skills after a virtual int'l internship.](#)

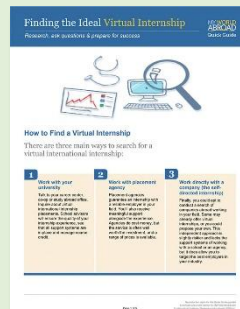
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### Succeeding at Video Interviews

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### Skills for the Virtual Workplace

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### Technology & Collaboration in the Virtual Workplace

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### Boost the Cross-cultural Value of Your Virtual Internship

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### Your Virtual Internship Timeline

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