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April Career Fair Receives Record Breaking Job Seeker Attendance

HILLSBOROUGH & PINELLAS COUNTIES (April 20, 2017) - CareerSource Tampa Bay and CareerSource Pinellas, the region's leading workforce development organization, hosted a career fair last week that was open to the public. The afternoon featured 55 employers searching for eager new hires to fill over 300 positions in healthcare, hospitality, information technology, sales, manufacturing, and much more. The organization saw record setting turn out, with nearly 1,400 local professionals and job seekers in attendance! Lines extending from the full parking lot to the lobby and event space created a bustling hive of talent ready to embark on a brand new career path.

"What a great event," said Sabrina Permeth of Florida State Fair, "We brought 200 forms and handed almost all of them out!"

The no-cost event showcased an incredible variety of employers such as Johnson & Johnson, Busch Gardens, Cognizant, Lockheed Martin, Mosaic, and Hillsborough County Government. Whether searching for a fresh start, skill development, or to move up in their current field, attendees were astounded by the vast number of employers seeking leads for immediate hire. In turn, companies were able to discuss local career opportunities to the public during on-the-spot interviews.

"Very organized," said AAA The Auto Club Group representative Angela Davis, "the Career Fair was great and everyone from Career Source was extremely helpful."

CSPIN and CSTB would like to give a big thank you to the sponsors, employers, and job seekers who arrived to make this event an overwhelming success.

Not able to attend the event? Have no fear, job hunters! There are plenty of other educational and training opportunities available to assist you in all stages of your career development. By visiting www.careersourcetampabay.com, hopeful job seekers can access helpful hints, free weekly onsite recruitment events, as well as many other career assistance services.

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