

Reentry in Motion

Main Library • March 9 – May 30

*Designed to provide assistance, educate, and inform, the **Reentry in Motion Series** showcases reentry and criminal justice related legislation, speakers, documentary films, and handouts.*

Reentry in Motion: The do's and don'ts of Social Media

Saturday, March 9, 3 - 4 pm, Meeting Room 1

Tweets, texts, updates, uploads, pins, posts... welcome to the 24/7 digital world. People are logging on and checking in from anywhere and everywhere in the world. This reentry program highlights *Navigating the World of Social Media*. Whether you're new to social media or a seasoned social networker, the video will reveal the do's and don'ts to successfully managing your online relationships. Reentry resources provided.

Reentry in Motion: Nontraditional Job Search Methods

Thursday, March 21, 11 am - 12 pm, Meeting Room 1

Nearly 3 out of 4 jobs are filled without ever being advertised. The key to getting a good job quickly is to find openings before they are advertised. The video *Getting a Job Using Nontraditional Methods*, teaches returning citizens how to network their way to the next job. Learn the four stages of a job opening and how to make warm and cold contacts. Actual employers, career counselors, and other job seekers discuss networking and additional methods for finding jobs. Reentry information included.

Reentry in Motion: Professional Image

Saturday, April 13, 3 - 4 pm, Meeting Room 1

The secret to presenting a professional image goes much deeper than external appearances. The film *Professional Image* investigates not only the visible factors of proper attire and hygiene, but the issues of attitude, professional self-esteem, familiarity with technology, and knowledge of business trends as well. The image a person communicates through written correspondence and in an after-hours setting is also addressed. Includes reentry material.



Reentry in Motion: Keeping Your Job

Thursday, April 18, 11 am - 12 pm, Meeting Room 1

Now that you have a job—find out how to keep it and get ahead! The video *Getting to Keep the Job You Find* teaches you how to stay on track toward career success. Learn what questions to ask your employer and when to ask them in order to move ahead in your job, and understand how to prepare if things aren't working out. The more prepared you are, the better you will be at handling changes and moving forward. Includes reentry handouts.

Reentry in Motion: Dress for Success

Thursday, April 25, 11 am - 12 pm, Meeting Room 1

Dressing for success is an important component of the workplace. In the video, *Dress and Groom for the Workplace*, learn the do's and don'ts for dressing and grooming by watching examples of what works and what doesn't in offices as well as in blue-collar work environments. The film also provides tips on the following: creative shopping methods on any budget; developing a suitable style; and using accessories. Reentry material provided.

Reentry in Motion: If College is Not for You

Saturday, May 11, 3 - 4 pm, Meeting Room 1

Have you decided that college is not the path for you? Are you wondering what kind of career you'd pursue and what opportunities are available? Whether you're starting a career or changing careers the video *Careers Without College*, has the information you need to put you on the right track. The film is an inside look at today's top jobs that don't require a college degree. You will hear individuals discuss their jobs, skills, and training in featured careers. You will also be informed of additional careers in fields that don't require a college degree. Reentry information provided.

Reentry in Motion: Don't Lose Your Job!

Thursday, May 16, 11 am - 12 pm, Meeting Room 1

So your resume was flawless and your interviews were solid, sparkling with all the polish of the perfect candidate. The job is yours. The ending is a happy one. Or is it? People lose their job all the time. And whether they are employed in a factory or in retail...in an office or in a nontraditional setting...the reasons that people lose their jobs are similar. Using an interesting format, the video *Eight Easy Ways to Lose a Job*, demonstrates some of the more common reasons people lose jobs including poor relationships with supervisors, unsatisfactory job performance, dishonesty, lack of reliability, and more. Helpful reentry materials included.

Reentry in Motion: Goal Setting and Action Planning

Thursday, May 30, 11 am - 12 pm, Meeting Room 1

The film *Strategies for Success: Goal-Setting and Action-Planning*, helps returning citizens establish criteria for attainable goals and objectives, and shows them how to evaluate goals on the basis of these criteria. Viewers begin to draft their own goal lists and action plans for implementing their success. The Goal Setting Objective Statement is discussed with definitions of the following: specific, measurable, realistic, and meaningful goals. Film notes and reentry handouts provided.

SET GOALS

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