

# Networking Groups & Tools

## Web groups & tools to find networking opportunities

Group Name	Description	Web Site
<b>Eventbrite</b>	Discover 1000s of local events to learn, grow, get inspired, feel connected, and network.	<a href="http://www.eventbrite.com">www.eventbrite.com</a>
<b>Facebook</b>	Create a web presence, follow companies, find job postings and join groups.	<a href="http://www.facebook.com">www.facebook.com</a>
<b>Friends of Promatch</b>	Offers an online community for sharing leads, contacts, industry information and career events in Silicon Valley.	<a href="http://finance.groups.yahoo.com/group/FriendsOfPromatch/">finance.groups.yahoo.com/group/FriendsOfPromatch/</a>
<b>Linkedin</b>	Connect with your contacts, expand your network, and apply for positions.	<a href="http://www.linkedin.com">www.linkedin.com</a>
<b>Meetup.com</b>	Meetup is the world's largest network of local groups.	<a href="http://www.meetup.com">www.meetup.com</a>
<b>Twitter</b>	Create a web presence, follow companies, find job postings and join groups.	<a href="http://www.twitter.com">www.twitter.com</a>
<b>Workit.com</b>	WorkIt.com is the San Francisco Bay Area's premier calendar to find local events for business, technology and more.	<a href="http://www.workit.com">www.workit.com</a>

## Local Job Search Networking Groups

Group Name	Description	Web Site
<b>Bio2Device Networking Group</b>	Networking group for professionals in biotech, medical devices or diagnostics, and pharmaceutical industries.	<a href="http://www.biodevicegroup.org">www.biodevicegroup.org</a>
<b>Career Actions Ministry</b>	Professional networking group that includes speakers, success teams, and industry-specific special interest groups.	<a href="http://www.mppc.org/information-job-seekers">www.mppc.org/information-job-seekers</a>
<b>CSix Connect</b>	Professional networking meeting and luncheon group.	<a href="http://csix.org">csix.org</a>
<b>Cupertino Rotary Job Search Support Group</b>	Job search support group for unemployed & underemployed & career changers.	<a href="http://www.cupertino Rotary.org">www.cupertino Rotary.org</a>
<b>Phase2Careers</b>	We offer the "Over 40" worker find new job and career opportunities through job search workshops and employer panels, networking mixers and job fairs, career assessment, and small business workshops.	<a href="http://www.phase2careers.org">www.phase2careers.org</a>
<b>ProMatch</b>	Interactive career resource center with job search workshops, "Success Teams", networking opportunities and more.	<a href="http://www.promatch.org">www.promatch.org</a>

## Volunteer Opportunities

Group Name	Description	Web Site
<b>Volunteer Match</b>	Find local volunteer opportunities.	<a href="http://www.volunteermatch.org">www.volunteermatch.org</a>
<b>idealist.org</b>	The world's best place to find volunteer opportunities, nonprofit jobs, internships.	<a href="http://www.idealst.org">www.idealst.org</a>
<b>One Brick</b>	Volunteer for one-day events	<a href="http://www.onebrick.org">www.onebrick.org</a>
<b>Hands On Bay Area</b>	Volunteer with with local schools, parks and nonprofits	<a href="http://www.handsonbayarea.org">www.handsonbayarea.org</a>
<b>Go Voluntr</b>	GoVoluntr is a social network that connects volunteers, non-profits, and businesses together into an engaging community of Do Goodrs	<a href="http://govoluntr.com">govoluntr.com</a>