Employers came ready to hire at LTI’s Career Fair

Louisville Technical Institute (LTI) hosted nearly 30 employers from across the United States who participated in the recent Graduate Employment Services’ (GES) Annual Career Fair. Every program of study offered at LTI was represented, and employers were very pleased to conduct interviews on the spot.

Many new employers

GES was excited to welcome many first-time representatives from companies such as Ethan Allen Retail, Munsen Business Interiors, Decorite Int’, Remarkable Interiors, and Wirecracters to name a few.

Jack Worful of Ethan Allen said, “This event was one of the first to visit LTI’s Career Fair, and Tim was very pleased with the results.”

Teresa Thomas, Vice President, Human Resources for OVARCO, was very impressed. “Great student candidates.” Teresa is working with GES regarding hiring a co-op student as well as a graduate from the Mechanical Engineering Technology (MET) program.

Polly Mann of Keyes Architects commented, “Really enjoyed this event; meeting students, alumni and the other companies! Great networking.” Keyes Architects is also working with GES to hire a drafter and arrange for a co-op.

Great first impressions

Mouser Custom Cabinetry in Elizabethtown, also a first time attendee, scheduled interviews with several recent graduates. Mary Keltey with the Kentucky Office of Employment & Training said, “The Career Fair had a great student turnout! They were very professional and well dressed” GES is ready to help

Whatever your field of study, opportunities exist for those who are up to the challenge. In all, more than 18 companies stated they will be hiring LT graduates and/or students for various positions throughout this year. Three new co-op opportunities have been created as a direct result of the Career Fair.

LTI’s student housing is great!

LTI student housing is more than just a place to live. It’s a gateway to the future, school experience, and community. LTI students reside at Fountain Square Apartments, less than 5 minutes from campus.

Housing offers the independence of apartment living, access to great accommodations, and convenient access to many stores and restaurants. Apartment designs are designed to meet the needs of students and are furnished, including dishwasher, laundry facilities, swimming pool and tennis court.

Ron Alsup, Resident Advisor, who lives in Fountain Square, says that for many students, this is their first chance to experience life on their own. “It’s a wonderful opportunity to grow personally and make connections and friendships that will last a lifetime as you move toward a career,” he added.

Apartmen life is terrific

Brian Kelty, a new housing student, says that housing provides a good environment to study and is “We look forward to assisting students and working with alumni and their career endeavors,” said Mrs. Moore, adding, “We hope you found this year’s career fair beneficial to your needs. See you next year!”

Kasey Seal, a resident since June, said “I get along great with my roommates.” Students typically have two or three roommates sharing the apartment. Garrett Tucker recently moved into housing. “I keep my apartment pretty clean,” he stated. “My family visits me so being homesick is not a problem for me. I like having my own place and room. I can get my studies done.”

Student housing is a wonderful alternative for out-of-state students or those who live more than an hour from campus. It provides all the amenities of home and a great opportunity to grow socially and learn to be independent.

Graphic Design graduate broadcasts his talents

Patrick Scott Isaacs, a 2004 Computer Graphic Design graduate, recently visited Louisville Tech to share his exciting news with Graduate Employment Services and his graphic design instructors. Patrick has accepted a position as Graphic Artist for WSMV-TV, the largest news station in Nashville, Tennessee. This will be quite a promotion for Patrick, who completed an externship with WAVES-TV prior to being hired on full time as a Graphic Artist. Patrick was the first to introduce 3D to WAVES-TV, and he creates over the shoulder graphics and promotional graphics for daily newscasts.

“I had Patrick as a student, and it was a joy to hear he was moving into his dream job,” stated Craig Niemann, adding, “he is a perfect example of what sheer self motivation can accomplish.”

Congratulations Patrick and best wishes for your continued success.

Luke Turner, Louisville Technical Institute, reports on his recent career advancement.

Kate Broussard, the Global Personnel Resources Coordinator for Halliburton Wireline & Perforating Services, visited LTI to conduct a presentation of the company’s oil operations. Due to demands, Halliburton can now recruit students up to six months prior to graduation if students meet certain criteria. According to Kate, one of their best hires came from LTI. “Jeremy Sauter is one of the top Cased Hole Engineers in Rock Springs, Colorado. This is a big deal since there are engineers who have been there a lot longer than Jeremy,” stated Kate. By the way, Jeremy happens to be the son of Cory Lewison, Mechanical Engineering Technology Program Chair for LTI. Congrats, Jeremy!