

★ Changes coming for Career Services' website

Changes to the Career Services website are planned for early in 2011.

It's been almost two years since the last website revamp. Career Services has just completed a range of 'user testing' of the current website with a range of clients to better understand how people use the website and how they can improve it.

The testing revealed that while the website has some great information, tools and resources, they are not always easy for people to find. So, Career Services will be making some changes to its website over the next few months to make it even more user-friendly.

The new look website will be available early in 2011. In the meantime you can keep using all your favourite information, tools and resources at www.careers.govt.nz.

The Career Services website has been one of the most popular public sector sites of the last 12 months, with more than 2.7 million New Zealand-based visits in the 12 months to October 2010.

Here's a preview of the revamped site.

The screenshot shows the new website layout with a top navigation bar, a main content area with a featured 'nzJOB & career expo' section, and a footer with various service links and social media icons.

Header: careersSERVICES rapuara seek the path. Search bar. My Career Space. You are not logged in. LOGIN Register Find out more.

Navigation: Home Plan your career How to get a job Jobs database Education & training Interactive tools For practitioners

Main Content:

- Helping you make good decisions about work, study and training in New Zealand.
- For Maori For Pasifika For people new to New Zealand
- Get started**
 - I'm not sure what I want to do
 - I'm at school and I need help
 - Helping young people
 - I want to change career or return to work
- Contact us**
 - Call us on 0800 222 733
 - Chat Online
 - Email us
 - Facebook
 - Twitter

Featured Section: nzJOB & career expo

- CareerQuest
- NZ Job Expo
- Just the Job
- Matariki / Maori New Year 2010

Footer:

- Plan your career**
 - POPULAR PAGES: Where to start, Get ideas for your career, How to make a decision
 - TOOLS TO HELP YOU: CareerQuest, Managing work in life
- How to get a job**
 - POPULAR PAGES: Job hunting tips, CVs - getting started, Job vacancy websites
 - TOOLS TO HELP YOU: CV and cover letter templates, CV4Me online CV builder
- Jobs database**
 - POPULAR PAGES: Search the database, Labour market situation, Jobs in skill shortage
 - TOOLS TO HELP YOU: Skill matcher, Jobs by interest
- Education & training**
 - POPULAR PAGES: Course database, Scholarships, Choosing school subjects
 - TOOLS TO HELP YOU: Subject matcher, Where to? study level matcher
- Events Calendar**
 - Job Club: 16 July, 9:30am | Auckland
 - NZ Jobs Expo: 17 July, 9:00am | Auckland
 - Hastings Library - Career Club: 20 July, 11:00am | Hastings

Footer Links: About Career Services, Contact us, Feedback, Help, Accessibility, Terms and conditions, Privacy, Careers on Facebook, YouTube, View our career videos on Youtube, newzealand.govt.nz