

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Is there a fee to attend the BIO Career Fair?

A: NO! The BIO Career Fair is FREE for job seekers. It is a great opportunity for a job search and to network with peers in the industry.

Q: I can't attend the career fair but would like exhibiting companies to view my resume. Can I still submit my resume?

A: Yes. If you register online, your resume will be entered into a database for all career fair exhibitors to search. This database will be available to exhibitors before the career fair and for a year after. Submit your resume online, even if you can't attend, to take advantages of this exposure.

Q: I want to register online and submit my resume to exhibitors, but my employer doesn't know I am looking for a job. Will my current employer find out?

A: When you register for the 2012 BIO Career Fair online, ONLY exhibitors at the BIO Career Fair will be able to search through resumes. No other non-exhibiting companies will be able to view your resume.

Q: Is parking available for the BIO Career Fair? How much will it cost?

A: The Hynes Convention Center offers several parking options. Within a three-block walk there are numerous parking garages totaling over 4,400 spaces. There is limited meter parking available around the Hynes Convention Center and adjacent streets. Please be aware that all parking options are based on availability.

Q: What type of public transportation is available?

A: From Amtrak and Commuter Rail: Back Bay Station and walk through the Copley Place Mall to the Prudential Center and follow the signs to the Hynes Convention Center.

From MBTA Silver Line to South Station: Take Silver Line to South Station, transfer to Commuter Rail to Back Bay Station and walk through the Copley Place mall to the Prudential Center and follow signs to the Hynes Convention Center.

For more information visit: www.mbta.com

Q: How do I get to the Career Fair once at the Hynes Convention Center?

A: From the lobby level, proceed to the Veteran Memorial Auditorium which is located on level 2.

Q: What is the address of the Hynes Convention Center?

A: The Hynes Convention Center is located at 900 Boylston Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02115.

Q: What should I bring on the day of the BIO Career Fair?

A: Be sure to bring LOTS of extra copies of your resume. Even if you registered and submitted your resume online, not all exhibitors will be set-up with computer access on event day. Have a hard copy ready to present to each exhibitor so they can review it during your interview.

Q: I forgot to register online. Can I still attend the BIO Career Fair?

A: Yes. You will be able to register at the BIO Career Fair on site. You will need to submit a copy of your resume which will be reviewed for the minimum requirements, and then you can enter.

Q: How should I prepare for the BIO Career Fair?

A: Take the time to look through the list of exhibitors and view their company profiles and job postings. This will help you determine which companies would be a good match for you, and you can go directly to those booths at the Career Fair.

Q: What should I wear to the BIO Career Fair?

A: We recommend business casual attire. Remember, first impressions are lasting so try your best to look professional while also being comfortable. It will be a few hours on your feet, so select your shoes carefully!

Additional questions? Contact careerfairs@biospace.com or 888-BIOSPACE (1-888-246-7722).