

WHEN IS THE RIGHT TIME TO THINK ABOUT *PROFESSIONAL* CAREER COUNSELING?

Some of the situations listed below may be symptomatic of your working career, indicating that career testing, assessing, counseling, or coaching might be of value to you.

Spend a few moments taking this short Career Check-Up Inventory to see which areas of your career could benefit from some super-charging. {Check off those situations that describe your career experience}

- Your interests are very general, and you need to be more focused.
- Your interests are narrowly defined, and your area doesn't offer much in the way of career advancement.
- All through your working career you've been a job hopper: that is, you have averaged less than two years in most or all positions.
- You have found yourself stuck in a dead-end job two or more times in a row in your working career and strongly suspect that you're in another one now.
- You feel that you are underpaid, underappreciated, or under-utilized at work.
- You have difficulty defining and expressing your career interests verbally and in writing (via cover letters résumés, etc.).
- You have been excessed, surplused or otherwise 'involuntarily terminated' (fired) from your last two positions because of "personality" conflicts.
- Your job(s) lacked a personal sense of accomplishment or the necessary emotional satisfaction.
- Your past jobs have frequently conflicted with your personal goals and values.
- Your job expectations haven't been realized.
- Your industry is in the doldrums.
- You're worried that new technology may cause your position to be eliminated.
- Present economic conditions have you worried about being excessed, down sized, surplused, reduced in force or in other words, about to be laid off unemployed.

If you've answered with a check to 4 or more of the above questions then you owe it to yourself to explore professional avenues of career assistance. A good starting point would be to call for a no-charge consultation to see how our services could help you get your career back on track.

Call Career Development Resources at (910) 833-5013

Mark Berkowitz is the owner and President of **CAREER DEVELOPMENT RESOURCES**, LLC. Revolutionizing careers since 1985, Mark provides one-on-one career consulting services, résumé building assistance and guidance to help each client achieve not only job advancement, but lasting and meaningful success in their career path as well. A distinguished figure in his field, Berkowitz is one of the top career builders in the country and has been quoted in nearly two dozen books and publications on the topic of career advancement.

Passionate about empowering others to realize their dreams, Mark served as an executive board member of the PROFESSIONAL ASSN. OF RÉSUMÉ WRITERS & CAREER COACHES. He has been helping clients successfully advance in, and/or change their careers for over 36 years. With a Master's Degree in Career Development and four specialized certifications ([National Certified Career Counselor](#), [Certified Professional Résumé Writer](#), [Int'l Certified Job & Career Transition Coach](#), and [Certified Employment Interview Professional](#)), he is uniquely qualified to help you improve your career situation. A recognized expert in the field, he had not only taught in Graduate Schools and led workshops and seminars, but also trained other counselors. Mark served as chairman of the Certification Board for the Professional Assn. of Résumé Writers and Career Coaches and was a founding member of the Career Management Alliance (fkn Career Masters Institute). Additionally, he has shared his expertise in effectively utilizing career assessment tools with graduate counseling students from nearby Fordham University, helping to prepare them for their future counseling careers.

Mark connects with clients locally as well as international clients via the internet. He also provides outreach to high school and college students, presenting career planning and job search strategy workshops.

- Highly regarded with résumés, cover letters, and interview strategies showcased in nearly two dozen books.
- Enjoys an INTERNATIONAL REPUTATION as a “Résumé Guru” by members of the Professional Assn. of Résumé Writers and Career Coaches.

His work appears in nearly two dozen books on résumé /cover letter writing and winning interview strategies. He has been spotlighted on WCBS television in “**Acing The Interview**” and has been named as the “**Professional of the Year 2024**” by the **PODCAST BUSINESS NEWS NETWORK**.



Berkowitz has been recognized as “... **one of the leading résumé writers in the U.S. today**” in Professional Résumés for Executives, Managers, and Other Administrators. Wendy Enelow, President of the Career Masters Institute has acknowledged Mark as “... **one of the most talented career counselors I have ever met.**”

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