GoinGlobal assists Alfred University students with local and international job and internship searches 6/26/19

ALFRED, NY — Alfred University announces a new partnership with GoinGlobal aimed at helping job and internship seekers find opportunities at home and abroad.

The addition of this expert-created career resource will support Alfred University with its job placement goals and its commitment to globalization, according to Amanda Baker, director of the Career Development Center at Alfred University.

"We are very excited about GoinGlobal. With a growing number of international students at Alfred University, this resource offers an H-1B (visa) database so that students can search for U.S. employers seeking to hire international professionals," said Baker. "In addition, our students, faculty and staff, will be able to use the country and city guides when planning to travel abroad for work, study, or leisure."

Alfred University enrolls increasing numbers of students from beyond national borders, and more and more domestic students want to experience life and work in another country. Additionally, faculty and staff often coordinate educational experiences or take sabbaticals to expand world views and foster a global community. Using the complete toolkit of GoinGlobal resources, which provides guides to major cities and countries around the world, Alfred University can help more people successfully seek and find occupational opportunities and prepare for cultural assimilation.

"We have globally minded individuals in place around the world who personally monitor and update our career information and resources to assist college students and staff in their job and internship searches," said Mary Anne Thompson, founder and CEO of GoinGlobal. "We provide first-hand, actionable knowledge about a location, its job climate and its culture as well as constantly updated, easy-to-search job postings."

GoinGlobal is an online, subscription-based career resource for job and internship seekers that serves more than 800 organizations, including educational institutions, libraries, corporations and government entities. More than 2 million users benefit from the constantly updated employment information and resources, which are provided by GoinGlobal career experts located worldwide. GoinGlobal is committed to providing useful, actionable career information that is constantly expanding to meet the evolving needs of global job seekers.

Thompson founded GoinGlobal 20 years ago as a result of her own experiences job hunting in Sweden. She believes that to uncover the real job opportunities, you need the experience and personal insights of trained local specialists. Her strategies and insights will help Alfred University maximize GoinGlobal's unique resources.

Re-engineered in 2016, the intuitive <u>GoinGlobal website</u> now accommodates mobile device viewing and provides more advanced functionality. Users who create a personal account can set job search criteria then request notifications about new listings. The site is translated into more than 50 languages, using automated translation services, and it offers a searchable H-1B database, dating back to 2009, for those seeking U.S. employment.

To access GoinGlobal at Alfred University, students can login to Handshake and look for GoinGlobal under Resources: https://alfred.joinhandshake.com/articles/12612

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