

## LIFE CAREERISM:

## A MILLENNIAL'S CAREER PATH FOR WORK AND LIFE

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## **WHY CAN'T ORGANIZATIONS MEET THEIR HIRING NEEDS?**

- ✓ A mismatch between degrees students are pursuing and the type of skills companies need
- ✓ Challenges connecting with the best fit talent
- ✓ Inability for organizations to differentiate their offering to stand out from the crowd

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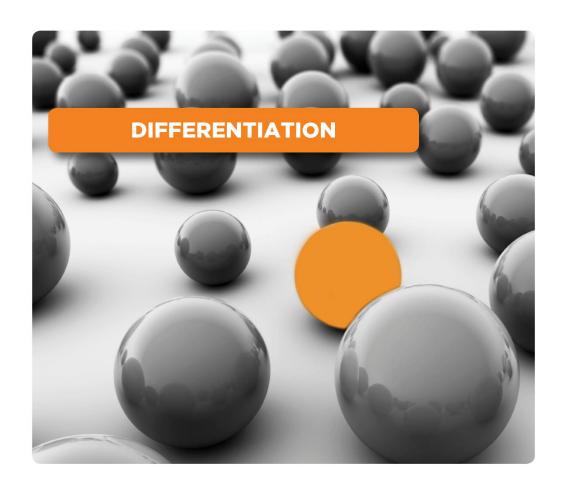
Canadian employers shared their hiring plans for Q2 2014





30% of employers said they are still having a hard time filling jobs #CACEEconf

## IT'S HARD TO STAND OUT





## An Increased Number of Considered and Ideal Employers

	Considered			ldeal		
	2014	2013	Delta	2014	2013	Delta
Business	21.0	18.8	2.2	3.8	3.5	0.3
Engineering/IT	19.4	15.4	4.0	3.8	3.3	0.5
Natural Science	11.1	9.9	1.1	3.0	2.8	0.2
Liberal Arts	11.8	10.1	1.7	3.0	2.5	0.5
Law	12.0	9.5	2.6	3.0	2.3	0.7
Health/Medicine	7.2	6.0	1.2	2.6	2.3	0.3
TOTAL	15.4	13.2	2.2	3.3	2.9	0.4

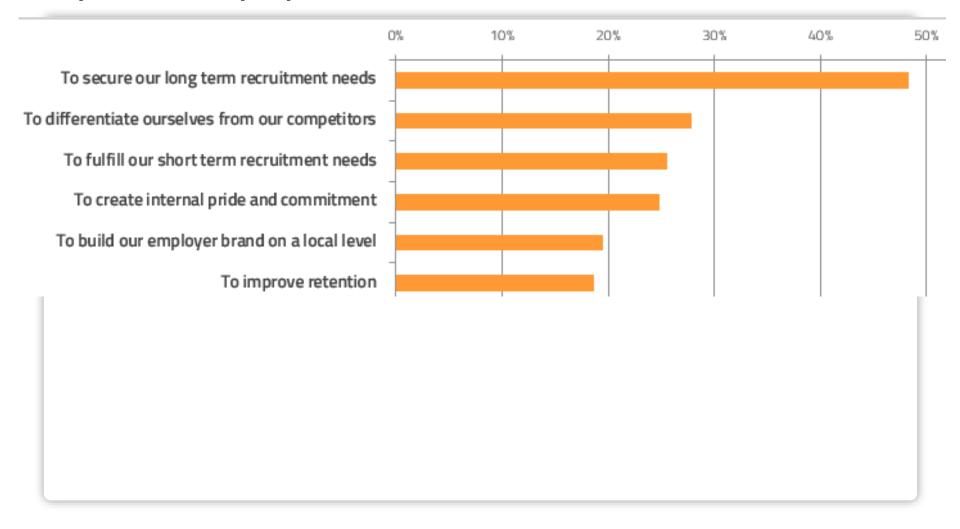


Canadian students considering more employers. Differentiating critical #CACEEconf

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## Top Global Employer Priorities for 2014



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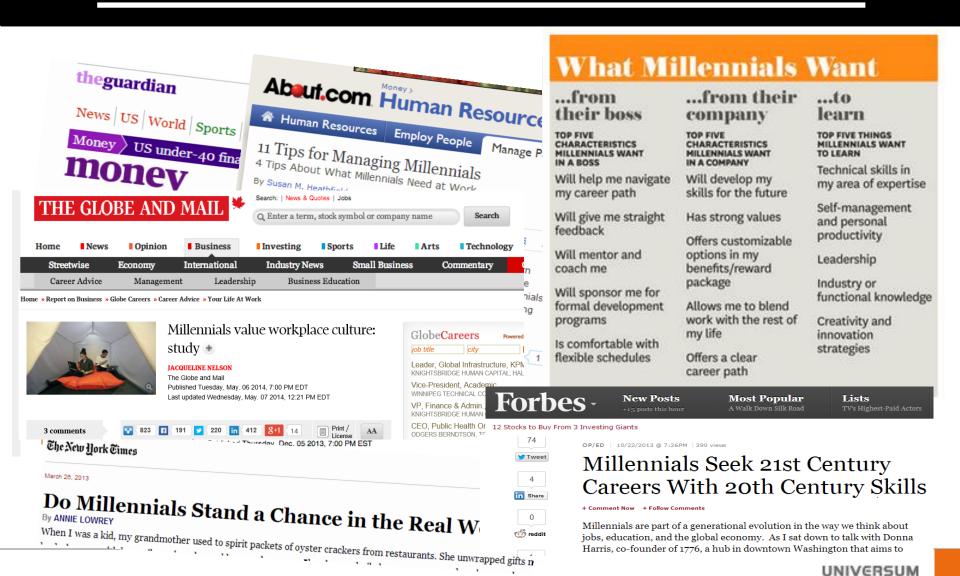
## WE ARE ALL TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHAT MILLENNIALS WANT







## WHY IS IT SO HARD WITH ALL OF THIS INFORMATION

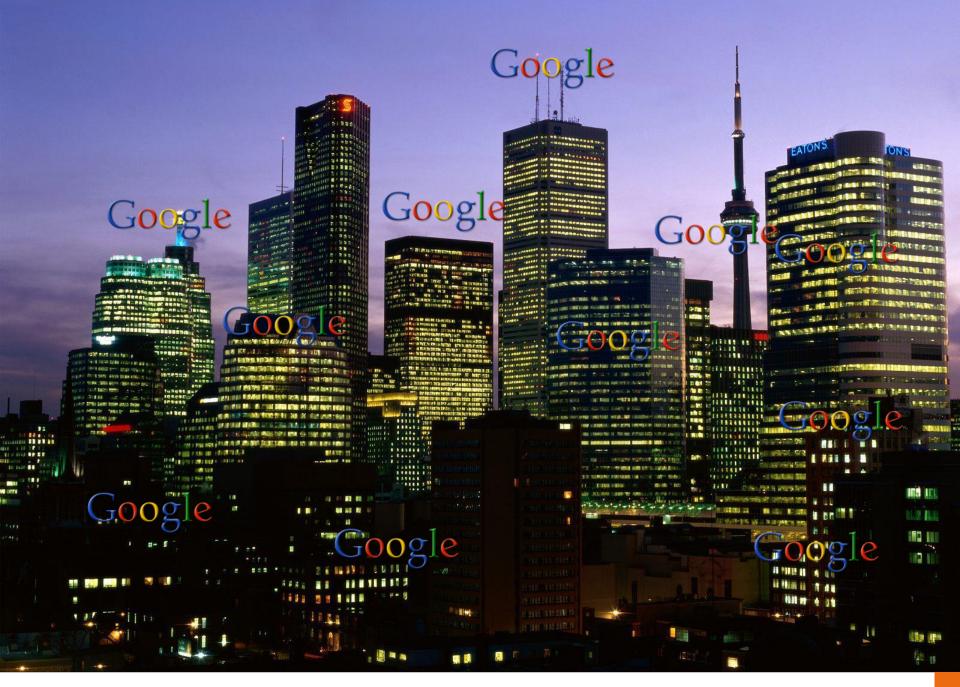


## **EMPLOYERS PROMISING THE WORLD**

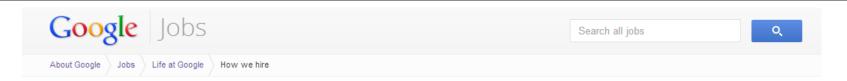
Respectful Secure Ethical Friendly Challenging Fun Leadership Opportunities Innovative Creative Training & Development Compensation Autonomous Clear Path for Advancement Entrepreneurial Stable Flexible







## THE THINGS THEY DO, YOU CAN DO TOO



#### How we hire

We're looking for our next Noogler - someone who's good for the role, good for Google and good at lots of things.

Things move quickly around here. At Internet speed. That means we have to be nimble, both in how we work and how we hire. We look for people who are great at lots of things, love big challenges and welcome big changes. We can't have too many specialists in just one particular area. We're looking for people who are good for Google—and not just for right now, but for the long term.

This is the core of how we hire. Our process is pretty basic; the path to getting hired usually involves a first conversation with a recruiter, a phone interview and an onsite interview at one of our offices. But there are a few things we've baked in along the way that make getting hired at Google a little different.

#### How we interview

We're looking for smart, team-oriented people who can get things done. When you interview at Google, you'll likely interview with four or five Googlers. They're looking for four things:

#### Leadership

We'll want to know how you've flexed different muscles in different situations in order to mobilize a team. This might be by asserting a leadership role at work or with an organization, or by helping a team succeed when you weren't officially appointed as the leader.

#### Role-Related Knowledge

We're looking for people who have a variety of strengths and passions, not just isolated skill sets. We also want to make sure that you have the experience and the background that will set you up for success in your role. For engineering candidates in particular, we'll be looking to check out your coding skills and technical areas of expertise.

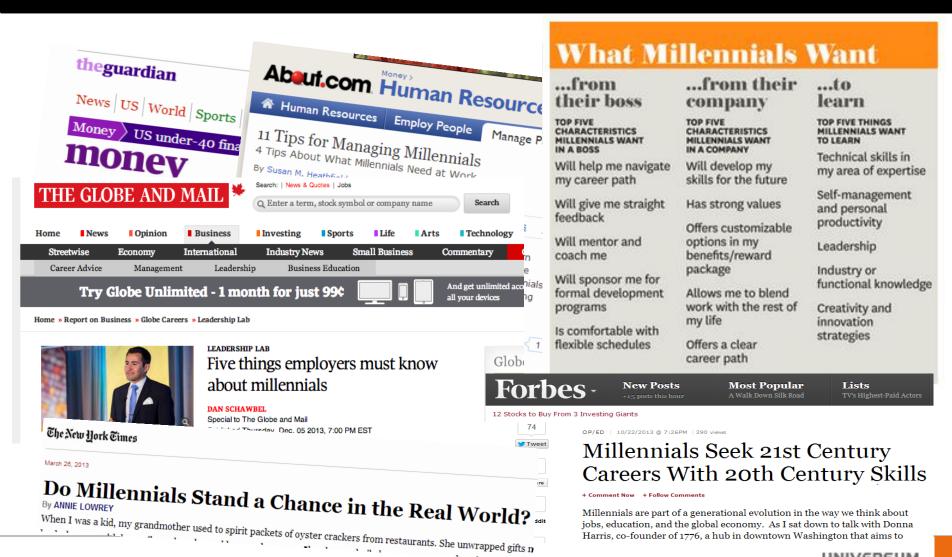
#### **How You Think**

We're less concerned about grades and transcripts and more interested in how you think. We're likely to ask you some role-related questions that provide insight into how you solve problems. Show us how you would tackle the problem presented--don't get hung up on nailing the "right" answer.

#### Googleyness

We want to get a feel for what makes you, well, you. We also want to make sure this is a place you'll thrive, so we'll be looking for signs around your comfort with ambiguity, your bias to action and your collaborative nature.

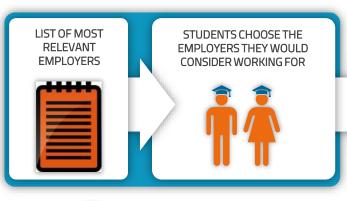
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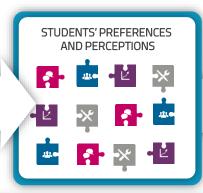
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## About Universum's 2014 Canadian Student Survey



















- 9,125 Business undergraduates
- 4,526 Engineering/IT undergraduates
- 4,234 Natural Science undergraduates
- 8,113 Liberal Arts/Fine Arts/Education/Social Sciences undergraduates
- 441 Law undergraduates
- 2,611 Health/Medicine undergraduates

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## Universum's Global Student Surveys



\*We are also conducting a regional survey in the Middle East, including Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Qatar, Lebanon, and Egypt

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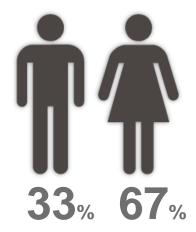
## Students' profile and summary of preferences

#### All universities



Average age (years):

21.4



#### Top 3 career profiles:

- Leader
- Idealist
- Entrepreneur

Average expected annual salary:

**50,608** CAD



#### Year of graduation:

25% 25% 22% 18% 5% 1% 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 or later

## Top 3 most used communication channels:

- · Employer websites
- Social networks/communities
- TV advertisements



#### **Top 3 industries:**

- · Health Care Services
- Public Sector and Governmental Agencies
- Non-Governmental organizations (NGOs)/Non-Profit organizations (NPOs)



#### **Top 5 most attractive attributes:**

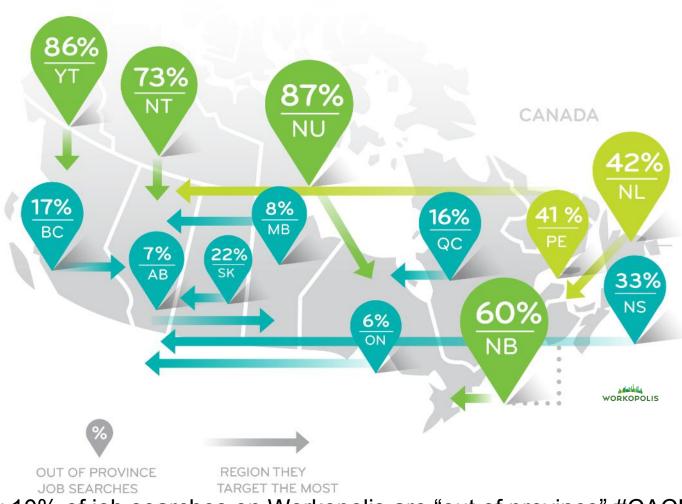
- A creative and dynamic work environment (People & Culture)
- A friendly work environment (People & Culture)
- Respect for its people (People & Culture)
- Secure employment (Job Characteristics)
- High future earnings (Remuneration & Advancement Opportunities)



#### Top 3 career goals:

- · To have work/life balance
- To be secure or stable in my job
- To be dedicated to a cause or to feel that I am serving a greater good

## WHERE ARE CANADIANS LOOKING FOR WORK?



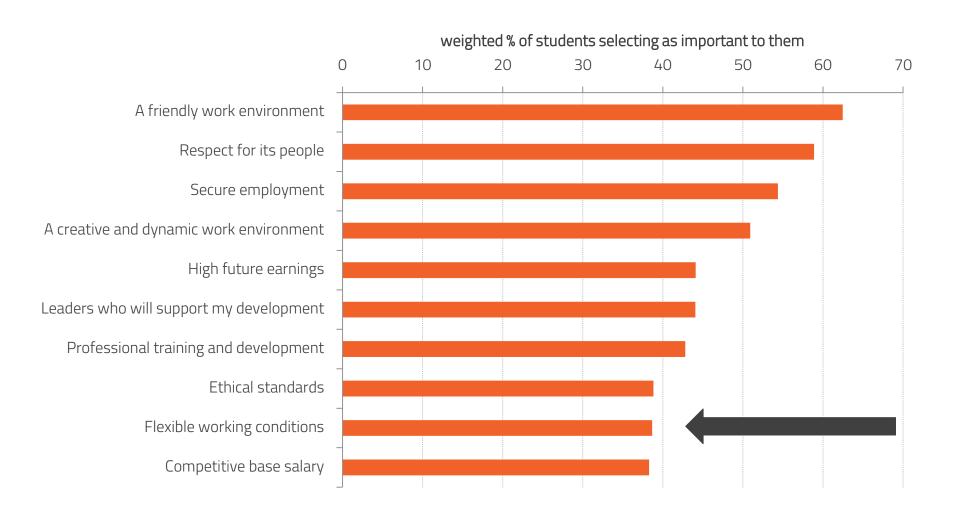


Only 10% of job searches on Workopolis are "out of province" #CACEEconf

# WORK-LIFE BALANCE



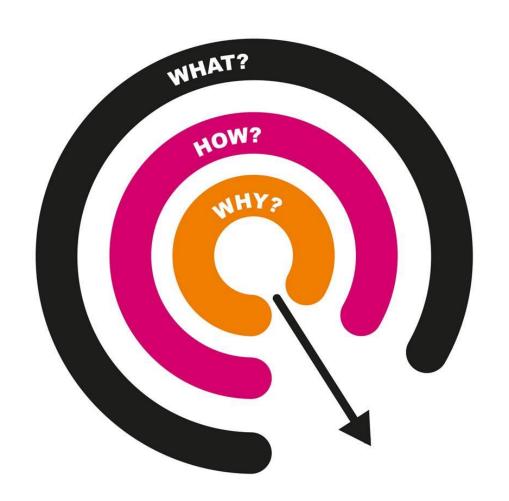
## What do students really mean by "work-life balance"?



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## THE CHANGING WAY WE WORK



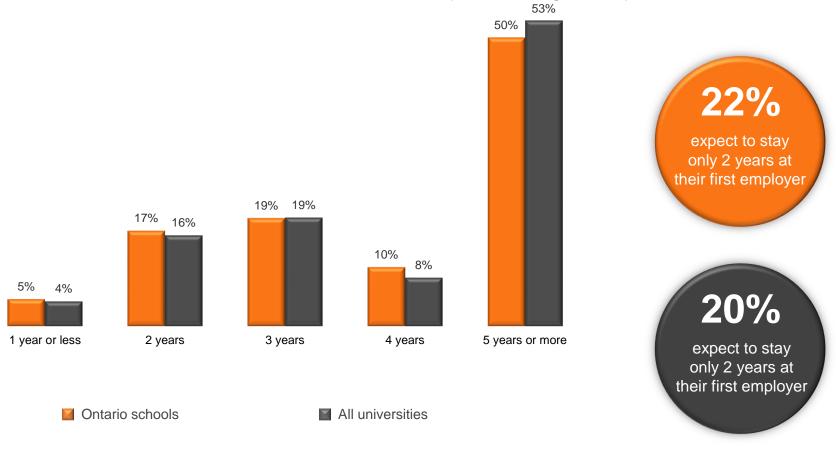


**85**%

of students globally say "work should be part of who I am, not just a way of making money"

## How long do students expect to stay at their first employer?

Students now expect to be with 1srt employer for avg. of 5 years #CACEEconf



<sup>·</sup> How many years do you expect to work for your first employer after graduation?

## WHAT DOES WORK-LIFE BALANCE LOOK LIKE AT: GOOGLE?



## WHAT DOES WORK-LIFE BALANCE LOOK LIKE AT: MANITOBA HYDRO?



"Recognizing the importance of youth, we provide you with supports that enhance your opportunity to successfully complete your academic pursuits"

#### We offer:

- Interesting work
- A diverse & stable workforce
- A lifetime of career opportunities
- Ongoing training & development
- A work atmosphere that supports work/life balance

#### You can work:

- In an office or in the field
- With the public or behind-thescenes
- Business hours or shift-work
- In the city, country, or northern Manitoba
- With numbers, words, or your hands

## WHAT DOES WORK-LIFE BALANCE LOOK LIKE AT: ACCENTURE?

Job-sharing arrangement: Involves dividing the workload of a full-time position between two employees (usually each working a part-time schedule). It's a great way for our people to keep on the career track

Flex time schedule: Allows employees to vary their start and finish times around predetermined core hours, or work their standard hours in fewer than five days by varying the length of each workday.

consulting professionals. We offer them fly-backs to their home location, the option to fly someone to their project site, and the option to fly to an alternate location in place of a trip home.

their home location, balance work and personal life. These flexible working options help meet their needs, while still meeting the needs of our clients:

- •Full weekend at home
- Extended weekends in home location
- Extended client/home location

## MILLENNIALS WANT IT ALL

#### **CREATIVE WORK ENVIRONMENT**

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT

FRIENDLY WORK ENVIRONMENT

**RESPECT** 



HIGH FUTURE EARNINGS

**SECURITY AND STABILITY** 

SERVE A GREATER GOOD

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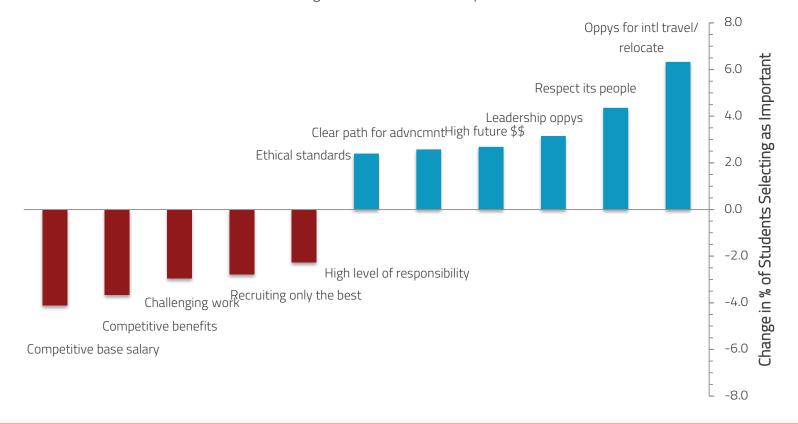


# Canadian students are increasingly interested in international opportunities

## Changes in Attractiveness of Employer Attributes

All Canadian Undergraduates, 2014 vs. 2013

Blue bars/ positive numbers: more important in 2014 Red bars / negative numbers: less important in 2014



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## IF YOU GIVE INTO THE TEMPTATION TO OFFER IT ALL

- ✓ A lack of differentiation from the competition
  - ✓ A confusing and diluted employer brand
    - ✓ Unfocused and inconsistent candidate conversations
    - ✓ Low conversion rates and high turnover

## **DON'T GET CAUGHT REACTING TO GENERALIZATIONS**

#### **ALL STUDENTS**

A creative work environment

A friendly work environment

Secure employment

Respect for its people

Professional training & development

Leaders who support my development

High future earnings

Challenging work

Competitive base salary

Good reference for future career

#### **MALE BUSINESS STUDENTS**

High future earnings

Leaders who support my development

A creative work environment

Professional training and development

A friendly work environment

Competitive base salary

Secure employment

Respect for its people

Leadership opportunities

Financial strength

## AN EASY TRAP TO FALL INTO



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Clear path for advancement



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## **IDENTIFY STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES OF YOUR BRAND**

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**Ethical standards** 

Leadership opportunities

**PREFERENCES** 

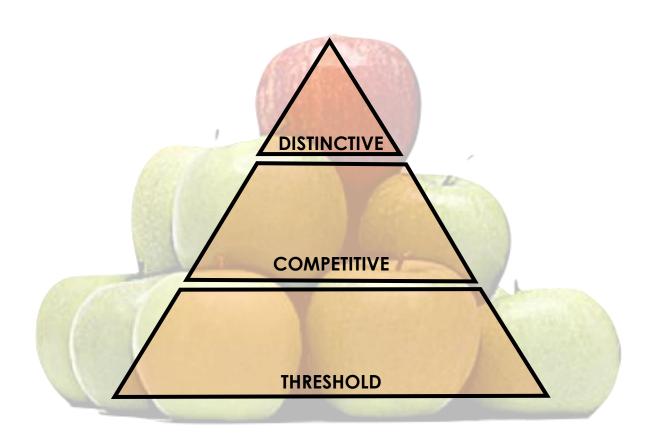
What do millennials want in an employer?

**EVP** 

What is true of your company internally?



## **BE DISTINCTIVE**

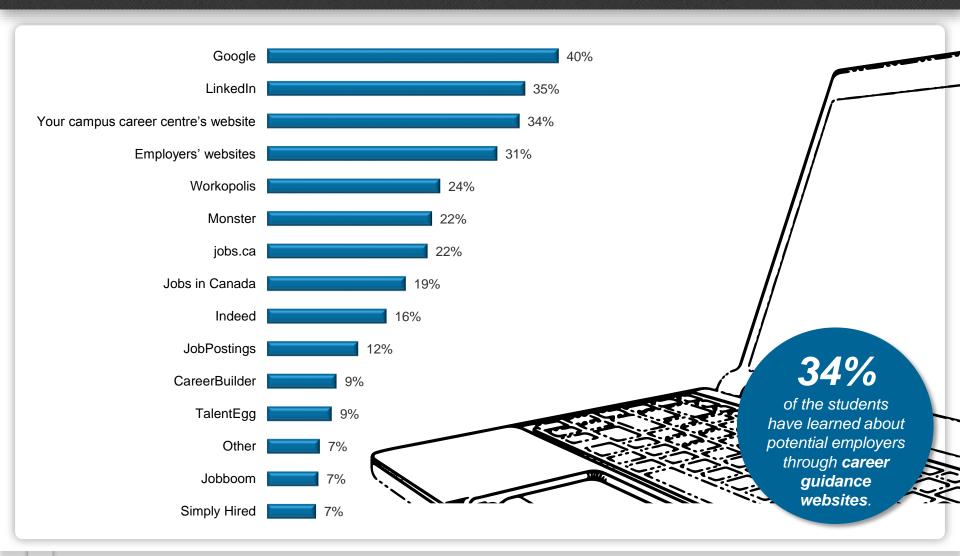


#### BE DISTINCTIVE

- ✓ Authenticate: Identify the aspects of working for your organization that are unique to your culture
- ✓ Resonate: Identify the aspects of your culture that are most important to your target audience
- ✓ Reach: Identify the communication channels that your target audience will use to get information about your culture

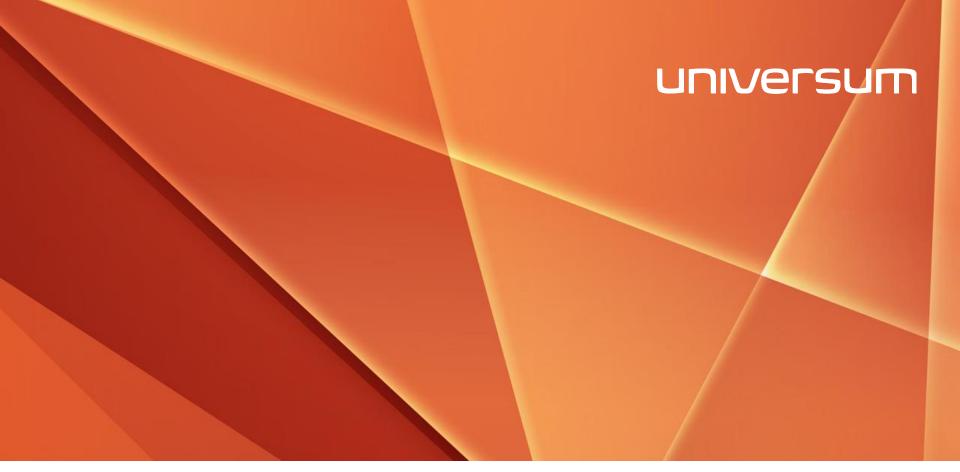
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## Top career guidance websites



<sup>·</sup> Which of the following career guidance websites do you visit? Please select as many as applicable.

<sup>·</sup> Which channels do you use in general to learn about potential employers? Choose as many as applicable.



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