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**Spacecoast Technical Network**

*Rebuilding Our Community, One Person at a Time*

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**November 22, 2013**

**Bring Your Laptops And Tablets!**

**In Service Training Session Of The  
STN Website, Discussion Forums  
And Member Resume Database!**



Al Schmidt, STN IT Coordinator, will provide an in depth training session of:

The STN Website

Discussion Forums Access And Use

Member Resume Attachment And Upload  
To The STN Web Server

Employer Search For Member Employment

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**Upcoming Speakers...**

## To Be Determined

If you are interested in presenting at an STN Breakfast Meeting, or know of someone who you would like to see, please contact [Patrick Pearce](#), STN Speaker Coordinator.

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### **New STN Board Of Directors Elected Nov. 15, 2013**

**Please join us in congratulating our new STN Board Of Directors!**

**Herb McElrath  
Terry While  
Melissa Lugo  
Jeff Patterson**

**Time for  
Fun! The Holidays are Here!**

**The Holiday Party Tickets are Finally Here!  
Get yours now while still available!**

**The Holiday Party is Friday, December 6th, 2013  
6:30 pm to 10:30 pm  
(There will not be a morning meeting on that day)**

**\$5.00 for Single Members and \$7.00 for Member with 1 Guest**

Tickets can be ordered from [Gail Peek](#) or [Kathy Schutze](#)

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### **Success Stories . . .**

[Joe Birko got a permanent position. We now need an HR Coordinator!](#)

**The "STN Alumni and Member Evening Meeting" had 15 attendees.  
We are growing and building.  
Thank you to all who attended.**

**Donald Duzak - Is close to finishing his Nursing Certificate with assistance from Brevard Workforce.**

**This week's Door Prize Winners were: Kathy Schutze, Ray Steele, and Robert Hill. Congratulations!**

If you have a Success Story that you would like to share with the group, please contact [Gail Peek](#).

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### **Upcoming Events . . .**

- 11-21 [Space Coast Airports Aircraft Rescue - Ribbon Cutting Ceremony](#)
- 11-22 [Ace Hardware Ribbon Cutting Ceremony](#)
- 11-28 Thanksgiving Holiday - No meeting this week
- 12-03 [Holiday Open House - Titusville Chamber of Commerce](#)
- 12-03 [Siesta Motor Inn Ribbon Cutting Ceremony](#)
- 12-03 [Capital Choice Free Financial Workshop](#)
- 12-06/07 [Fly Fishing and Rod Building Fair](#)
- 12-06 [STN Member Holiday Party](#)
- 12-12 [Hospice of St. Francis Poe Bldg - Ribbon Cutting Ceremony](#)

If you have an upcoming event that may be of interest to our group, please contact [Gail Peek](#) or [Jeff Patterson](#).

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### **Employment / Training Opportunities...**

**STN Discussion Forum Job Postings (Member Login Required)**

[CEO - Cocoa Beach Regional Chamber Of Commerce](#)

[Local Opportunities with Craig Technologies](#)

[Goodwill Industries Jobs - Updated 11/13/13](#)

[Local Technical and Engineering Jobs in Brevard County](#)

[More Jobs in the Area](#)

[HOT JOBS from Brevard Workforce](#)

[TechPoint Training - FLMEP](#)

[Prioria Robotics - New Jobs Listing](#)

### **Important Links...**

[NEW STN Members Website - REGISTRATION IS OPEN!!!!](#)

[STN on LinkedIn](#)

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## Weekly Article...

### 3 Tips for Job-Seeking Boomers Hoping to Combat Age Discrimination

By Ritika Trikha, September 25, 2012  
Submitted by Ben Yeargin

Recently, the research and consulting firm Millennial Branding firm teamed up with the career networking site Beyond.com to survey more than 5,000 job seekers about their job search. And they found that Baby Boomers-folks in their late forties to sixties-are having the toughest time finding jobs compared to other generations.

According to the study's findings, Boomers are searching the longest compared to Generation X or Gen Y. In fact, 25 percent of Boomers have been hunting for jobs for more than a year, while only 17 percent of Gen X and 10 percent of Gen Y have waited more than one year to land a job.

Even more importantly, 65 percent of Boomers feel employers have discriminated against them because of their age.

These results aren't a huge shocker-there are plenty of reasons why employers might be wary of bringing older folks on board.

[View The Full Article. . .](#)

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## Business Brief...

### Do you know what it takes to start a business?

#### Extreme Entrepreneurship Team told an eager crowd

Some Brevard County residents with an entrepreneurial spirit were given free advice Thursday on what it takes to get a business started.

More than 500 people attended the B.W. Simpkins Business Seminar for Entrepreneurial Development at the King Center for the Performing Arts to learn from successful business people how to take their idea to the next step.

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## JOIN STN NOW !!!

### The Spacecoast Technical Network Offers Two Levels of Membership

**Associate Member** - are seeking to re-establish their income stream. Many of our associate members have since moved on to new positions of employment. Some are starting their own business, while others have re-enrolled in an educational curriculum that will provide them with new skill sets and/or certificates for the next step in their career.

**Business Support Member** - offer the expertise and resources of their businesses to aid and assist the STN in its quest to strengthen the economic situation of the community. The support of the local business community is the key to the completion of all STN goals.

**One Year Membership is just \$20. Contact [Herb McElrath](#), Director of Membership Services Via Email For More Information Or...**

## [Visit The STN Website](#)



### **About The Spacecoast Technical Network**

The STN meets every Friday to network, share a meal, and learn from informative speakers.

The membership is over one hundred and growing weekly. STN is about securing Employment for its members, enhancing skill sets through Educational resources, and providing ongoing professional support and expertise for new and exciting Entrepreneurial efforts.

Networking begins at 8:00am. A hot breakfast is served at 8:30. Cost for the breakfast is \$4 per person. The Spacecoast Technical Network meets in the parish hall of St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church, located at 414 Pine St., Titusville.

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