## 100,000 OPPORTUNITIES INITIATIVE

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## About 100,000 Opportunities Initiative

4.9 MILLION AMERICANS BETWEEN 16 & 24 ARE OUT OF SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING

**About.** Launched in August 2015, **50 major companies** have joined one of the largest employer-led youth focused movements in the United States to create more pathways to economic opportunity for young Americans.

Goal. Engage at least 1,000,000 Opportunity Youth – 16-24 year olds who face systemic barriers to jobs and education – by 2021 through apprenticeships, internships, and part-time and full-time **jobs**.

**Approach.** The 100k Opportunities Initiative will achieve this through:

Direct Hiring, including Opportunity Fairs & **Demonstration Cities** 

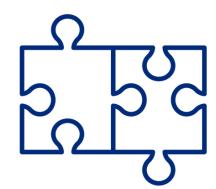






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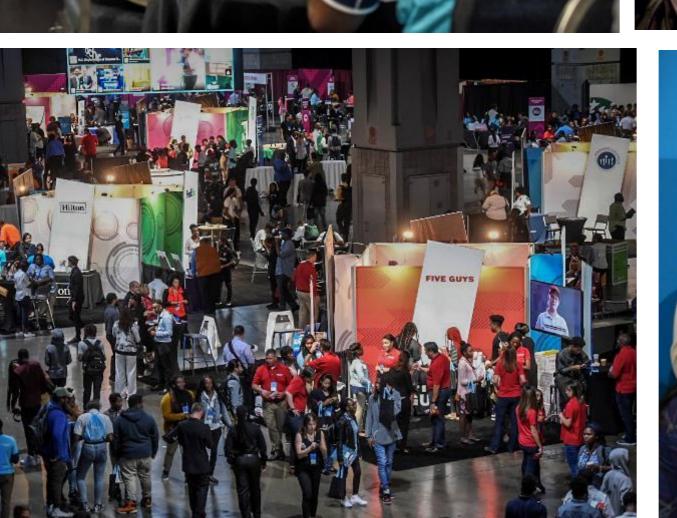














ALL YOU NEED

TO GET

JOB READY

site support to build

## **Opportunity Fair Impact**

#### In 6 transformational events, 4,500+ job offers extended,

- **30,000+** opportunity youth impacted,
- 17,500 youth attending
- **300+** community-based organizations involved,
- 1,000+ volunteers,

...and, hundreds of new resumes, job applications, mock interviews, new outfits, workshops, mentors, and new connections made

#### Watch a video from the last Opportunity Fair!









## Atlanta Opportunity Fair Overview

## **Objectives** Create opportunities for young adults to connect with services and employers Create momentum for ongoing investment, spotlight, and efforts to re-engage youth in Atlanta

#### **1** Jumpstart My Career

Resume station with 100+ computers & printers Mock interviews & interview prep workshops Job application computer stations & support Connections to support services like work training, apprenticeships, document procurement, record expungement, etc.

#### **2** Employment Opportunities

Networking with companies On-the spot job offers

#### **3** Creating My Successful Future

Support services including: Banking & Financial Literacy Services & Support, Mentorship, Housing, Food Handling Permits & transportation

#### To see more, check out a video from a recent event



#### **4** Continuing My Education

College & community colleges High school equivalency & reengagement Workshops on financing, admissions, and more

#### **5** Contributing to My Community

Services to help youth engage and give back, including voter registration, community service, and youth leadership

#### 6 Inspirational Moments & Fun

Transformative stories, amazing speakers, food, makeovers, and other engaging activities



the degree possible

drivers, shift supervisors,

articulated



## **Atlanta Opportunity Fair Job Opportunities**

- Specific **employers** will be confirmed by mid April, 100k employers are listed here: <a href="https://www.iookopportunities.org/employers">www.iookopportunities.org/employers</a>
- **Geography:** roles are available across the greater Atlanta region, and candidates will be placed based on their geographical preferences to
- Jobs types include sales and retail associates, cooks and bakers,
- Some jobs are **18+.** Where applicable, age requirements will be clearly
- **Interviews.** Over 1700+ interviews will be offered by participating employers. Practice mock interviews in advance or on-site at the fair.



## Youth Outreach Framework

#### Activate Network of CBOs & Influencers

- Work with the extensive network of agencies, CBOs, caseworkers, teachers, churches, and others to get the word out. This can include specific challenges and incentives to organizations that drive the most youth to the event.
- Activate **influencers** to get the word out through newsletters Have a presence/flyers in key **community locations** (like lacksquareor other efforts community centers, parks, etc.) or at key related **events**

#### Broad Media & Social Media Campaign

- (parents, guardians, etc.) through traditional & social media
- market who can work with us to get the word out locally



#### Direct Outreach to Youth

• Partner to reach out to youth directly through **text and email** lists, such as youth engaged in summer employment programs or who have applied for training programs or national service efforts but not been accepted

Use the platform of the coalition and the Mayor's office to reach youth and influencers

Contact us at media@100kOpportunities.org if you have a media spokesperson in the

• Create a **social media tool kit** for community organizations and leaders to leverage



## **Opportunity Fair Registration & Readiness Process**

#### Registration (Prior to Event)

#### Visit Website

100kOpportunities.org/ATL to learn more about the fair and register

#### Confirmation

Youth will receive email and/or text

#### Register

From the website, youth will be able to register through a series of simple questions. **Registration Available April 2nd** 

#### Walk-In

Providing for capacity, walk-in and day of registrants will be welcomed. They will complete the same registration process on site and will be able to meet with companies and other services.



## confirmations with all details about the event

#### Applications

Encourage young adults to apply in advance. If youth cannot apply in advance, they will be able to apply at the fair.

#### Reminder

Youth receive email and/or text reminders 24-48 hours prior (May 1<sup>st</sup> & May 2<sup>nd</sup>)

Attend!

## Your Call To Action!

"I believe in the talent that lies within our young people, and I know that when we give them a real chance, they will achieve and soar."

- Common

### 1. Register & Prepare Youth for the event

kit is available.

3.



- 2. Spread the word in your organizations & in the community – tell your leaders, your staff, your partner organizations and your communities. A social media tool
  - **Volunteer!** There will be opportunities for you or your teams to support the event. Volunteer registration will be open April 3rd.





## Thank You! Questions? 100kOpportunities@starbucks.com

