

# News Today

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## OhioMeansJobs Launches New Mobile App

OhioMeansJobs has launched a new mobile phone application that allows Ohioans to search, save and apply for jobs from their iPhone, iPad or Android device. OhioMeansJobs unveiled the app at a media event at the Center of Science and Industry (COSI) Columbus on Monday.

The OhioMeansJobs app combines unique data from the state of Ohio with advanced search tools and filter technology from Monster. Job seekers can use the app to view their resumes and search tens of thousands of job openings by job title, keyword and location.

“The OhioMeansJobs mobile app makes finding your next job faster and easier,” Director Colbert said. “The app and website combine to provide the information, tips, specialized search tools and targeted exposure that sets a job seeker apart from the pack.”

Monday’s event was cosponsored with



Director Colbert said the convenience of the new OhioMeansJobs mobile application can help give job seekers a competitive edge.

the Ohio Board of Regents. It also announced the launch of OhioMeansInternships.com, a job-matching site for students, and recognized about 500 winners of the “Choose Ohio First” scholarship, which is given to students studying in Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and Medicine (STEMM) fields. The STEMM scholars displayed research projects and networked with businesses.

“At the Board of Regents, we are focused on helping students complete their education and find a career,” Chancellor Jim Petro said. “Mobile devices such as iPhones are the type of technology these students are using. By using the mobile phone app to inform students about jobs and internships, we are reaching out to them in a way they are comfortable communicating.”

Developed through a partnership with Monster, OhioMeansJobs and the mobile app also



Chancellor Jim Petro encouraged students to use the new OhioMeansInternships.com site to gain access to employment and on-the-job training opportunities.

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aggregate internship openings posted on nearly any website in Ohio.

In addition to serving job seekers, OhioMeansJobs is a valuable tool for business owners and hiring managers. The website gives Ohio-based employers free access to the Monster resume bank, a savings of more than \$10,000 annually, and provides information on how a business owner's next hire could earn him or her an \$8,000 On-the-Job Training grant. On-the-Job Training grants allow businesses to hire and train the right person for less by providing cash reimbursement for hiring an eligible, out-of-work Ohioan.

Employers can post job openings on OhioMeansJobs for free and use advanced search tools and customizing filters to narrow down many resumes to a smaller group of the most promising candidates.

OhioMeansJobs also offers specialized job search assistance for Ohio's veterans and al-



The Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and Medicine scholars displayed research projects and networked with businesses during the Center of Science and Industry Columbus event.

ways lists veterans' resumes first when employers are searching for candidates.

For more information, visit <https://ohiomean-jobs.com/omj/>.

## Friday Party Set for Wayne Summersville

Wayne Summersville, a human services developer in the Adult Protective Services (APS) program in the Office of Families and Children (OFC), will retire at the end of January with 29 years of public service. Friends and colleagues are invited to wish him well during a cake and punch reception from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. on Friday, **Jan. 27**, in room A601 of the Lazarus Building.

Wayne began his career at the Pickaway County Department of Job and Family Services in 1983 as an eligibility specialist. He left the county in 1986 to take a position with the Ohio Department of Human Services as a quality control reviewer in the Franklin County district office in Columbus. In that position, he reviewed county compliance with Aid to Families with Dependent Children, Medicaid and food stamp programs. In 1989, he took a position as a human services developer, writing rules for the Office of Child Support.

Wayne moved to OFC in 2003. He first worked for the Ohio Children's Trust Fund, where he oversaw child abuse and neglect prevention grants

for county agencies and their community partners. From 2006 through 2008, he worked for the office's Bureau of Accountability and Fiscal Administration, where he was responsible for coordinating contracts.

Wayne accepted his current position in 2008. He is responsible for drafting Ohio Administrative Code rules for APS. He also serves as the department's representative to the Ohio Attorney General's Elder Abuse Commission and the Ohio Coalition of Adult Protective Services, and he oversees the Ohio Human Services Training System program.

After vacationing in Antigua in February, Wayne plans to spend the rest of his retirement visiting family and friends in Maryland, Washington, D.C., Virginia and Kentucky.



Wayne Summersville