Bay Area Networking Organizations and Job Support Groups

Email and Web Groups

Group Name	Description	Web Site
Friends of Promatch	Offers an online community for sharing leads, contacts, industry information and career events in Silicon Valley.	finance.groups.yahoo.com/group/FriendsOfPromatch/
Facebook/Twitter	Create a web presence, follow companies, find job postings and join groups on these fast-growing social networking sites.	www.facebook.com www.twitter.com
Keep In Touch (KIT) List	An email job posting service where employers and recruiters advertise permanent or consulting job opportunities.	www.KITlist.org
Link Silicon Valley	Connect to the people who build and fund the technology companies of Silicon Valley.	www.linksv.com
Linkedin	Helps develop inside connections to recommended job candidates, business partners, and industry experts.	www.linkedin.com
Workit.com	WorkIt.com is the San Francisco Bay Area's premier calendar to find local events for business, technology and more.	www.workit.com

"Live"(i.e., face-to-face)Groups

Group Name	Description	Contact Information	Web Site	Location
Bio2Device Networking Group	Networking group for professionals in biotech, medical devices or diagnostics. and pharmaceutical industries	moderator@biodevicegroup.org	www.biodevicegroup.org	Sunnyvale City Council Chambers, 456 Olive Ave, Sunnyvale, CA
Career Actions Ministry	Professional networking group that meet every other Saturday morning from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Speakers and success teams. Special Interest Groups focus on specific industries.	mrosa@mappharma.com	www.mppc.org/serve/career-actions-ministry	Fellowship Hall, First Presbyterian Church 1667 Miramonte Ave. Mountain View, CA
CSix Connect	Professional networking meeting and luncheon group. Meets each Thursday from 10:30am-1:00 pm.	408-867-1000	http://csix.org	Saratoga Federated Church Richards Hall, 20390 Park Place, Saratoga, CA
Cupertino Rotary Job Search Support Group	Job search support group for unemployed & underemployed & career changers- meets every Tuesday from 5:00pm-7:00pm.	408-735-0663	www.cupertinorotary.org	Monta Vista High School Cafeteria 21840 McClellan Rd, Cupertino, CA 95014
Job Connections	Free networking and job search support for unemployed and underemployed. Meetings are on Saturdays from 9:00am to 11:30am.	925-552-7972	www.jobconnections.org	Community Presbyterian Church 222 W. El Pintado Danville, CA
Meetup.com	Meetup is the world's largest network of local groups.		www.meetup.com	
ProMatch	Interactive career resource center with job search workshops, "Success Teams", networking opportunities and more.	408-736-2391	www.promatch.org	CONNECT Job Seeker Center 420 S. Pastoria Ave. Sunnyvale, CA 94086