



### Recruiting and Hiring New Employees Using YouTube

YouTube is the second most searched tool on the Internet. While not a search engine, people use it to search for answers to questions. How can you use it to help your job search? Follow these tips:

# **Get Started**

- 1. Create a profile at <a href="http://www.youtube.com">http://www.youtube.com</a>. Alternatively, set it up through your Google+ account if you already have one.
- 2. Be consistent with the images you use to maintain your corporate brand.



### **Participate**

#### **UPDATES**

- 1. Create a Channel to store all of your recordings.
- 2. Add useful videos to Playlists for reference.
- 3. Search for video resumes of job seekers.
- 4. Create videos about your company culture as well as products and services.

#### **SEARCH**

Search for potential employees by keyword. Include "resume" in the search parameters. A large amount of individuals are using smartphones or webcams to record videos. Take that into consideration when reviewing video resumes.

#### **POST**

As a company, include videos about your product and services, as well as videos that represent your company and employee culture.

Consider posting "a day in the life of" videos for a variety of positions at your company. This could help potential hires decide if the position is something at which they could be successful.

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