

## Career Homework 1 – Fundamentals of job search

I am looking for a job as a web developer, having said that I prefer the back end programming to the front and HTML and CSS. In fact I would have to work in an environment where the artistic work is done by a graphic artist. I can't see myself developing the ability to make a web site look pretty. But I believe I have a particular, if developing skill in computer programming. That is the strength that I intend to leverage in my job search.

Additionally I would prefer to work at a small company or even a start-up. I would consider working at a large company, and understand that small companies are more likely looking for experienced developers, and so I may have to accept a large company initially.

### Job 1

Merck & Co.

Branchburg, NJ

#### Senior Web Developer Job

Join a Global Application Development team to help us build beautiful digital solutions which solve important problems. Working within our Application Development Team, the selected candidate will work collaboratively with web development engineering teams, UX/Design teams, and end users. The candidate will create detailed architectures and designs and then implement those designs with high quality code. The candidate will create responsive web applications which work on any browser/device, and run on scalable cloud platforms using modern development techniques.

This sounds like something I'd be interested in because of the emphasis on architectures and designs

### Job 2

Invonto

Bridgewater, NJ

Invonto is an award-winning software development and consulting company based in Bridgewater, New Jersey. We have immediate opening for a mid-level full-stack asp.net web application developer. This is a great opportunity for someone looking to advance their skills while building amazing software products, in a small team and fast-paced environment, for renowned US companies.

This job is interesting to me because it is a small company and emphasis on full stack web development.

### Job 3

Fusion

Woodbridge, NJ

#### Junior / Mid Level Web Application Developer

### Job 4

Brainware inc - Bridgewater, NJ

**Role : Jr .Net Developer**

- Find and correct software defects
- Research, design and develop new systems to support the business needs of each functional area for the company
- Create technical specifications and test plans; writes and updates operational documentation.
- Consults with the appropriate employees concerning the maintenance and performance of software systems and asks questions to obtain information, clarify details and implement needed changes or enhancements
- Applies strong problem-solving skills and thinking laterally as part of a team, or individually, to meet the needs of an assigned project

I like this one because it is a small company and their emphasis on working with others, documentation and problem solving.