

22 Resources For Freelancers



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Coronavirus-related layoffs have expanded roles for freelancers. With offices closed, employees furloughed and an unclear future for in-office work, freelancers will play a growing and important role in the post-COVID-19 economy.

Whether you've been freelancing for years, or you're just starting out, there are a plethora of resources available to help you succeed. In today's post, we outline 22 freelancers' resources that will help you thrive in today's world.

1: [Authentic Jobs](#)

Authentic Jobs is a job board for designers, developers, and creative pros. This job board allows you to search for full-time, freelance, and remote jobs. Recent grads, you can also find internship opportunities here!

Follow them on Twitter to see their latest job postings in real-time: [@authenticjobs](#)

2: [CloudPeeps](#)

CloudPeeps is a member-driven community of trusted freelancers. You'll find a variety of opportunities in marketing, content, growth-hacking, and community-building.

3: [Craigslist](#)

An oldie but still a goodie. Craigslist is a very large marketplace and a good place to start any search.

4: [Fiverr](#)

This one is a clearinghouse for all kinds of freelance services including graphic design, digital marketing, writing and translation, video and animation, music and audio, programming and tech, business, lifestyle, and industries.

5: [FlexJobs](#)

FlexJobs claims to be the leading job search site specializing in the best remote, part-time, freelance, and flexible jobs available. Definitely a site you'll want to bookmark for your job search.

6: [Freelancer](#)

Another broad-based freelance clearinghouse that recruits and promotes freelancers. Companies that have used this site to hire freelancers include Amazon, Facebook, Nasa, and IBM.

7: [Guru](#)

This site is a global resource for freelancers. They claim to have paid over \$250 million to freelancers and currently list 3,066 freelance job listings.

8: [Indeed](#)

You've likely heard of this one before, Indeed is a popular job posting site. A comparatively simple site with a few basic categories such as customer service, entry-level truck driver, but also includes nursing and pharmacy.

Check out [success stories](#) from other job searchers who were able to find work using Indeed.

9: [JobSpresso](#)

This site claims to be the easiest way to find remote jobs in tech, marketing, and customer service. Remote job posting categories include:

- ✓ Design
- ✓ Developer
- ✓ DevOps
- ✓ Marketing
- ✓ PR
- ✓ Sales
- ✓ Support
- ✓ Writing

To see their latest job postings follow JobSpresso on Twitter: [@Jobspresso](#)

10: [LinkedIn Jobs](#)

If you're not already on LinkedIn, stop what you are doing to create an account. LinkedIn is a fantastic resource for finding all types of work. LinkedIn is a fantastic tool for networking and every freelancer should have an account with them.

11: [LocalSolo](#)

Local describes itself as a curated talent network of 27,939 top local freelancers. They claim to offer exclusive access to thousands of A-list local freelancers used by the best startups, agencies, and businesses. What makes this resource different from the other sites listed in this article? They utilized local talent.

12: [Media Bistro](#)

Search for work by industry, location, duration, and company. This site also offers useful resources for learning skills

13: [Morning Coffee Newsletter](#)

If you like newsletters, this one is a must-subscribe! Once you're added to their email list, you'll receive automatic job alerts of new freelance writing jobs every morning.

14: [PeoplePerHour](#)

A large community of freelancers (2.9M) and businesses (1M). Post business projects and pay by the hour. As of July, there are over 5,000 job postings for freelancers to pick from.

15: [ServiceScape](#)

This resource is for high-level freelancers. They have work for editors, translators, graphic designers, and writers for hire. They claim 290,000+ completed projects, 87,000+ clients, and a 4.9/5.0 average rating.

16: [SimplyHired](#)

One search, millions of jobs, says it all.

17: [Smashing Jobs](#)

This job board for designers and developers. And, in addition to job postings, you'll also find a valuable newsletter, podcasts, books, events, and more.

18: [Solid Gigs](#)

Specifically aimed at supporting freelancers, Solid Gigs focuses on helping freelancers build a thriving business.

19: [Toptal](#)

Toptal is slightly different from the other job sites on this list, as it is only aimed at experts and professionals. Toptal is an exclusive network of top freelance software developers, designers, finance experts, product managers, and project managers in the world.

20: [We Work Remotely](#)

We Work Remotely claims to be the largest remote work community in the world with over 2.5M monthly visitors. They have a number of useful resources on their website, including an active community.

21: [Working Nomads](#)

Here you'll find curated lists of remote jobs in many professional career areas. They claim to connect professionals who want to work remotely with innovative companies offering independent positions.

Follow them on Twitter for their latest job postings: [@workingnomads](#)

22: [Upwork](#)

Uplink claims to be the world's top freelancing site trusted by 5 million businesses.

Before you start leveraging these resources, be sure your [resume is top-notch](#), your [interview skills honed](#), and you're prepared to negotiate.

The freelancer world is becoming more and more competitive and you need to bring your A-Game! [Our team of coaches](#) can help ensure you land the freelancer gigs you want!

Did we miss any good ones? Leave your favorite freelance apps in the comments below!