Linked in

Getting Started



THINGS WE'LL COVER TODAY

- A Few Facts About LinkedIn
- Dashboard
- Your Profile
- Assessments
- Using Resume Assistant
- Signal (Open Candidates)
- Using Search Alerts
- Connecting with Others
- Tips & Hints

QUICK FACTS

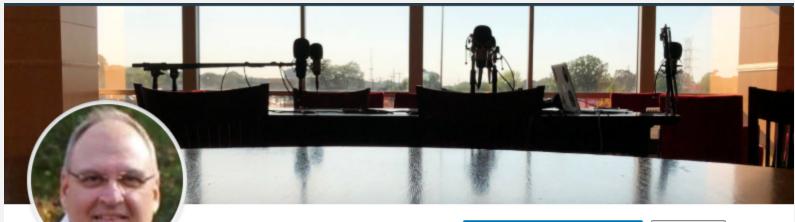
- 610M LinkedIn users.
- 40% use it daily.
- 70% of LinkedIn users are outside of the US.
- 77% of all recruiters use LinkedIN
- Owned by Microsoft, who paid \$26.2B for it in 2016.

QUICK FACTS

- LinkedIn now has 200 million open jobs (worldwide) with 3 million new active job listings each month.
- There are more than 25,000 job openings for data scientists in the US alone, and it's one of the most promising job opportunities in the country.
- The sales category lists over 3.6 million jobs worldwide.
- The highest number of jobs comes from the management category, with 4.9 million open positions.

STARTING YOUR PROFILE

- Complete your contact information.
- Your job history.
- Add any skills, talents and languages spoken.
- Add any volunteer work.
- Ask for recommendations from connections.
- Upload any relevant documents, presentations, etc.



Mark White

Technologist | Consultant | Podcaster

Memphis, Tennessee · 500+ connections · Contact info

Add profile section ▼

More...



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☐ Central High School

Open to job opportunities

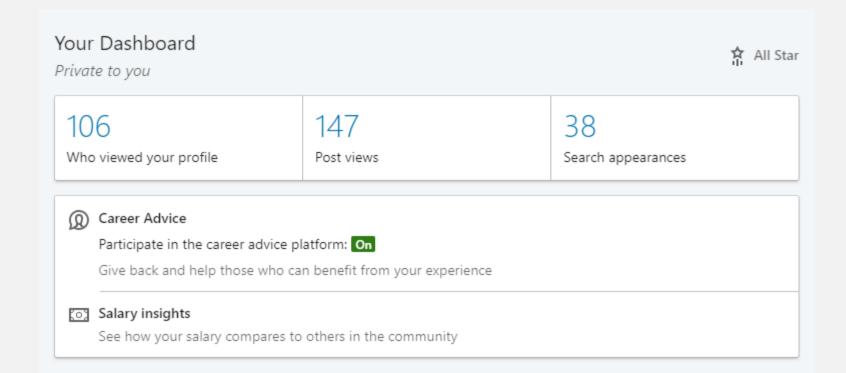
Consultant and Director Of Business Development roles

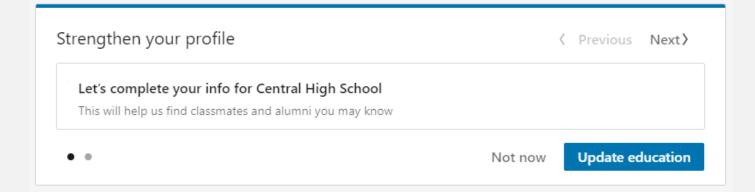
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All LinkedIn members



DASHBOARD







1,051 followers Manage followers



Come work with us.

Mark shared this 2 Likes



We're better because of you Josh. Glad we're on the same team!

Mark commented 1 Like



Interesting post on brand movement and awareness.

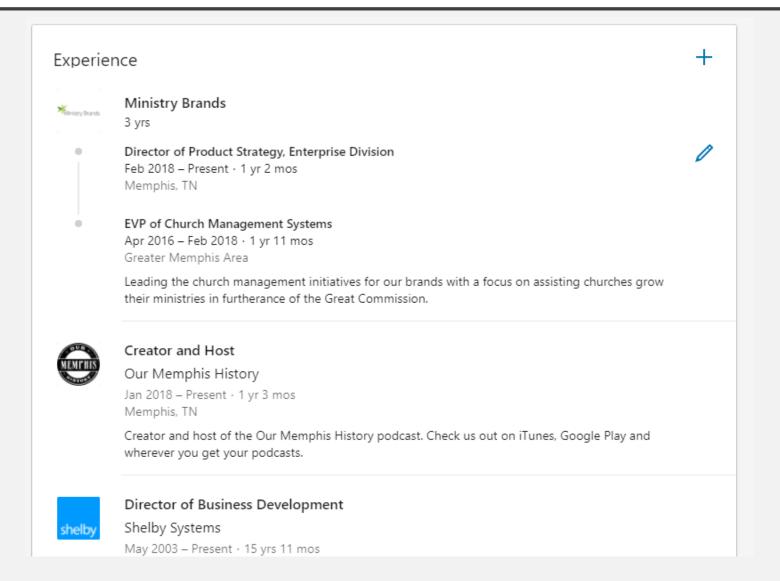
Mark shared this 3 Likes

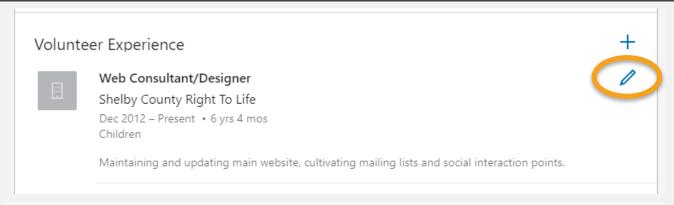


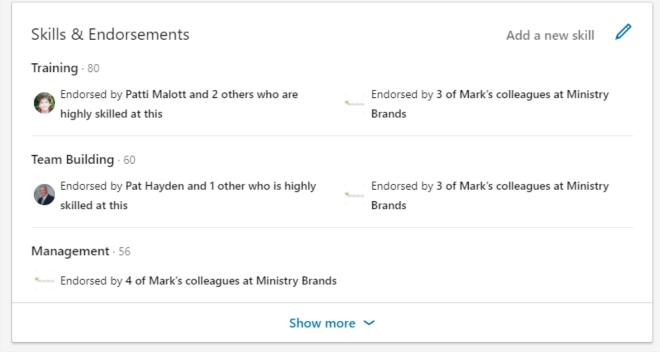
To me it's the "prevent overcrowding" part that's interesting. It's why there...

Mark commented

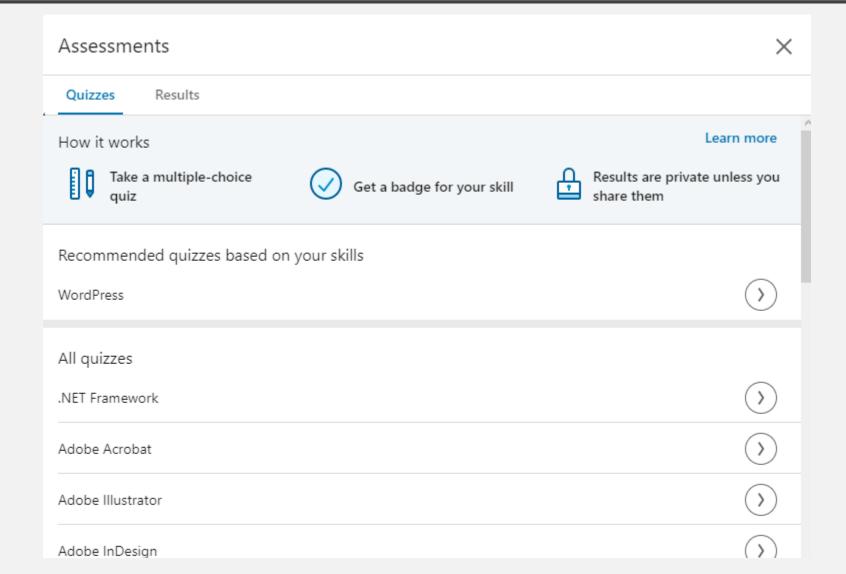
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ASSESSMENTS



USING RESUME ASSISTANT

- Open your resume' in MS Word 2016 or Office365
- Select the Resume Assistant option in the Review ribbon.

Resume Assistant Resume

 This opens the Assistant pane on the right.

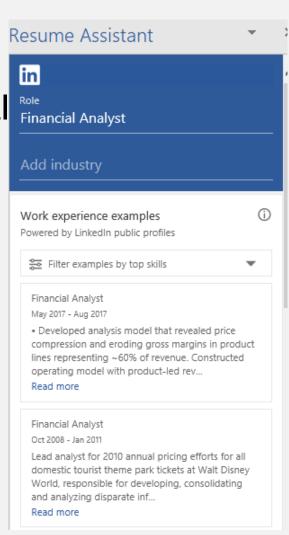


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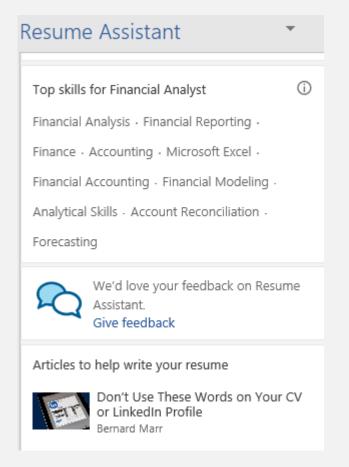
This starts the wizard which asks a series of questions to help you by showing examples of professional

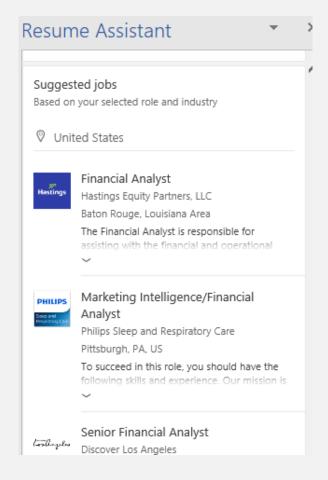
resumes.





USING RESUME ASSISTANT





OPEN CANDIDATE

For job-seekers, simply turning on your Open Candidates signal makes you **twice** as likely to receive relevant messages from recruiters, and for recruiters, Open Candidates are twice as likely to respond.

Open to opportunities? Let recruiters know.

We take steps to not show recruiters at your company, but can't guarantee complete privacy.



Share your career interests

Help recruiters understand what kind of opportunities you're open to



Stand out in recruiter searches

Recruiters will see your Career interests and your profile marked as "Open to opportunities"



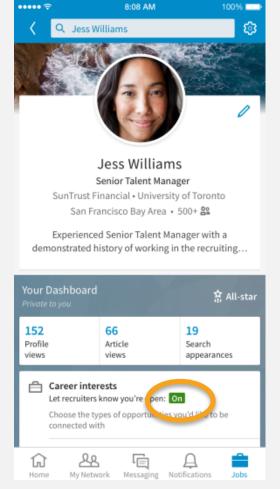
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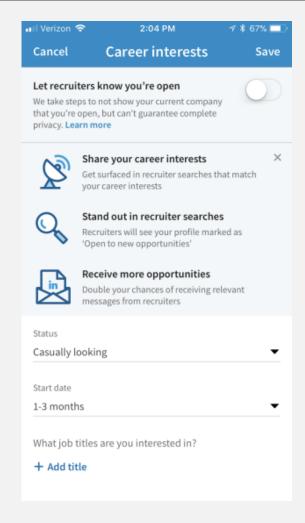


Receive more opportunities

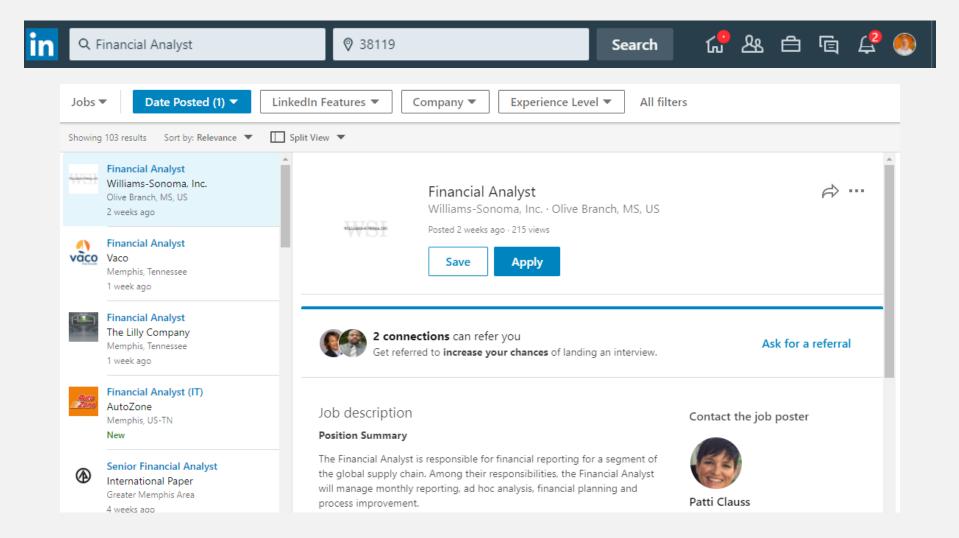
Increase your chances of receiving relevant messages from recruiters

OPEN CANDIDATE



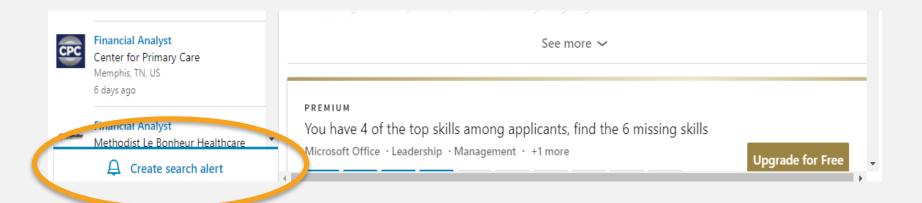


JOB SEARCH



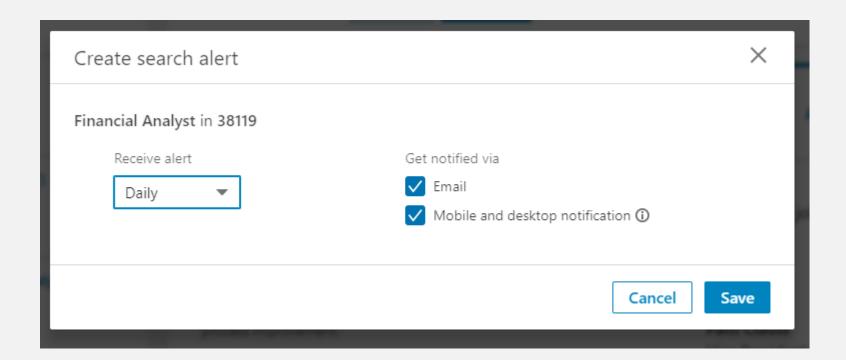
SEARCH ALERTS

- Perform a search for your desired results.
- Click Create Search Alert. You may save up to three searches in the free account version.



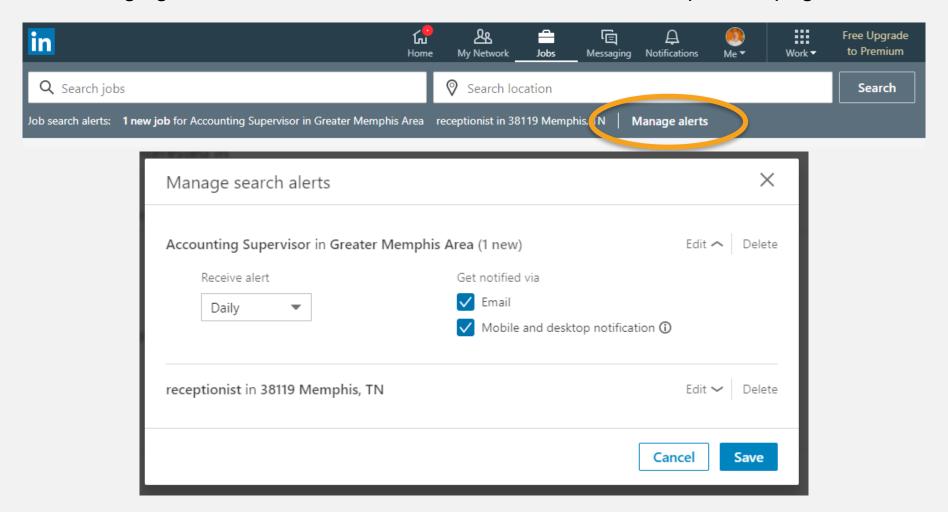
SEARCH ALERTS

- Daily & Weekly are your alert frequencies.
- Email or Mobile and desktop notifications.



SEARCH ALERTS

Managing Search Alerts can be done from the link at the top of the page.



CONNECTING WITH OTHERS

- Be prudent with connecting. **
- Personalize the LinkedIn request message.
- Respond quickly to requests.
- Say please and thank you.

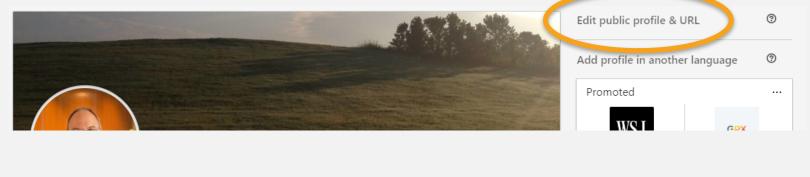
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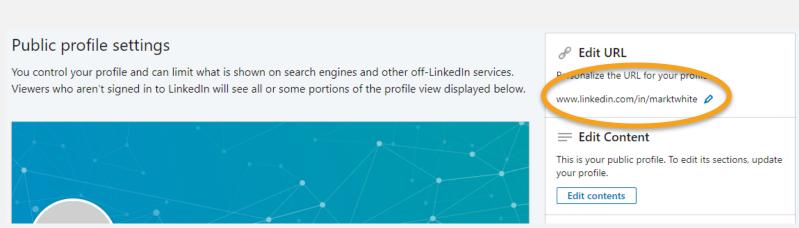
- Profiles with a picture are 21X more likely to be viewed and get 36X more messages.
- Add your LinkedIn profile URL to your personal email signature.
- Make changes to your profile every 3-4 days to keep your profile in the timeline. Recruiters notice this.
- Add each role at your last few jobs, it's ok to have overlapping dates at the same company.

TIPS

- Join groups related to your field.
- Participate. Your profile is 5X more likely to be viewed if you are active in groups, discussions, etc.
- Reorder your profile by dragging the most important sections to the top.
- Use LinkedIn Premium if absolutely necessary.

EDITING YOUR URL

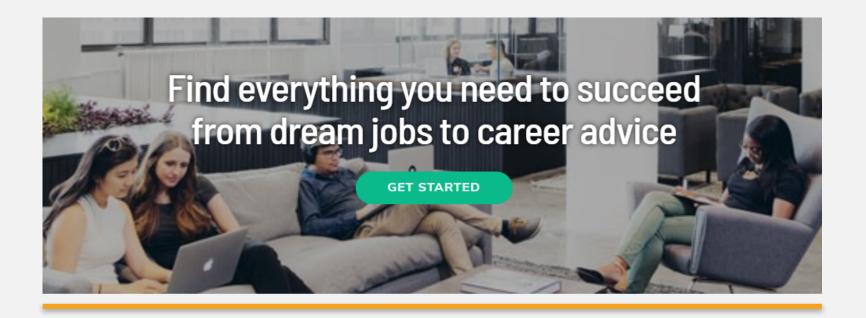




QUESTIONS?



EXTRA 10%



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