Leveraging LinkedIn

to Magnify Your Marketability



Tips to Become More Searchable and Marketable

Turn off your activity broadcasts before you make updates!

- 1. Profile: Make sure your profile is 100% complete
- 2. Keywords optimization: Use keywords relevant to your industry/ role
- 3. Picture: Have a profile picture that reflects your brand
- 4. **Headline:** Have a catchy marketing headline that describes who you are and your profession
- 5. Summary: Provide an authentic personal and professional bio
- 6. **Specialties:** List out all keywords that reflects your expertise and that people will search for
- 7. Skills: List out 50 transferable skills
- 8. Work History: Provide a good overview of your work history with an impact statement for each role you had
- 9. Education: List out all the education you had
- 10. Personalized link: Claim your name if you can
- 11. Groups: Be part of groups and participate
- 12. **Companies:** Follow those you are interested in or the industry you are part of
- 13. Status update: Post an update regularly
- 14. Share: Share what you find interesting or open roles
- 15. Like: Click on them! Every 10 likes gets reaches about 2000 people, that's like free advertising!
- 16. Connect: Send a personalized message to invite to connect
- 17. **Recommendations:** Ask for recommendations with a personalized message
- 18. Become an expert: Use LinkedIn answers

Cool Tool - LinkedIn Resume Builder: <u>http://resume.linkedinlabs.com/</u>