**WVSCPA - 2022 Virtual Match Up Event**

The Virtual Match Up event *(formerly known as our in-person Recruiting Fair)* that the Society adapted in 2020 due to the COVID19 Pandemic will continue for the 2022 event. *Our plan is to return to an in-person event in 2023.*

The dual objective of this recruiting event is: To assist employers in recruiting / hiring needs and to provide students with interview experience.

***What is in it for your firm/company?***

Review the listing below of key points and benefits as to why you should participate in this event:

* ***FREE*** to participate and ***OPEN*** to any employer looking for accounting interns or entry level accounting positions.
* Provides your company with exposure to a great talent pool of accounting students from across our entire state.
* Eliminates travel cost as you can conduct the interview virtually.
* Participating employers are published in our Virtual Match Up Directory, which is posted to our website (wvscpa.org) as well as sent to all Student Members of the Society, and Accounting Educators of colleges / universities across the state.
* Student resumes and other required information provided to your firm simply for participating.
* Opportunity to meet with students (prior to the formal interview) to inform and promote your business to students at the virtual “mixer” event on ***Monday, September 12, 2022***.

***How can your firm/company participate in this event?***

Simply follow these steps:

* To participate, submit your employer by completing the Employer Information Form and return it to Kim Mick at [kim@wvscpa.org](mailto:kim@wvscpa.org) by ***Friday, August 19, 2022***.
* The Society office will distribute resumes of qualified accounting students to all participating firms/companies to review on ***Tuesday, September 6, 2022***.
* Participating firms/companies will be required to provide a list of candidates that they will interview to the Society office ([kim@wvscpa.org](mailto:kim@wvscpa.org)) by 9:00 am on ***Friday, September 9, 2022***. ***Please Note - Participating firm/company will be required to contact a minimum of three (3) students for interviews***.
* Participating firms/companies will be required to participate in the virtual “Mixer”, which will be held the first hour via Zoom on ***Monday, September 12, 2022*** ***(5:30pm – 6:30pm)***. During the first hour participating employers will allow a representative/s to introduce and promote your firm to students.
* Participating employers will be expected to schedule interviews and conduct those anytime from ***Tuesday, September 13 through Friday, September 16, 2022.*** Employers will directly provide the students with links to their preferred platforms used to conduct interviews (Zoom, WebEx, GoToMeeting, etc.).