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## Summary

Parnassah Exchange (PX) is an organization that was founded as a grass-roots effort several years ago by members of the Greater New York Jewish community. The sole mission of Parnassah Exchange is simple, yet ambitious— helping people find jobs and supporting these job-seekers along the way. PX is there to guide those who are unemployed or underemployed, including career starters or those looking to change career paths. The organization's roots included in-personal panels and active, ongoing guidance and mentorship of candidates by a broad group of volunteers from many industries and professions. Over the past 18 months, PX's leadership has built a nascent tech platform that it hopes to leverage in order to achieve exponentially greater scale and impact, all the while retaining the "human touch" that is critical in this endeavor. PX is a place where employers and candidates can easily meet and where candidates can benefit from networking, interview coaching, resume help, and perhaps most importantly, encouragement and camaraderie. The platform provides employers with a larger pool of potential candidates to fill roles that meet their placement needs. The goal is to get Jewish people all over the country to collaborate and support each other in the area of parnassah. Parnassah Exchange has been changing lives everyday with its strong devotion to helping people discover their path to gainful employment and professional fulfillment, in order to provide for their families and communities. https://www.parnassahexchange.org/

## What does Parnassah Exchange offer?

## **Job Placement**

- o Parnassah Exchange provides a resource hub for employers and potential employees
- PX operates on a cloud infrastructure, allowing <u>employers</u> to access candidate more efficiently to fill positions
- o It caters to people who are unemployed, underemployed, career starter, or changing careers
- o Job-seekers can easily get started by filling out a form

## **Career Guidance:**

- PX has <u>Ambassadors</u> and <u>Volunteers</u> who are devoted members that can provide occupational guidance as well as general career support, including:
  - o Mentoring
  - o Resume Improvement
  - o Interview Skills Training
  - o Social Networking Assistance

