

ISLAND NEWS



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ISLAND STAFFING would like to welcome the following people and say congratulations and good luck in your new position:

- Jean Heaven
- Melissa McCobb
- Tawnya Long

5 Tips to Reduce Holiday Stress

1. Identify what the trigger is. Recognize how it makes you feel and slow down your thought process to keep your emotions from going 0 to 100 in 5 seconds flat.
2. Put expectations into perspective – lower them; the holidays do not have to be perfect.
3. Think of yourself first; we cannot control what others do or say but we can change the way we think about things.
4. Limit demands and ultimatums; replace “should,” “must” and “have to” with “I wish,” “maybe” and “my preference is ...”
5. Remember the holidays are temporary; January is right around the corner.

Industry Knowledge

Ten Tech Jobs You've Never Heard Of

Some of today's hottest IT jobs are virtually unknown of; according to a recent study from Cambridge, Mass-based Forrester Research.

The 10 jobs you probably have not heard of and ranked by hotness;

1. Information/Data Architect
2. Content-Oriented Business Analyst
3. Business Architect
4. Vendor Management Expert
5. Enterprise Project Manager
6. Account/Relationship Manager
7. Desktop Virtualization Expert
8. IT Services Manage
9. Business Process Analyst
10. Storage Director

These are hot skills on demand and IT roles often have different titles/names. But regardless of what you position gets to be called; the underlying skills are what's in demand and often in a short supply.

Hot Needs

- QA Analyst (Bilingual)
- Field Service Rep. (Gas Turbines)
- Manager of Product Line Marketing
- Sr. Program Manager
- Supplier Development Engineer

Check out more of our exciting opportunities at www.islandstaffing.us and pass the link on to your family, friends, and peers.

News from the ISLAND

As some of you may know we have started an **Island Staffing Professionals** group on LinkedIn.com.

LinkedIn is an online networking community of over 30 million professionals. It enables you to grow your network and exchange information, ideas and opportunities within that network.

We started this group with the hopes of keeping in touch with past and present candidates like you, as well as providing industry information, discussion forums, and information on current job openings. We look forward to staying in touch with all of you and helping in the future any way we can.

Holiday Laughs

If athletes get athletes foot, what do astronauts get?

Missile toe!

If Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus had a child, what would he be called?

A subordinate Claus.



Hapy Holidays from the
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