



HANDOUT SERIES

CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER

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ACTION VERBS

Accelerated	Collaborated	Enhanced	Integrated	Purchased	Strengthened
Accommodated	Collected	Enlarged	Interpreted		Studied
Achieved	Commissioned	Enlisted	Interviewed	Queried	Submitted
Acquired	Committed	Enriched	Introduced	Questioned	Substantiated
Acted	Communicated	Enumerated	Invented		Suggested
Activated	Compared	Envisioned	Investigated	Raised	Summarized
Adapted	Compiled	Established	Involved	Rated	Supervised
Addressed	Composed	Estimated		Realized	Supplemented
Adjusted	Conceived	Evaluated	Judged	Recommended	Surveyed
Administered	Conceptualized	Examined	Justified	Reconciled	Sustained
Admitted	Concluded	Excelled		Recorded	Synthesized
Advanced	Confirmed	Executed	Launched	Recruited	Systematized
Advertised	Consented	Exercised	Lectured	Rectified	
Advised	Consolidated	Expanded	Led	Reduced	Tabulated
Aided	Constructed	Expedited	Licensed	Referred	Tailored
Alleviated	Contracted	Extended	Linked	Refined	Traced
Allocated	Contributed		Maintained	Reformed	Trained
Allowed	Converted	Fabricated	Marketed	Regarded	Transacted
Altered	Convinced	Facilitated	Measured	Regulated	Transformed
Ameliorated	Cooperated	Familiarized	Mediated	Rehabilitated	Translated
Amended	Coordinated	Fashioned	Minimized	Reinforced	Transmitted
Analyzed	Correlated	Figured	Mobilized	Rejuvenated	Troubleshoot
Appointed	Counseled	Finalized	Modeled	Related	
Appraised	Created	Forecasted	Moderated	Relieved	Updated
Approved	Critiqued	Formulated	Modified	Remedied	Upgraded
Approximated	Customized	Fostered	Monitored	Remodeled	
Arranged		Founded	Motivated	Repaired	Validated
Assembled	Debugged	Fulfilled	Multiplied	Reported	Valued
Assessed	Dedicated			Represented	Visualized
Assigned	Delegated	Generated	Negotiated	Researched	
Assisted	Demonstrated	Grew		Reserved	Wrote
Attained	Designated	Guaranteed	Officiated	Resolved	
Attested	Designed	Guided	Operated	Retrieved	
Audited	Developed		Orchestrated	Reviewed	
Augmented	Devised	Hired	Organized	Revised	
Authored	Diagnosed		Originated	Revitalized	
Authorized	Directed	Identified	Overhauled		
	Displayed	Illustrated		Sanctioned	
Balanced	Drafted	Implemented	Performed	Satisfied	
Bolstered		Improved	Persuaded	Scheduled	
Brainstormed	Eased	Improvised	Pioneered	Scrutinized	
Budgeted	Eclipsed	Increased	Planned	Secured	
Built	Edited	Indexed	Polished	Served	
	Educated	Indicated	Prepared	Settled	
Calculated	Elevated	Influenced	Prescribed	Shaped	
Catalogued	Elicited	Informed	Prioritized	Smoothed	
Centralized	Employed	Initiated	Processed	Solicited	
Certified	Empowered	Innovated	Procured	Solved	
Chaired	Enabled	Inspected	Produced	Spearheaded	
Chartered	Encouraged	Inspired	Projected	Specified	
Clarified	Endorsed	Instituted	Promoted	Stimulated	
Coached	Engineered	Instructed	Publicized	Streamlined	

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