

WORKING IN HOSPITALITY, TOURISM and the TRAVEL INDUSTRY

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The hospitality industry is a major source of employment. Hotels, resorts, casinos, restaurants and cruise ships provide many opportunities. Positions include **front desk & guest services, food & beverage service, maintenance, pool & golf services, bookkeeping & reservations, sales & marketing, catering & conference services, security, housekeeping, spa & salon services.**

Local hotel employers include:

Oakland Marriott City Center
San Ramon Marriott
Walnut Creek Marriott
Courtyard by Marriott
www.careers.marriott.com

1001 Broadway, Oakland 94607 (510) 451-4000
2600 Bishop Drive, San Ramon 94583 (925) 867-9200
2355 N. Main, Walnut Creek 94596 (925) 934-2000
5555 Shellmound, Emeryville 94608 (510) 652-8777
visit hotels as well as check the website

Doubletree – Berkeley
Embassy Suites Hotel
Hilton Oakland Airport
www.jobs.hilton.com

200 Marina Blvd., Berkeley 94710 (510) 548-7920
1345 Treat Blvd., Walnut Creek 94597 (925) 934-2500
1 Hegenberger Road, Oakland 94621 (510) 635-5000
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Kimpton Hotels
Lafayette Park Hotel & Spa
Joie de Vivre Hotels
Four Seasons
Hyatt Hotels
Sheraton Hotels

Various San Francisco locations [Hotel Jobs | Kimpton Hotels \(ihg.com\)](http://Hotel Jobs | Kimpton Hotels (ihg.com))
3287 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Laf. Lafayette Park Hotel & Spa | Official Site |
now part of Hyatt [Joie de Vivre – Careers \(jdvhotels.com\)](http://Joie de Vivre – Careers (jdvhotels.com))
Several SF Bay Area https://careers.fourseasons.com
Several SF properties https://careers.hyatt.com/en-US/careers
now part of Marriott Marriott Careers | https:careers.marriott.com

Hotel chains:

Intercontinental and more Home | IHG https://careers.ihg.com/en - Select United States and California
Graduate Hotels Careers at Graduate Hotels – in college towns throughout the U.S.
The former Hotel Durant in Berkeley is now part of this hotel system.

Resorts

Claremont Resort and Spa 41 Tunnel Road, Berkeley, CA 94705 (510) 843-3000 – part of Accor
Fairmont Sonoma Mission Inn and Spa – Fairmont is now part of Accor https://careers.accor.com
Select United States and check “Fairmont” and “Accor” for many job possibilities including those at the Claremont and Sonoma Mission Inn and Spa

Airlines and Airports, Trains and Bus Tour Companies, Travel Agencies and Conference Centers.
Potential jobs include **flight attendant, ramp agent, travel agent, tour guide, cruise ship staff, event planner, convention or trade show organizer, marketing and sales staff.**

Airlines: Southwest, Jet Blue, American Airlines, United Airlines, Alaska, Delta and many more

Airports: Oakland International Airport
San Francisco International Airport
San Jose International Airport

Opportunities - Airport (oaklandairport.com)
www.flfsfo.com Choose “Careers”
[Employment | San Jose \(flysanjose.com\)](http://Employment | San Jose (flysanjose.com))

Cruise Lines

NCL – The “Pride of America” sails with a mostly American crew https://www.ncl.com/about/careers
Princess Cruises has a port in San Francisco https://www.princess.com/careers

Viking River Cruises www.vikingrivercruises.com
www.cruiseshipjobs.com

Travel Agencies: - Many are small. Here are a few that are larger.

AAA Travel <https://careers.ace.aaa.com> and search under “travel advisor”

Hires advisors for offices in Sf Bay Area & throughout California

Carlson Wagon Lit <https://careers.mycwt.com> for opportunities in business travel

Travel & Tour Companies:

Globus www.globus.com

Road Scholar - learning adventures for 50+ travelers www.roadscholar.org

National Geographic Expeditions www.nationalgeographic.com

Amtrak for vacations and rail tours www.amtrak.com

Trip Advisor Walking & Biking Tours www.tripadvisor.com

www.cityexperiences.com City Experiences - City Cruises Anchored by Hornblower

Skyline Sightseeing - City Tours in San Francisco (sightseeingworld.com)

Blue & Gold Fleet (blueandgoldfleet.com)

Gray Line Tours www.grayline.com

Additional Ideas:

Wineries in Livermore, Sonoma, Napa, Santa Cruz etc. Search [Wine Jobs \(winebusiness.com\)](http://Wine Jobs (winebusiness.com)

Convention & Visitor Bureaus know what is happening and coming in their cities. For ideas, try

San Francisco www.sftravel.com San Jose <https://www.sanjose.org>

Oakland www.visit oakland.com Santa Clara www.discoversantaclara.org

Santa Cruz www.santacruz.org Berkeley www.visitberkeley.com

Airbnb <https://careers.airbnb.com>

Expedia Group <https://careers.expediagroup.com>

Lonely Planet Travel Guide Book Publisher www.lonelyplanet.com

USEFUL WEBSITES:

www.hospitalityonline.com

www.ihirehospitalityservices.com – service jobs in the hospitality industry – **must sign in and register**

www.craigslist.org - search under food/retail/hospitality

www.hcareers.com -

www.indeed.com – search by zip code and key words or job title

www.hssstaffing.com – hospitality staffing – must register and sign in

www.Ihirehospitality.com – Jobs, trending jobs & skills in the career hospitality industry - **must register**

Jobs to consider if you want to travel while you work:

Tour Guide

Flight Attendant

Stagehand

Vendor

Travel Photographer

Event Coordinator

Chef

Translator

Musician

Travel Writer

Boat Captain

Diver

ESL Teacher

Travel Agent

Traveling Yoga Instructor

Construction Manager

Travel Nurse

Concierge

Spa Manager

Hotel Sales Coordinator

Airline Pilot

Training Specialist

Foreign Service

Travel Blog

Teach English Online

Scuba Diver Instructor

Videography

NGO (Non-Governmental Organization) Virtual Assistant

Digital Nomad

Cruise Ship or Yacht Worker

Peace Corps Volunteer or Staff

Ski Resort Staffer