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I wanted to support continuation - even expansion, if possible - of O*NET!

My colleague and I use it with college students on a routine basis as part of our job providing career development support. In conversations with other career professionals in the state of SC last week at a statewide consortium, 100% of us use O*NET and have a favorable view of this resource.

Also, I help train other career advisors through an online Global Career Development Facilitator class, where dozens of career advisors and counselors have been trained how to use O*NET and the various tools on this website to help clients ranging from One-stop users, to counseling patients, to high school or college students, to prisoners trying to prepare for return to life outside incarceration, and even military professionals transitioning from active duty.

I honestly cannot think of another resource which provides the same level of value to those who know about it and use it. If anything, if more people knew about it, I believe it would be even more widely used.

Not sure whether my voice is needed, but wanted to be on record as saying thank you to the federal government and Department of Labor for developing and maintaining this valuable online resource for our citizens and residents!

All the best,
Lynn Downie

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