WHO WE ARE

You may know us as the people who issue monthly jobs reports, train workforce professionals on finding and using labor market information, or the ones who make conference presentations. We are all those things and so much more.

In the nearly seven years since its establishment, the New York City Labor Market Information Service (NYCLMIS), housed at the CUNY Graduate Center, has evolved into the go-to place for action-oriented intelligence about the labor market.

Our mission is to help education and workforce practitioners and policy makers to make informed decisions so that they can help students and jobseekers achieve success in the labor market.

WHAT WE DO

We accomplish our mission by issuing research reports and briefs, providing training and strategic consultation, and developing tools for jobseekers and workforce professionals. Some recent examples include:

Reports and briefs
- Real-Time LMI: An Environmental Scan of Vendors and Workforce Development Users
- Careers in Health Information
- IT Grows in Brooklyn
- Employment in the Traveler Accommodation Industry

Training
- LMI 101: Demystifying Data
- LMI 201: Turning Information into Labor Market Intelligence

Strategic consulting
- CTE portfolio alignment analyses
- Mapping workforce services need
- WIOA in-demand occupation analyses

TOOLS
- Career exploration
- Career mapping
- Occupational profiles

OUR STRENGTHS

Depth. NYCLMIS keep current on emerging issues and the staffing and skill needs of several key industries in New York City.

Breadth. NYCLMIS has its finger on the pulse of an ever-evolving economy. We bring a “30,000-foot” view even to our most detailed work.

Rigor. Our methods are tried and true. We use the most current, reliable information, analyze it appropriately, and draw appropriate conclusions.

Objectivity. We are non-partisan and non-ideological. We have been applauded by both labor and industry for our factual, balanced analysis.

Creativity. The NYCLMIS has been at the forefront in using labor market intelligent in inventive ways and is nationally recognized as an innovator in:
- Real-time labor market information
- Evidence-based methodology for career pathway maps
- Implementing a framework for aligning workforce programs to industry demand

Customization. We listen to our clients’ questions and try to get at the answers by consulting conventional and novel sources of information. There are no one-size fits all solutions.

Our team. Our team of professionals comes from a variety of backgrounds – policy, planning, workforce operations, statistics, and research – bringing a multilayered perspective to all of our work. We by stay grounded in the work by maintaining close ties with providers. We remain current with cutting-edge research related to our field. Finally, we love our work.
CLIENTS PAST & PRESENT

New York City
New York City Department of Education
New York City Department of Small Business Services
Human Resources Administration
New York City Economic Development Corporation

New York State
New York State Department of Labor

City University of New York
Borough of Manhattan Community College
Kingsborough Community College
Queensborough Community College
Office of Adult Education and Workforce Development
Office of the Chancellor of CUNY

Private Sector
Brooklyn Chamber of Commerce
Fund for the City of New York
JobsFirstNYC
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HONORABLE MENTIONS

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