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ARTICLES – Choosing the Right Job

TITLE: Three hard truths I learned before moving to a non-academic career.
Author: Janelle Ward
Published: June 11, 2021
Topic: Your new manager likely doesn’t have a PhD, and she’s higher on the food chain because experience is more valued than a doctorate, says Janelle Ward
LINK: https://www.timeshighereducation.com/career/three-hard-truths-i-learned-moving-non-academic-career

TITLE: Career Exploration -- A Grand Experiment
Author: Briana Konnick
Published: April 27, 2020
Topic: For Ph.D.s, going on the job market can be a lot like conducting scientific research, writes Briana Konnick, who offers guidance and an iterative framework.
LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2020/04/27/scientific-way-phd-students-can-frame-their-career-explorations-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=7aba339426-WNU_COPY_02&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fc6c0421-7aba339426-197800013&mc_cid=7aba339426&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

Author: Karen Kelsky
Published: January 15, 2020
Topic: What if you simply don’t have pedagogical experience at the kind of college you’re targeting in your job search — and, thus, don’t understand the specific needs and issues of its student demographics?
LINK: https://www.chronicle.com/article/The-Professor-Is-In-What-if/247836

TITLE: Nonacademic Careers--Overcoming the Ph.D. Stereotype
Author: Jennifer Polk and L. Maren Wood

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Published: March 27, 2019  
Topic: Jennifer Polk and L. Maren Wood suggest three ways to rebrand yourself for a nonacademic career.  
LINK: http://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2019/03/27/three-ways-phds-can-rebrand-themselves-alt-ac-career-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=a60111e918-WNU_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-a60111e918-197800013&mc_cid=a60111e918&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba  

TITLE: Dual Job Searches Beyond the Professoriate, Tips  
Author: Erica Gobrogge  
Published: May 6, 2019  
Topic: The considerations compound when two Ph.D.s are looking together for job positions beyond academe, writes Erica Gobrogge, who provides a few tips for success.  

TITLE: Academic Careers You May Not Have Considered  
Author: David A. McDonald  
Published: May 21, 2018  
Topic: If a tenure-track faculty position is not in your future, you should consider many different types of jobs.  
LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2018/05/21/suggestions-alt-ac-careers-may-be-overlooked-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=77b96c960d-CI20180104_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-77b96c960d-197800013&mc_cid=77b96c960d&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba  

TITLE: Why I Left a Tenured Job for a Career in Policy  
Author: Katherine E. Bliss  
Published: September 12, 2018  
Topic: There are actually a great number of academics working in policy. Five pieces of advice for graduate students, recent Ph.D.s, and even midcareer professors on how to present yourself and your work for a short-term or more permanent shift to the policy world.  
LINK: https://www.chronicle.com/article/Why-I-Left-a-Tenured-Job-for-a/244486?cid=at&utm_source=at&utm_medium=en&elqTrackId=5e09a935a19d4380bfe6c4be2c2c04f3&elq=47636f423ecd4c4cb8989797c5472166&elqaid=20533&elqat=1&elqCampaignId=9662  

TITLE: Finding and Defining ‘Fit’ [in a Potential Job]  
Author: Rah K Lash  
Published: October 4, 2018  
Topic: RahK Lash identifies six ways to determine if a job is a good fit.  

TITLE: Why You Might Love Working at a Teaching College
Author: James M. Lang  
Published: October 30, 2016  
Topic: Our institution may not be your dream job, but it could well lead to a deeply satisfying career.  

TITLE: The Logistics of a Dual-Career Search  
Author: Julie Miller Vick and Jennifer S. Furlong  
Published: March 14, 2012  
Topic: Question--I'm preparing to go on the academic job market next year, and I have a two-career problem. How should my partner and I get started?  
LINK: https://www.chronicle.com/article/The-Logistics-of-a-Dual-Career/131140