PROCUREMENT & PAYABLES

Professional Organizations:
- National Association of Educational Procurement (NAEP)
- Institute for Supply Management (ISM)
- Virginia Association of State College & University Purchasing Professionals (VASCUPP)
- Association for Operations Management (APICS)
- NIGP The Institute for Public Procurement
- American Management Association (AMA)

Events & Training:
- UVa Center for Leadership Excellence classes
- SkillSoft classes
- NAEP events
- NAEP webcasts
- Legal Aspects of Procurement Webinar Series (NAEP)
- Conferences and Networking opportunities (ISM)
- NIGP events
- Procurement Leaders conferences
- American Management Association webinars & web events
- SACUBO College Business Management Institute

Education & Certifications:
- Certified Purchasing Manager (CPM) Program
- Certified Professional in Supply Management (CPSM) Program
- Certified Professional in Supplier Diversity (CPSD) Program
- APICS Certified in Production and Inventory Management (CPIM) Program
- Certificate in Procurement & Contracts Management - Undergraduate (UVa SCPS)
- Certificate in Procurement & Contracts Management - Graduate (UVa SCPS)
- Procurement & Contract Management Class (UVa SCPS)
- Certificate in Project Management (UVa SCPS)

Independent Learning: Publications:
- Procurement Leaders Magazine
- Harvard Business Review Procurement articles, books and case studies
- ISM Newsletters
- ISM Magazine
- Education Procurement Journal (NAEP)
- Inside Supply Management
- Journal of Supply Chain Management
Books:
The Procurement and Supply Manager's Desk Reference by Fred Sollish and John Semanik
Procurement 20/20: Supply Entrepreneurship in a Changing World by Peter Spiller, Nicolas Reinecke, Drew Ungerma, and Henrique Teixeira

Social Media:
NAEP Facebook
NAEP LinkedIn
ISM Facebook
ISM Twitter
NIGP: The Institute for Public Procurement Facebook
NIGP: The Institute for Public Procurement LinkedIn
ISM - Purchasing & Supply Chain Manager Professionals LinkedIn

Other Resources:
NAEP Research site
VASCUPP Higher Ed Purchasing Manual
NIGP Resource Center

On-the-job Resources:
Mentoring:
Management Mentors
National Mentoring Partnership
Center for Creative Leadership (CCL) mentoring information
Bringing People Together mentoring information
Virginia Mentoring Partnership
Free Management Library

Job Shadowing:
Careers Out There
"The Job Shadow Knows: Try on a Career Before You Commit"
About.com "Job Shadowing is Effective On-the-Job Training"
Success Mentor Education Inc. "Top 7 Questions to Ask on a Job Shadow Interview"

Informational Interviews/Networking
My UVa Career
"Mastering the Informational Interview" (NY Times)
"What is an Informational Interview Anyway?" (U.S. News & World Report)
Informational Interviewing: The Neglected Job Search Tool
"How Does an Informational Interview Work?"

360 degree feedback:
UVa Center for Leadership Excellence: Leadership Consulting, 360 Degree Feedback
custom insight: "What is 360 Degree Feedback?"
American Psychological Association "Do 360 Evaluations Work?"
Sigma Assessment Systems: Best Practices in 360 Degree Feedback
About.com: "Sample Questions for 360 Reviews" by Susan M. Heathfield
SkillSoft: 360-degree Performance Appraisal