

HOW TO FIND AN ALUM

Need questions answered about a potential job, internship, or move across the country? Don't have anyone who you can ask? Use these tooltips to find former and current students who you can connect with.

FIND THROUGH THE SKILLS EXPLORER

Skills Explorer found here: <https://iscareers.byu.edu/careerexplorer.html>

- Switch from Career Explorer tab to the Skills Explorer tab
- Use the dropdown lists
 - Right below the "Skills Explorer" heading to filter out irrelevant data
- Search for relevant organizations
- Find students that match the fields you are trying to find
 - If there is a name, hover on it and see what form of contact they have listed
 - If it simply says "Student" this student has not elected to share their information publicly
- Found a student? Contact them through their listed form of communication. If it says LinkedIn, find them on LinkedIn and send them a message or personalized

connection request. If you can't find a contact for a company you are interested in, come in and visit with Reid to access his connections.

Do not simply use the default connection request, let them know why you're trying to connect with a brief message. See [this link](#) for how to compose LinkedIn connection requests.

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IS Career Explorer Skills Explorer

Skills Explorer

Use these fields to filter results

Organization Name Placement Type Program Job Category Skill Search

This data is provided from BYU IS students and alumni. Using the Skill Search box, type a skill that interests you. If an alumni or student has reported using that skill in their employment, they will remain visible. If they are willing to be contacted, their preferred contact method will be shown in the tooltip.

Alumni & Student Skills

Organization Name	Placement Ty.	Location	Job Title	Student
3M	Internship	Murray, UT	Developer	Student
		Murray, UT	Business Intelligence Intern	Shayla Gale
Academy District 20	Internship	Colorado Springs, CO	Private Contractor	Student
Academy Mortgage Corporation	Internship	Draper, UT	Custom App Development Intern	Kory
Adobe Systems, Inc.	Full-Time	Lehi, UT	SRE	Alex
		San Jose, CA	Software Developer	Mich
	Internship	Lehi, UT	Business Analyst Intern	Laur
			Intern - Platform Services	Student
			Product Management Intern	Kat Healy Quinn
		San Jose, CA	Computer Scientist - iOS Engineer	Student
			Solution Developer Intern	Jeremy Ni
		Seattle, WA	Product Manager	Student
Agency Pipeline	Internship	Bloomfield, NY	Software Developer	Remington Steele
AgriNorthwest (AgReserves)	Internship	Kennewick, WA	IS/PM Intern	Jerika Ostler
Alaska Airlines	Internship	Seattle, WA	Data Analyst Intern	Kyle Finneman
Amazon	Full-Time	Herndon, VA	Solutions Architect	Thomas J Christensen
	Internship	Seattle, WA	Business Analyst Intern	Jared Facer
			Business Intelligence Engineer Intern	John Lim
American Bank of Commerce	Internship	Lindon, UT	Loan Systems Analyst & Technical Sup..	Nicholas Banks
			Software & Systems Analyst	Student
American Express	Internship	Phoenix, AZ	Information Security Analyst	Jolene Hammond

Hover over a name, look for their contact information

FIND THROUGH LINKEDIN

Option 1: Search through Alumni, go to the BYU page, select Alumni tab

The screenshot shows the LinkedIn profile of Brigham Young University. The page header includes the LinkedIn logo, a search bar, and navigation links: Home, My Network, Jobs, Messaging, Notifications, Me, and Work. The main header features the BYU logo, the university's name, location (Provo, UT), and follower count (262,270). Below this is a banner image of the BYU campus and a "Follow" button. The left sidebar contains navigation links: Home, About, Life, Jobs, Alumni (highlighted with a red box), and Ads. The main content area displays "6,952 alumni" with filters for "Start year" (1900) and "End year" (2020). A search bar is present with the text "Search alumni by title, keyword or company". Below the search bar are "Google" and "Clear all" buttons. A red box with the text "Scroll down to see alumni profiles" and a red arrow points to the "Alumni" tab. The bottom section shows a bar chart titled "Where they live" with data for United States (6,733), Provo, Utah Area (2,196), and Greater Salt Lake City Area (1,377). To the right, a bar chart shows "Where they work" with data for Google (273), Brigham Young University (235), and Qualtrics (55). A "Show more" link is at the bottom.

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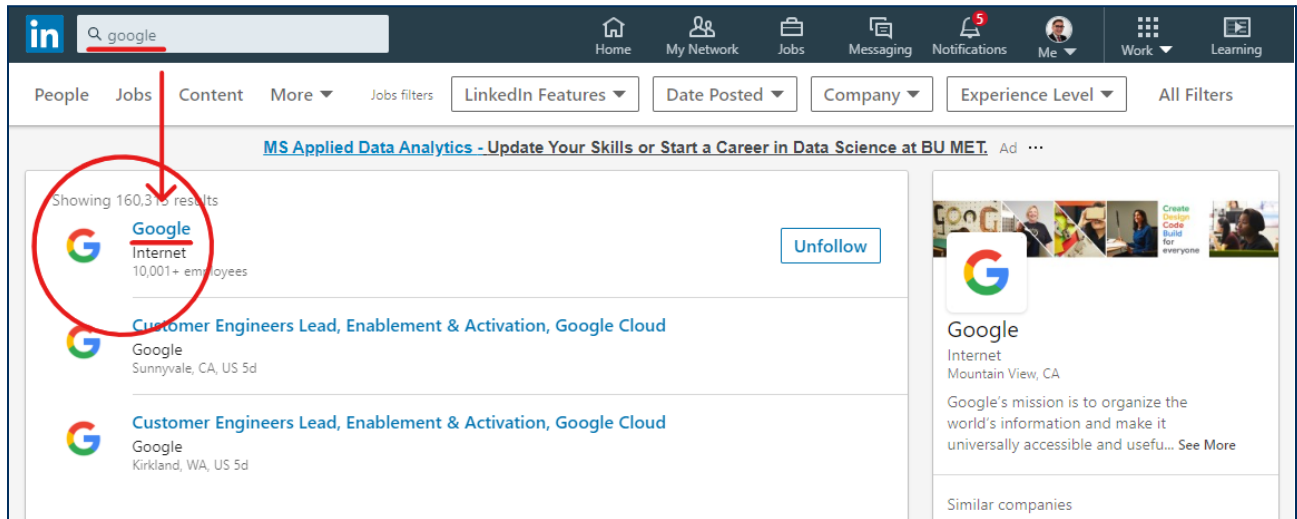
Where they work

Company	Count
Google	273
Brigham Young University	235
Qualtrics	55

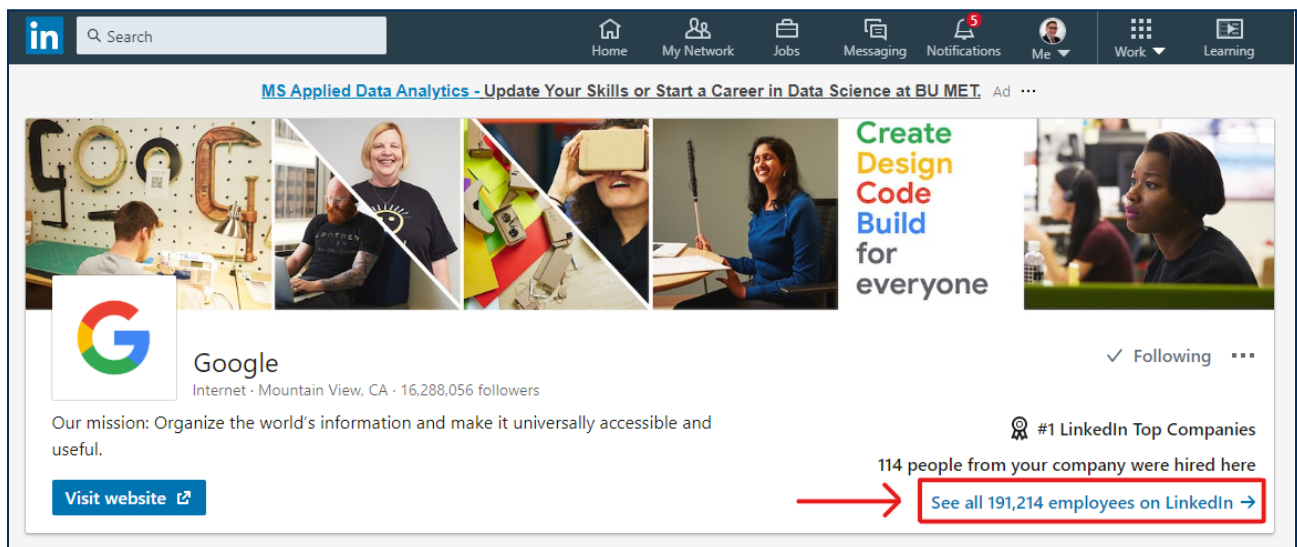
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Option 2: Search for a company

- Search for your company of interest



- Click on the company and click on "See all employees"



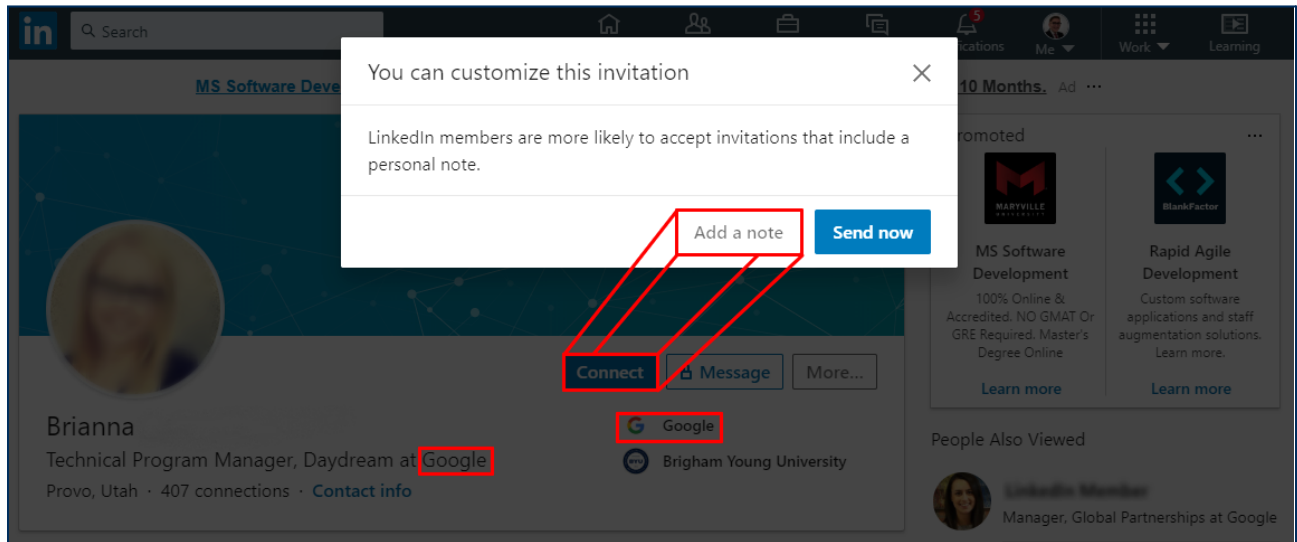
- It may potentially bring up some Alumni who have worked at the company or current students who have had internships there who you could potentially connect with already (as shown), but if not, click on the "All Filters" button

The screenshot shows the LinkedIn search interface. At the top, there's a search bar and navigation links. Below the search bar, the 'All Filters' button is highlighted with a red box. A red arrow points from this button to the search results. The search results show a list of people, with the first person, Eric, having 'Brigham Young University' listed as his current company, which is also highlighted with a red box. To the right, there are promoted ads for 'Earn Your MS in 18 Mos.' and 'Computer Science Degrees'.

- Under schools, search “Brigham Young University,” selecting all applicable schools, including the Marriott School. Feel free to apply different filters that might also help you find people based on locations/current companies/etc

The screenshot shows the 'All people filters' dialog in LinkedIn. It has several sections for filtering search results. The 'Schools' section on the right is highlighted with a red box, and a red arrow points to it. Below this, a list of schools is shown, with 'Brigham Young University' at the top, also highlighted with a red box. Other schools listed include 'Brigham Young University - UT, United States', 'Brigham Young University - Ida...', 'Brigham Young University - Ha...', 'Brigham Young University Marr...', and 'Brigham Young University Colle...'. The 'Current companies' section on the right lists companies like Google, YouTube, X, Adometry, and Microsoft. The 'Locations' section lists countries like United States, San Francisco Bay Area, India, Greater New York City Area, and United Kingdom. The 'Past companies' section lists companies like Google, Microsoft, IBM, Oracle, and Amazon. The 'Industries' section lists industries like Internet, Tech, Information Technology & Services, Marketing & Advertising, and Staffing & Recruiting. The 'Profile language' section lists languages like English, Spanish, French, German, and Chinese. The 'Connections' section lists connection types like 1st, 2nd, and 3rd+. The 'Contact interests' section is at the bottom left. The 'Services' section is at the bottom middle. The 'First name' section is at the bottom right.

- Once you have found an alumnus/alumna, you can double check to see if they work at Google or have worked there. Click connect, and make sure to add a personalized note*

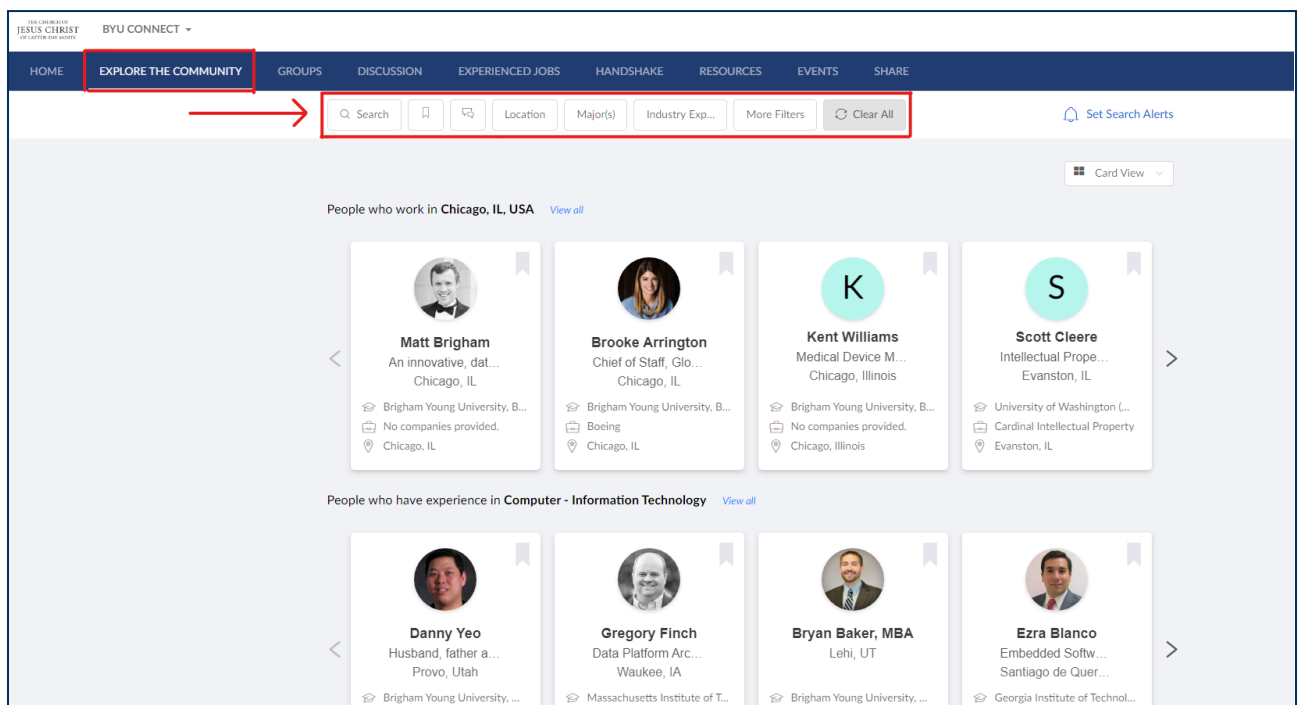


*Many people won't accept your connection without a note. See [this link](#) for how to compose a connection request

FIND THROUGH BYU CONNECT

Open the BYU Connect page: <https://www.ldsces.org/hub/byu/>

- Click “JOIN TODAY” and create an account using your BYU NetID by clicking “SIGN IN WITH SCHOOL ID”
- BYU Connect is a tool similar to LinkedIn, but only those who have attended BYU are on it. This is a great tool to find alumni who have had experiences that you would like to know more about.
- Use the “EXPLORE THE COMMUNITY” tab and search filters to find alumni that relate to you

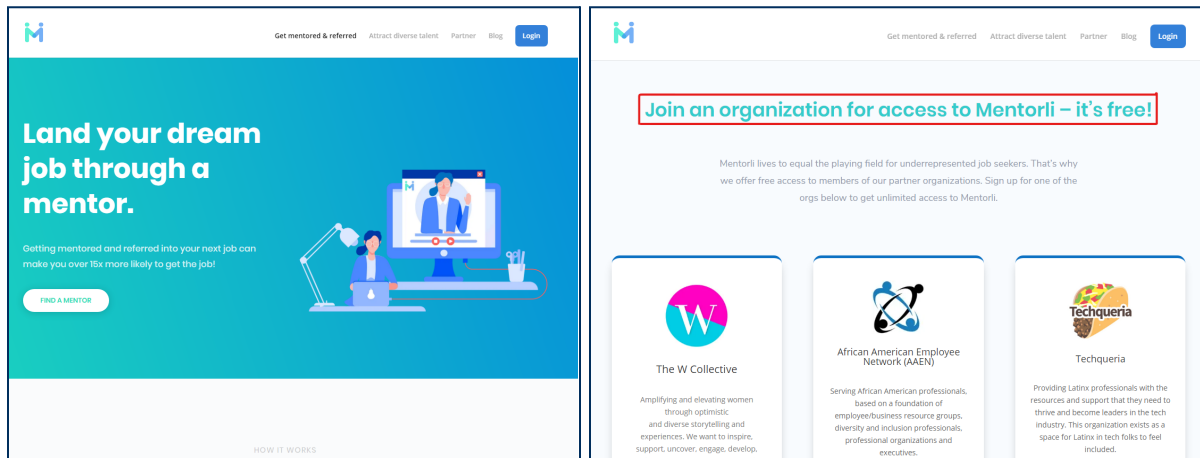


- Find an alumni, go to their page and click on “LET’S CONNECT”, and draft your message. You can also find them on LinkedIn and connect there!

If you have questions, find more info here: <https://studentalumni.byu.edu/>

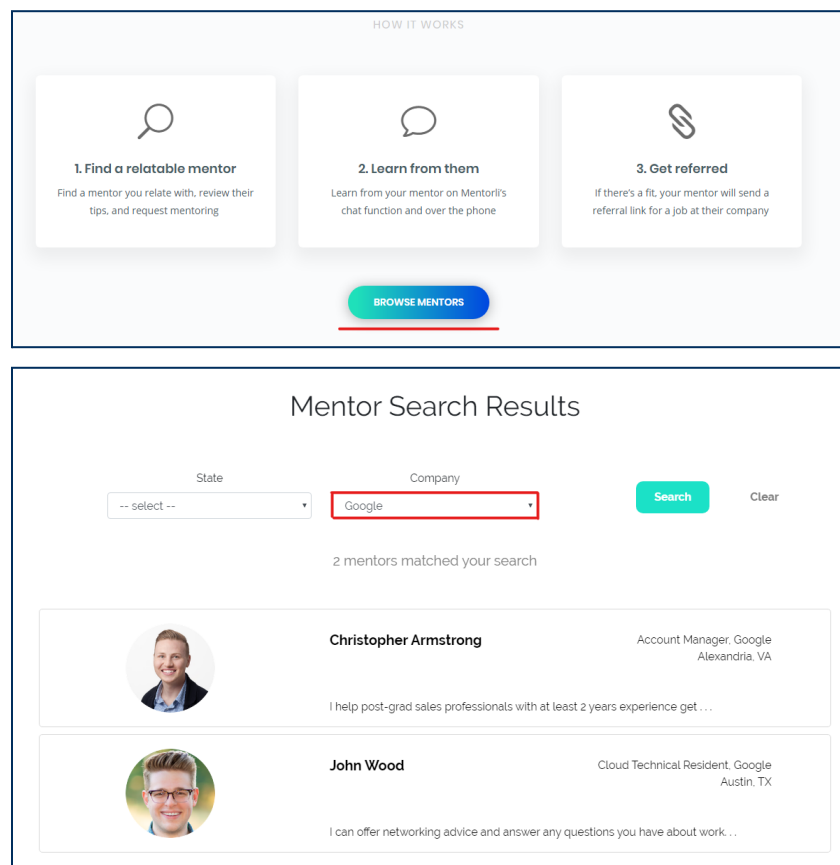
FIND THROUGH MENTORLI

Login/signup and join an organization for unlimited access to Mentorli



OR

Scroll down from the landing page, click browse mentors, and search for mentors to connect with on LinkedIn or Mentorli.



FIND CURRENT STUDENTS THROUGH AIS SLACK

AIS Slack: for access, email ais@byu.edu or contact one of the IS Career Specialists at iscareerservices@gmail.com and we can help you

- Once you are a member, feel free to reach out in any of the various Slack Channels for help and advice from current students

