

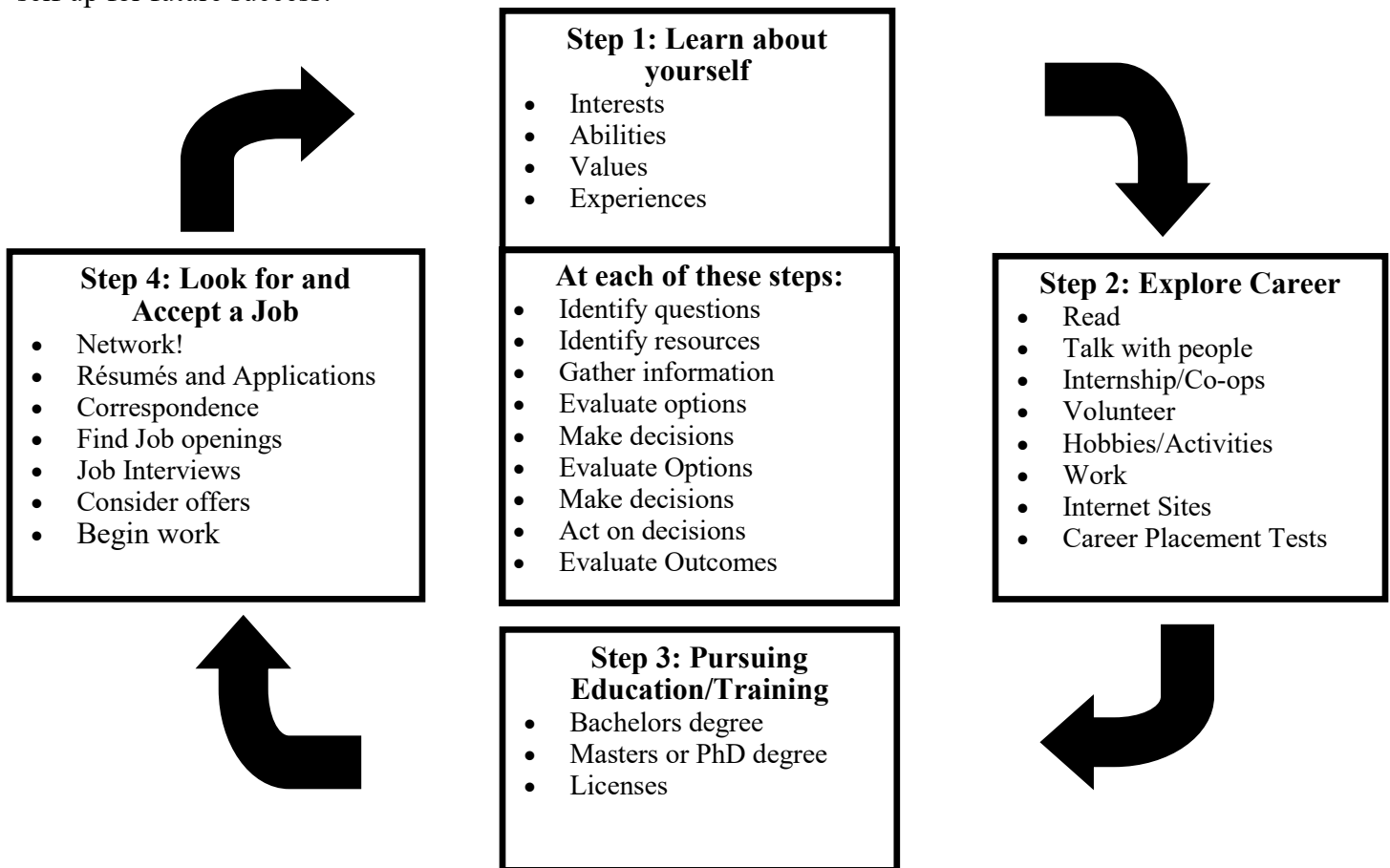
# The Career Development Process

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**Your career development is a lifelong process!** Statistics show that:

- People have 9 different jobs in a lifetime, Possibly 3 different careers, One career you may have in the future doesn't even exist now!
- People have five-seven jobs by the time they are 30
- The average time an employee stays at a job is now only 3.6 yrs.

It is imperative that you begin now to learn the steps of the "Career Development Process" in order to set yourself up for future success!



## Great Resources for Exploration:

- **Indiana Career Explorer**: <http://www.indianacareerexplorer.com/> - an on-line tool available to Indiana residents and students to explore career interests and skills and identify occupations.
- **Occupational Outlook Handbook**: <http://www.bls.gov/ooh/> - this site gives detailed information on hundreds of different career options.
- **Petersons.com**: <http://www.petersons.com/> - The "go to" site for exploring graduate school programs
- **Go to the Career Development Office!**