

**iRELAUNCH COMPREHENSIVE LIST OF
CAREER REENTRY PROGRAMS WORLDWIDE**
(at Universities, Employers, Government Agencies, Professional
Associations and Foundations) June 2011 updated

BACKGROUND:

There has been an explosion of career reentry programs since 2004, when the topic of career reentry began to gain steam in the media and as a research topic for academics. In October 2008, our first list included 57 programs worldwide, at universities, employers, government agencies, professional associations, and foundations. Only nine of these 57 programs, or 16%, existed prior to 2004. Domestically, six of 43, or almost 14%, existed prior to 2004.

Now, June 2011, we are updating the list. At this point we have 79 total programs identified since we began the list (note we don't double count programs that are offered jointly between a school and a company, although we list them separately).

Help us keep the list current and accurate! Please contact us at info@iRelaunch.com to let us know about additions or corrections to the list.

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Washington, D.C.

Lawyer Re-Entry Program: *Reconnect, Refocus, and Reclaim Your Legal Career*

<http://www.wcl.american.edu/reentry/>

6 day program over three weeks, \$2500

2) AUSTRALIAN GRADUATE SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT (WITH UBS),

NOT REPEATING

Kensington, Australia

Career Comeback for Professional Women Reentering the Workforce

<http://www2.agsm.edu.au/agsm/web.nsf/Content/ExecutiveEdPrograms-cc>

2 day program, free (underwritten by UBS)

3) BARUCH COLLEGE, ZICKLIN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS, NEW YORK, NY

NOT REPEATING

Opting Back In

3 day program, \$975. Ran in 2008

4) BENTLEY UNIVERSITY, WALTHAM, MA

More Opportunities for Mom (MOM): Helping Women Professionally Refocus, Reinvent, Reconnect

http://www.bentley.edu/wli/documents/WLI_MOM_Flyer_%2710.pdf

4 three hour sessions over 8 weeks, \$400

5) CEDARS SINAI REENTRY PROGRAM

<http://www.cedars-sinai.edu/Medical-Professionals/Resources-for-Physicians/Reentry-Program.aspx>

6) COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, COLUMBIA BUSINESS SCHOOL (ORIGINALLY WITH MERRILL LYNCH, NOW BANK OF AMERICA), NEW YORK, NY

NOT REPEATING

Greater Returns

<https://www4.gsb.columbia.edu/execed/forms/execed4>

3 day program, \$350

7) DARTMOUTH COLLEGE, TUCK SCHOOL OF BUSINESS, HANOVER, NH

ON HOLD

[Back in Business: Invest in Your Return](#)

11 day residential program, \$6,950 (partially underwritten by corporate sponsors)

Last ran 2008

8) DREXEL PHYSICIAN REFRESHER/RE-ENTRY

<http://webcampus.drexelmed.edu/refresher/default.asp>

9) HARFORD COMMUNITY COLLEGE, BEL AIR, MD

Computer Training for Reentry Women Certificate Program

http://www.harford.edu/Schedule/U_noncrweb.asp?FA=ContEd&SelectionType=4&GroupChoice=RW

4 courses, 2-5 sessions each, \$90-\$180 per course

10) HARVARD UNIVERSITY, HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL, BOSTON, MA

A New Path: Setting New Professional Directions

<http://www.exed.hbs.edu/programs/path/>

7 day residential program, \$5,500

11) HARVARD UNIVERSITY, HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL, BOSTON, MA

Charting Your Course: Discovering Working Options

<http://www.alumni.hbs.edu/careers/cyc.html>

2 day program, \$500

12) LIPSCOMB UNIVERSITY, NASHVILLE, TN

IN DEVELOPMENT

Elevate Women: Rekindle Your Career

September 10, 17, 24, 2009 plus flexible coaching dates, \$650 general, \$500 alum

13) LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS (WITH UBS), LONDON, ENGLAND

NOT REPEATING

Career Comeback for Professional Women Reentering the Workforce

<http://www.lse.ac.uk/collections/execEd/UBSCareerComeback.htm>

3 day program, free (underwritten by UBS). Last run 2008

14) LONDON BUSINESS SCHOOL/UVA DARDEN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

LONDON, ENGLAND

Reentering the Workforce

2 day program led by Connie English, Director, Alumni Career Services at Darden, £125

15) MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, CAMBRIDGE, MA

Career Reengineering Program

<http://web.mit.edu/professional/career-reengineering/>

4 day boot camp, semester long course, internship, \$12,700

16) NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, KELLOGG SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT,

EVANSTON, IL

Re-entering the Workforce

<https://kellogg alumni.northwestern.edu/Events/EventView.asp?EventID=2642&headingid=&override> 2 day program, \$140.

17) NURSING KNOWLEDGE INTERNATIONAL (ONLINE)

Return to Nursing Refresher Program

<http://www.nursingknowledge.org/Portal/main.aspx?PageID=36&SKU=79526>

40-60 hours covering general nursing fundamentals. \$350

18) OPEN UNIVERSITY, ON LINE, UNITED KINGDOM

Return to Science, Engineering and Technology

<http://www3.open.ac.uk/courses/bin/p12.dll?C01T161>

10 week on line course, £185

19) OREGON HEALTH AND SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

NEW

Physician Reentry Program

http://www.physicianreentry.org/yahoo_site_admin/assets/docs/OHSUspotlight_Gilholly_edits.30294701.pdf

20) PACE UNIVERSITY, PACE LAW SCHOOL (WITH WESTCHESTER WOMEN'S BAR ASSOCIATION), WHITE PLAINS, NY

[New Directions: Practical Skills for Returning to Law Practice Reentry Program.](#)

7 day boot camp, semester long class, internship, 2 years CLE credits, \$6,000/\$10,000.

**21) PHYSICIAN ASSESSMENT AND CLINICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM (PACE)
(UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO)**

<http://www.paceprogram.ucsd.edu/>

22) PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, WOODROW WILSON SCHOOL, PRINCETON, NJ

NOT REPEATING

Pathways to Public Service: A Workshop on Re-entering the Workforce

Ran 2008, Cancelled 2009. 3 day program, free (underwritten by Woodrow Wilson)

23) RETURN TO STEM, SHEFFIELD HALLETT UNIVERSITY, UK NEW

3 day course over 3 months for women interested in returning to STEM fields after a career break; 400 GBP

http://www.theukrc.org/files/useruploads/files/events/2010_10_21_return_to_stem_final_version.pdf

24) SINGAPORE MANAGEMENT UNIVERSITY (WITH UBS), SINGAPORE

NOT REPEATING

Career Comeback for Professional Women Reentering the Workforce

http://www.smu.edu.sg/executive_education/programmes/2008/ucc08/index.asp

2 day program, free (underwritten by UBS). Last offered 2008

25) STANFORD GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS, STANFORD, CA

NOT REPEATING

What's Next – A Career Reentry and Development Series

7 weekly sessions, \$695

26) STANFORD GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS/UVA DARDEN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS NEW

Re-entering the Workforce

<http://alumni.gsb.stanford.edu/career/events/career032310.html>

2 day program led by Connie English, Director, Alumni Career Services at Darden \$150, Stanford/UVA alums only

27) UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY, HAAS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS,

NOT REPEATING

Berkeley, CA Re-entering the Business World

http://execdev.haas.berkeley.edu/ApplicationFiles/web/WebFrame.cfm?web_id=714.

1 day program, \$95; Note: ran in 2006, 2007, not 2008, 2009

28) UNIV OF CA SAN FRANCISCO, HASTINGS COLLEGE OF THE LAW, SAN FRANCISCO, CA

Opting Back In: Helping Attorneys Return to the Law

<http://www.pardc.org/Optin/>

90 minute teleconference twice a month, \$150 per month for two 90 minute calls

29) U OF PENN, WHARTON SCHOOL (W/ UBS) PHILADELPHIA, PA

NOT REPEATING

Career Comeback for Professional Women Reentering the Workforce

<http://executiveeducation.wharton.upenn.edu/resources/news-and-events/press-release.cfm?newsID=0C30D3C22F73B234EB7FDAF8C5ECFDA8>

3 day program, free (underwritten by UBS). Last offered 2008

30) UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO SCHOOL OF LAW, TORONTO, ONT NEW

Women in Transition,

2 day program, \$695 CDN

http://www.law.utoronto.ca/ExecutiveEducation/women10_brochure.pdf

31) UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, DARDEN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS, CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA

Re-entering the Workforce

Contact: alumni-careerservices@darden.virginia.edu

2 day program led by Connie English, Director, Alumni Career Services at Darden

32) UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO, RICHARD IVEY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

(with CIBC), London, Ontario

Reconnect: Career Renewal for Returning Professional Women

<http://www.ivey.uwo.ca/executive/reconnect/>

7 day residential program, \$3,500 CDN (largely underwritten by CIBC and Ivey).

33) UPSTATE NEW YORK CLINICAL COMPETENCY CENTER OF ALBANY MEDICAL COLLEGE

<http://www.amc.edu/academic/Undergraduate/ClinicalFacilities.html>

34) WELLESLEY COLLEGE, WELLESLEY, MA

Shifting Gears

<http://www.wellesley.edu/CWS/ShiftingGear09.pdf>

1.5 day program, \$50, Women in career transition program for alumnae on career break.

35) WISCONSIN PHYSICIAN ASSESSMENT CENTER (UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AND PUBLIC HEALTH)

<http://www.ocpd.wisc.edu/>

36) XAVIER UNIVERSITY, WILLIAMS COLLEGE OF BUSINESS, MASON, OH

NOT REPEATING

Back to Business: A Workforce Re-entry Program for Professional Women

12 day program; \$1,600

**37) YALE SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT / UVA DARDEN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS
NY, NY NOT REPEATING?**

Reentering the Workforce, for Yale and Darden alumni in New York City

http://mba.yale.edu/alumni/news/alumni_calendar/2008/ny092208.shtml

2 day program, \$25 (partially underwritten by Yale and Darden)

Employer Programs: (all no charge unless indicated)

1) AMERICAN EXPRESS

American Express Project Resource Team. See page 3 of:

http://home3.americanexpress.com/corp/gb/cresp/pdf/cresp_employees.pdf

Internal Consulting Team for high performing employees on career break

2) BANK OF AMERICA

NOT REPEATING

Career Connections, announced November 2008 in this blog, no website:

<http://www.bridgepartnersllc.com/Article/Print/13/HARVARD-BUSINESS-PUBLISHING-Gender-Diversity-and-the-Financial-Sector.ashx>

Program to connect with mid to senior level professionals interested in a one to three year career break. 2008 focuses on B of A alums; 2009 focuses on non-alums also.

Social events, peer coaching, development of “on-ramp” and “off-ramp” plan before leaving

3) BBN TECHNOLOGIES CAMBRIDGE, MA

ON HOLD

Technical Relaunchers Initiative

<http://irelaunch.com/docs/bbnrelaunch2009.pdf>

Four three month, paid internships at Cambridge, MA headquarters, possibly leading to permanent employment. Specifically for returning computer scientists, electrical engineers, technologists. Began 2009

4) BOOZ ALLEN HAMILTON

NEW

Comeback Kids Program

<http://www.boozallen.com/careers/find-your-job/former-booz-allen-employees>

5) Booz & Co.

NOT REPEATING?

Adjunct Program (Old Contract Consulting pool at pre-split BAH)

Contract pool of consultants on career break

6) CINCINNATI CHILDREN’S HOSPITAL, CINCINNATI, OH

Nurses Returning to the Workforce Program

<http://www.cincinnatichildrens.org/careers/apply/default.htm>

Employment opportunity with individualized on-site training

7) ERNST & YOUNG, LONDON, ENGLAND

Back to Practice

<http://www.ey.com/UK/en/About-us/Our-people/About-EY---Diversity-and-inclusiveness---Attracting#opportunities>

1 day updating and networking program, plus ongoing recruiting

8) GENERAL ELECTRIC, BANGALORE, INDIA

RESTART at GE John F. Welch Technology Center

Hires female technologists and engineers returning from career break at this largest of GE's global research centers

Apply by emailing restart.ifwtc@ge.com

9) GOLDMAN SACHS NEW YORK, NY

New Directions/Returnships

<http://www2.goldmansachs.com/our-firm/our-people/diversity/programs-and-initiatives/returnship.html>

1 day updating program, 10 week internships

10) HONEYWELL INTERNATIONAL (WITH SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS)

NOT REPEATING

Honeywell Initiative for Returning Engineers (HIRE) Program, nationwide

<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=37469455658>

Full time job, mentoring, Society of Women Engineers conference, coursework

11) MERRILL LYNCH/BANK OF AMERICA(WITH COLUMBIA BUSINESS SCHOOL)

GREATER RETURNS, NEW YORK, NY

NOT REPEATING

3 day program, \$350 (partially underwritten by Merrill Lynch)

12) MERRILL LYNCH

NOT REPEATING

Financial Advisor Career Events – targeting men and women returning to the workforce

2 hour evening program

13) METLIFE INVESTMENTS MORRISTOWN, NJ

NOT REPEATING

Metlife Take Two (this link is for their reentry resources)

1 day updating and career advice program, ran in 2007

14) SARA LEE CORPORATION DOWNERS GROVE, IL

Returnships @ Sara Lee

<http://www.saralee.com/UnitedStates/Returnships.aspx>

Originally a 4 month paid internship at Sara Lee's Downers Grove, IL headquarters in accounting, finance, legal, brand management for those out of the workforce at least one year. Now returning professionals apply to any open position - the application is flagged as a "returnship" person and special attention is paid to its progress.

15) SUTTER HEALTH (NON-PROFIT HEALTH CARE NETWORK), NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Sutter Health Nursing Reentry program

http://www.sutterhealth.org/nursing/nr_newgrads.html

Classroom/clinical updating for nurses on break who are returning to acute care setting

16) THOUGHTWORKS (TECHNOLOGY CONSULTING) NOT REPEATING

Back to IT Training, London, England

<http://www.thoughtworks.com/work-for-us/back-to-IT.html>

4 week program focusing on developing Java programming skills, competitive process; 12 accepted. Three hired at ThoughtWorks in 2007.

17) UBS NOT REPEATING

Career Comeback for Professional Women Reentering the Workforce

2 or 3 day program depending on location

At Wharton: <http://executiveeducation.wharton.upenn.edu/open-enrollment/leadership-development-programs/ubs-career-comeback-professional-women.cfm>

At Singapore Management University:

http://www.smu.edu.sg/executive_education/programmes/2008/ucc08/index.asp

At Australian Graduate School of Management:

<http://www2.agsm.edu.au/agsm/web.nsf/Content/ExecutiveEdPrograms-cc>

At London School of Economics:

****Now gone, but must mention; was an excellent model****

LEHMAN BROTHERS

Encore Program, New York, London, Tokyo, Hong Kong

1 day updating program, on going recruiting of ex-finance professionals on career break

Extended Leave Programs:

For existing employees who want to take a multi-year career break and return to the same firm. Mentoring, social events, on-line courses, ad hoc consulting assignments are offered depending on program. Benefits suspended except for IBM. Eligibility for some programs is performance based.

1) BDO USA, LLP

BDO offers a strong family leave policy that includes nine weeks of fully paid leave for new biological and adoptive parents, and a return-to-work program to give new parents the resources and support that they need.

<http://www.bdo.com/careers/students/totalrewards/timeoff.aspx>

2) CISCO SYSTEMS

Cisco's "Off/On Ramp" enables employees to take a 12- to 24-month unpaid break from their career, with Cisco paying for the employee's (and employee's family members') benefits during the first year.

http://www.cisco.com/web/about/ac227/ac111/cisco_and_employees/worklife_programs.html

3) DELOITTE

Personal Pursuits 5 year Extended Leave

http://www.deloitte.com/view/en_US/us/About/Womens-Initiative/Redesigning-the-Workplace/index.htm

2) ELI LILLY

Eli Lilly 3 year Dependent Care Leave Program

http://www.lilly.com/pdf/fte_benefits_brochure.pdf

3) IBM

IBM 3 year Extended Leave Program

<http://www-03.ibm.com/ibm/history/documents/pdf/hr.pdf> See "leave of absence"

4)KPMG

KPMG's *myLifestyle* program offers a choice of lifestyle options, including career breaks and paid parental leave.

<http://www.kpmg.com/AU/EN/JOINUS/WHYKPMG/REWARDS-BENEFITS/Pages/Lifestyle-Benefits.aspx>

5) PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS

Full Circle 5 year Extended Leave

<http://www.pwc.com/gx/en/womens-initiatives/us-full-circle.jhtml>

6) RSM

Flex Careers 5 year extended leave program

7) SKADDEN

Side Bar 3 year Extended Leave

<http://www.skadden.com/Index.cfm?contentID=188>

8) TOWRY LAW (650 EMPLOYEE U.K. WEALTH MANAGEMENT AND FINANCIAL PLANNING FIRM)

Return to Work

http://www.towry.com/_pdf/PR080513-01.pdf

Effort to recruit women returning from career break. 22 week program working towards the Chartered Insurance Institute's Chartered Financial Planner qualification.

Government Agency and Professional Association Programs:

1) AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION NEW YORK, NY

Back to Business Law

<http://www.abanet.org/dch/committee.cfm?com=CL999500>

Continuing legal ed and informal networking opportunities for attorneys on leave, monthly speakers series at NYC law firms, free

2) GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRALIA, ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING

Nurse Scholarship Program: National Nurse Re-entry Scheme

<http://www.rcna.org.au/scholarships/nahssscpd>

For nurses out of workforce at least 5 years. Scholarships are worth up to \$6,000 each for up to two years of study in an accredited or approved Australian nursing program

3) GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRALIA, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING

Bringing Nurses Back into the Workforce Program

<http://www.health.gov.au/internet/ministers/publishing.nsf/Content/mr-yr08-nr-nr008.htm>

Program awarding bonuses to nurses returning to the workforce after at least 1 year out

4) DAPHNE JACKSON TRUST (U. K. FOUNDATION)

Daphne Jackson Fellowship

<http://www.daphnejackson.org>

2 year flexible, paid, part time research fellowships at universities or in industry for those on career break from SET careers

5) BRITISH COMPUTER SOCIETY WOMEN'S FORUM/EU EQUALITEC (E.U. FUNDED ORGANIZATION TO PROMOTE GENDER EQUALITY IN TECHNOLOGY, ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATIONS)

Get Back & Get On Career Workshops

http://www.equalitec.org.uk/Main/events/get_back_bet_on_BCS_Equalitec_wrkshop.html

One day workshops: a) Internet & Computing with BBC and Google, b) Health Informatics and Medical Imaging with Fujitsu, Kodak, and the U.K. National Health Service. Ran for the first time May 2008

6) EUROPEAN MOLECULAR BIOLOGY ORGANIZATION (INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION)

EMBO Long Term Fellowships for Scientific Researchers

<http://www.embo.org/programmes/fellowships/long-term.html>

2 year research fellowships for those on career break from scientific research careers

7) GREATER NEW YORK AUTOMOBILE DEALERS ASSOCIATION

NOT REPEATING

Women in the Driver's Seat: Automotive Career Forum for Women

<http://blogs.edmunds.com/strategies/2007/11/gnyada-hosts-forum-for-women-in-the-auto-industry-a-multi-taskers-dream.html>

1 day program for those entering or re-entering careers in retail auto industry, ran in 2006, 2007, not 2008, 2009

8) ICAEW, BRITISH ACCOUNTANCY AND FINANCE PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION

ACA Technical update refresher

http://www.icaew.com/index.cfm/route/158372/icaew_ga/en/Qualifications/Qualifications

Experts from ICAEW give members an overview of technical developments since 2000 in IT, ethics, financial reporting, audit & assurance and business law.

9) ICAEW, BRITISH ACCOUNTANCY AND FINANCE PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION

Narrowing the Gap program for accountants in the UK

http://www.icaew.com/index.cfm/route/158849/icaew_ga/en/Members/Member_initiatives/Narrowing_the_gap/Narrowing_the_Gap

10) INDIE TRAINING FUND

Free course for women returners to TV

<http://www.indietrainingfund.com/home/>

The course is for women working in TV who have taken a career break for maternity or other reasons, or are about to do so. The course is lead by Sue Ahern and Helen Black of Creative People, who specialize in helping individuals realize their potential. Creative People recruits, trains and coaches people in the broadcasting business. Course takes place in London.

11) L'OREAL AND U.K. RESOURCE CENTER IN SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY (SET)

Fellowships for Women in Science

<http://www.womeninscience.co.uk/>

3 scholarships of £10,000 each to PhD women scientists and engineers returning to academic careers after at least a 1 year break. Prize money can be used for childcare

costs, to employ an assistant, or do whatever recipients feel necessary to enable them to continue with their research in a way that suits them and their lifestyles.

12) MINERVA FOUNDATION, VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA

Minerva Helping Women Work

<http://www.theminervafoundation.com/programs/economic-security-program/minerva-helping-women-work-program/>

11 hours per week for 8 weeks; in depth assessment, career advising, mentoring and recruiting assistance

13) NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN LAWYERS (NAWL)

NOT REPEATING

Ready to On-Ramp Program (link is for NAWL resources, not program)

<http://www.nawl.org/content.asp?pl=311&sl=337&contentid=337>

1 day program held in Washington, D.C. 2007 and Chicago 2008 \$30 (partially underwritten by NAWL and sponsors). Did not run in 2009.

14) NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH (NIH)

Reentry Grants for those returning to biomedical or behavioral research careers

See <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-08-191.html> and

<http://www.nigms.nih.gov/Research/Mechanisms/PromoteReentry.htm>

Up to 3 years support for those returning from a career break. Must attach to existing NIH grant

15) NEW YORK CITY BAR ASSOCIATION

Break from the Law

<http://www.nycbar.org/LegalCareerCenter/Programs.htm>

Ongoing series of events for lawyers on career break, pricing varies depending on event

16) SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY FACILITIES COUNCIL (U.K. BASED)

Post Doctoral and Advanced Fellowships – “Returners” strongly encouraged to apply.

<http://www.stfc.ac.uk/Grants/Fells/SandS/contents.aspx>

Up to 3 year grant, institutions where research will take place are encouraged to provide mentorship and updating as part of hosting grant recipient

17) UK RESOURCE CENTER IN SCIENCE, ENGINEERING, TECHNOLOGY (SET)

Career Reentry Workshop

<http://www.ukrc4setwomen.org/>

1 day workshop for professionals returning to careers in SET, free

ABOUT THE LIST:

iRelaunch's Comprehensive List of Career Reentry Programs Worldwide was compiled by Carol Fishman Cohen and Vivian Steir Rabin, co-authors of career reentry strategy book *Back on the Career Track: A Guide for Stay-at-Home Moms Who Want to Return to Work* (Warner Books), and the co-founders of iRelaunch.

iRelaunch "the Return to Work Experts™" provides career reentry programming for employers, universities, organizations, and for mid-career professionals in all stages of career break. iRelaunch's signature event, the iRelaunch Return to Work Conference, is a one day event where mid-career professionals on career break and the employers interested in meeting them gather for a day of education and networking in a university setting. Employer sponsors include Accenture, Bank of America, Bloomberg, Choate, Hall & Stewart, Credit Suisse, Deutsche Bank, Goldman Sachs, IBM, Metlife Investments, Morgan Stanley Smith Barney, Sara Lee, Staples, and more. See www.returntoworkconference.com for details.

Cohen and Rabin have presented their career reentry strategies to over 7,200 people at nearly 120 events, nationally and internationally, since 2006. Both graduates of Harvard Business School, Cohen, a mother of four, and Rabin, a mother of five, resumed their careers after multi-year career breaks. Cohen's relaunch is documented in a Harvard Business School case study. Their Back on the Career Track® blog is a regular feature on Yahoo Shine. Ms. Cohen, Ms. Rabin, *Back on the Career Track* and iRelaunch are frequently featured in the national press. iRelaunch was awarded the 2007 Workplace Innovations Award by the Women's Leadership Institute of Bentley University "for outstanding commitment to creating innovative workplace policies that help women achieve professional success".