

# **Benefits Of Working Contract**

## • Flexibility with work hours

 If you require to have flexibility in your work hours or work days, employers tend to be more flexible when dealing with contract staff because you are only paid for the hours that you work.

### • Exposure to more companies

o Many companies hire more on a contract basis than they do on a full time basis – limiting your opportunity to be exposed to the company. By considering contract positions also, you increase the number of positions that may potentially be available to you.

## • Increases your qualifications

• Every contract that you complete adds or increases your overall skill level, making your resume more attractive to perspective employers.

## Bridges the gap to full-time employment

O Sometimes, finding the right long term position takes a long period of time. Financially, many are not able to wait several months between positions. Working contract allows you the flexibility of earning an income while continuing your job search.

## Challenge

 If you are the type of individual that needs a constant challenge and you find yourself getting bored quickly in a new role, finding continuous challenge by working contracts may be the best option for you.

## • Expands your network

 Most of those dream jobs are found through networking. While we know this, most are not comfortable in doing the traditional networking in a room full of people they don't know.
Working contract is an easy way to impress people with your abilities while expanding your network.

#### • Financial Rewards

 Financially, contract opportunities do pay more on an hourly basis than permanent positions to compensate for the lack of benefits. In addition, if you establish a company to work through, there are many tax benefits to realize through company write-offs.

## Test Drive the company and position

 Everyone knows someone, or maybe has done it themselves, that has accepted a new opportunity, only to realize it is not exactly what they thought it would be. Working contract with the company first allows you to discover what the position and company has to offer before making the long term commitment.