# Maryland Raising the Bar 2022 Workshop: Older Workers: The Answer to Worker Shortages Resources Handout

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# Job Boards that target Older Jobseekers

- https://jobs.aarp.org/
- ➢ Workforce50.com
- Flexjobs.com
- https://www.retiredbrains.com/jobs--work.html
- https://www.seniors4hire.org/
- https://wahve.com/

#### Age Friendly Employer Programs

- Age Friendly Institute's Certified Age Friendly Employer Program <u>https://retirementjobs.com/about-us/certified-age-friendly-employer-program/</u>
- AARP Employer Pledge Program <u>https://www.aarp.org/work/employer-pledge-companies/</u>
- Flex Jobs <u>https://www.flexjobs.com/blog/post/8-best-employers-with-flexible-jobs-for-workers-over-50/?gclid=EAIaIQobChMIvPr\_8eT2-QIVELjICh2w0AaQEAMYAyAAEgInqfD\_BwE</u>

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# **Beloit College Mindset list For the Class of 2022**

Among the iconic figures never alive in their lifetime are Victor Borge, Charles Schulz, and the original Obi-Wan Kenobi Alec Guinness.

Among their classmates could be Madonna's son Rocco, Will Smith's daughter Willow, or David Bowie and Iman's daughter Alexandria.

- 1. They are the first class born in the new millennium, escaping the dreaded label of "Millennial," though their new designation—iGen, GenZ, etc. has not yet been agreed upon by them.
- 2. Outer space has never been without human habitation.
- 3. They have always been able to refer to Wikipedia.
- 4. They have grown up afraid that a shooting could happen at their school, too.
- 5. People loudly conversing with themselves in public are no longer thought to be talking to imaginary friends.
- 6. Calcutta has always been Kolkata.
- 7. Afghanistan has always been the frustrating quagmire that keeps on giving.
- 8. Investigative specials examining the O.J. Simpson case have been on TV annually since their birth.
- 9. Same-sex couples have always found marital bliss in the Netherlands.
- 10. When filling out forms, they are not surprised to find more than two gender categories to choose from.
- 11. Presidential candidates winning the popular vote and then losing the election are not unusual.
- 12. Parents have always been watching *Big Brother*, and vice versa.
- 13. Someone has always skied non-stop down Mount Everest.
- 14. They've grown up with stories about where their grandparents were on 11/22/63 and where their parents were on 9/11.
- 15. Erin Brockovich has always offered a role model.
- 16. The words *veritas* and *horizon* have always been joined together to form Verizon.
- 17. They will never fly TWA, Swissair, or Sabena airlines.
- 18. The Tower of Pisa has always had a prop to keep it leaning.
- 19. There has never been an Enron.
- 20. The Prius has always been on the road in the U.S.
- 21. UK retail sales have always been organized in metrics, except for beer, still sold by the imperial pint.
- 22. They never used a spit bowl in a dentist's office.
- 23. They have never seen a cross-town World Series.
- 24. There has always been a Survivor.
- 25. "You've got mail" would sound as ancient to them as "number, please" would have sounded to their parents.
- 26. Mifepristone or RU-486, commonly called the "abortion pill," has always been available in the U.S.
- 27. A visit to a bank has been a rare event.

- 28. Unable to come up with a new tune, Russians have always used the old Soviet national anthem.
- 29. They have never had to deal with "chads," be they dimpled, hanging, or pregnant.
- 30. "Bipartisan" is soooo last century.
- 31. *Horton* has always heard a *Who* on stage in *Seussical* the musical.
- 32. Robert Downey Jr. has always been the sober Iron Man.
- 33. Exotic animals have always been providing emotional support to passengers on planes.
- 34. Starbucks has always served venti Caffè *Lattes* in Beijing's Forbidden City.
- 35. Lightbulbs have always been shatterproof.
- 36. *Xlerators* have always been drying hands in 15 seconds with a roar.
- 37. *I Love You* has always been a computer virus.
- 38. Thumbprints have always provided log in security—and are harder to lose—than a password.
- 39. Robots have always been able to walk on two legs and climb stairs.
- 40. None having served there, American Presidents have always visited Vietnam as Commander-in-Chief.
- 41. There have always been space tourists willing to pay the price.
- 42. Mass market books have always been available exclusively as Ebooks.
- 43. *Oprah* has always been a magazine.
- 44. Berets have always been standard attire for U.S. military uniforms.
- 45. The folks may have used a *Zipcar* to get them to the delivery room on time.
- 46. Bonefish Grill has always been serving sustainable seafood.
- 47. As toddlers, they could be fined for feeding pigeons in Trafalgar Square in London.
- 48. Google Doodles have never recognized major religious holidays.
- 49. Chernobyl has never produced any power in their lifetimes.
- 50. Donny and Marie who?
- 51. They never tasted Pepsi *Twist* in the U.S.
- 52. Denmark and Sweden have always been just a ten-minute drive apart via the Oresund Bridge.
- 53. There have always been more than a billion people in India.
- 54. Thanks to the Taliban, the colossal Buddhas of Bamiyan have never stood in Central Afghanistan.
- 55. Films have always been distributed on the Internet.
- 56. Environmental disasters such as the BP Deepwater Horizon, and the coal sludge spill in Martin City, Ky., have always exceeded the Exxon Valdez oil spill.
- 57. The detachable computer mouse is almost extinct.
- 58. The Mir space station has always been at the bottom of the South Pacific.
- 59. King Friday the 13thand Lady Elaine Fairchild have always dwelled in the Neighborhood, but only in re-runs.
- 60. Israeli troops have never occupied Southern Lebanon.