

Workers Share Their Most Unusual Jobs from A to Z in CareerBuilder.com Survey

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As an increasing television spotlight is shone on unique jobs -- from the toughest and dirtiest -- CareerBuilder.com has announced its most unusual job survey results. More than 8,700 workers revealed the most unconventional jobs they've held during their careers. This year's top picks are:

- A - Autopsy assistant
- B - Bartender at the Liberace mansion
- C - Cat nanny
- D - Donkey trainer
- E - Elf at Santa's workshop
- F - FBI Fingerprint examiner
- G - Grave digger
- H - Hurricane hunter
- I - Ice sculpture carver
- J - Junk mail machine operator
- K - Kitty litter box decorator
- L - Laser tag referee
- M - Magician's assistant
- N - Nuclear electrician on a submarine
- O - Opera singer
- P - Parachute tester
- Q - Quality control/taster for chocolate factory
- R - Romance specialist
- S - Scratcher (scratched backs for patients)
- T - Turkey wrangler
- U - Undercover vice decoy
- V - Video game tester
- W - Wallpaper peeler
- X - X-ray technician for zoo animals
- Y - Yawn counter at a sleep clinic
- Z - Zamboni driver

Survey Methodology

This survey was conducted online within the U.S. by Harris Interactive(R) on behalf of CareerBuilder.com among 8,785 employees (employed full-time; not self-employed) between May 22 and June 13, 2008. Percentages for some questions are based on a subset of responses to certain questions. With a pure probability sample of 8,785 one could say with a 95 percent probability that the overall results have a sampling error of +/- 1.05 percentage points. Sampling error for data from sub-samples is higher and varies.

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