



# FANTAINMENT CORPORATION

*Developers of the "Career Resource Center" - an inner-city sanctuary that houses resources for the development of social skills and career guidance for the disadvantaged*

The Fantainment Corporation is a non-profit organization, located in Berkeley, California in the San Francisco Bay Area. We are a collection of individuals who feel strongly that education is the most important building block for the development of our youth. We also believe that entertainment is the best outsource for cultural and social growth for our youth. Thus, we combined these two elements to create a unique organization dedicated to the development of our youth.

## Our Mission

The Fantainment Corporation mission is to develop and manage a unique facility called the Career Resource Center (CRC) and its annual scholarship program.

The purpose of the CRC is for patrons find themselves, set their goal, and be led to the right resource to make a decision about their future.

We want to provide low-income communities with an answer to the "Lost Child" by providing a solution that can truly help inner-city and disadvantaged youth in need of career guidance and resources.

We want to provide that inner-city child with the knowledge, confidence, and funding that can allow him or her to find themselves and to develop their natural skills and talents.

It is designed to be a sanctuary for inner-city youth giving them knowledge, skill development, career guidance, and an alternative form of after school activities and education.

To generate greater awareness, support, and exposure of other non-profit organizations

## Our Vision

Our community is diverse of ethnicities, cultures, religions, and economic status, therefore the CRC will affect everyone in some way. Our constituency is primarily minority, disadvantaged, foster, and troubled youth.

By promoting knowledge, motivation, courage, determination, friendship, and respect, the CRC generates a sense of pride and a positive direction for at-risk youth and all individuals in a need of guidance and assistance. This atmosphere can counteract school truancy, school dropout rates, hopelessness, and senseless street violence that so many of our youth experience.

The CRC is designed to be for the brain what the YMCA is for the body. The design of the CRC, its resources, counselors, and activities conducted throughout the facility reflect order and intelligence. This kind of environment will allow our youth to be able to make positive choices for their future.

## Our support

Fantainment was created for non-profit organizations, entertainers, and businesses to gather collectively and effectively to build and maintain community development and enrichment.

The key to our success is our unique fundraising event structure. We supplement the CRC functions with fundraisers designed to capture minds by educating while entertaining. Our events are focused on collaborative efforts from entertainers the community.

With continued support, the CRC will instill a positive atmosphere throughout the surrounding community. In order for your local CRC to be built and maintained we need donations, volunteers, and event sponsors and vendors. If you are interested in supporting our organization, please contact us.

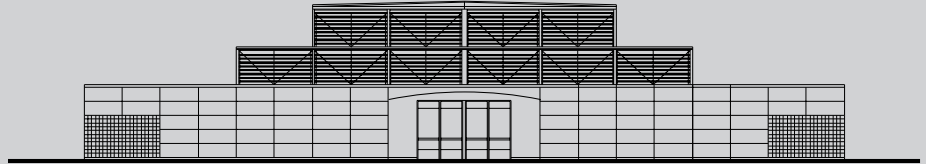
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The Career Resource Center is a public facility that can either be a stand-alone structure or built into an existing structure. The CRC (Version One) is designed to be a 10,000sf facility operating with an eighteen (18) person staff. The CRC (Version One) has an unique design and configuration, but, its planning allows for it to accommodate most +10,000sf existing facilities. The following is a brief description of the features of the CRC.

# CRC

## CAREER RESOURCE CENTER

CRC Version One



Elevation

### Facility Components

**Staff Office Space:** Local staff space for administrative, marketing, and facility management duties pertaining to that CRC

**Career Counseling:** provides career guidance and resource assistance. Registered patrons meet with counselors to discuss, plan, and manage their course of action

**Career Library:** provides occupational, personality, IQ tests, school and career resources for patrons to research their career goals

**Multi-Purpose Room:** activity room for presentations, after school activities, guest speakers, workshops, seminars, classes, and more

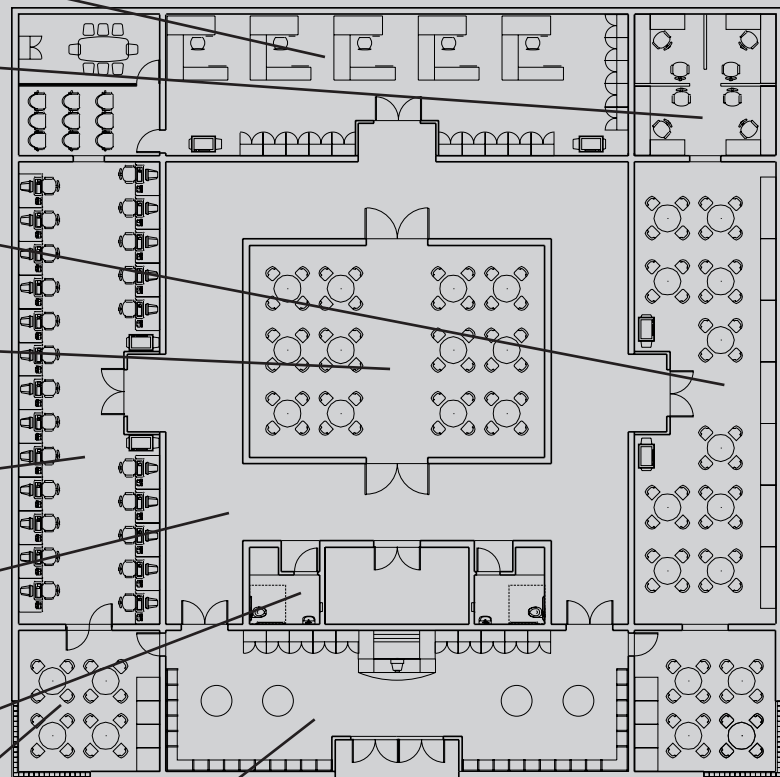
**Internet Lab:** Provides patrons the ability to research careers, gather information, and use educational software to further their knowledge and goals

**Circulation:** Circulation consists of hallways, lobbies, and vestibules, providing easy access for patrons and staff

**Structure/Core:** supports areas of the facility i.e. restrooms, storage, telecommunications, and mechanical spaces

**Food Court:** cafeteria like space for patrons containing seating and vending machines filled with locally donated snacks and beverages

**Reception & Non-Profit Gallery:** Main entry space for patron registration, admission, and referral services. This space is filled with display fixtures carrying literature from local non-profit organizations



Floor Plan

