Websites/Blogs for Professional Women

The following links and descriptions are from Forbes, *The Best 100 Websites for Women 2013*

**Catalyst:** This website by nonprofit group Catalyst hosts research about women in business and an insightful blog, *Catalyzing.*

**Change The Ratio:** The tumblr presence of the Change The Ratio campaign, which aims to tip the scales on women on the corporate and entrepreneurial level, features updates from women’s events and inspirational content. Take Sheryl Sandberg’s Harvard grad address: “If you’re offered a seat on a rocket ship, don’t ask what seat. Just get on.”

**City Girl Confidence:** A reader-nominated find, Grace Kelly’s blog provides articles and resources to rejuvenate career women, allowing them to achieve greater wealth and better health.

**Corporette:** A fashion and lifestyle blog for corporate women: lawyers, bankers, MBAs, consultants and “otherwise overachieving chicks.”

**Daily Muse:** An *advice hub for the Gen-Y careerist,* the content side of *The Muse* (also worth a visit for those of us on the job hunt) features accessible (and entertaining) advice for recent grads and working gals and a bang-up portal for job hunting. New in 2013: The Muse University for career advancement.

**The Forte Foundation:** Major corporations and top business schools created the Forte Foundation to direct talented women towards leadership roles in business, providing the tools and resources necessary for success.

**Generation Meh:** By ForbesWoman contributor J. Maureen Henderson, Generation Meh focuses on "providing practical personal development tips, tricks, and guidance for twenty and thirtysomethings who shun (or would like to shun) the 9-5 corporate grind."

**GetRaised:** A seriously simple step-by-step guide to getting a pay bump that was created with women in mind. According to the site, 65% of women that have used it have, in fact, earned a raise. Average amount? About $6,700.

**Girls Who Code:** On a mission to provide computer science education and exposure to 1 million young women by 2020, Girls Who Code provides immersion programs, clubs and networks to high school girls.

**The Glass Hammer:** An award-winning blog and online community created for women executives in finance, law, technology and big business.

**Her Agenda:** An information and inspiration hub for millennial women, HerAgenda offers up events, scholarships, conferences, internships and job opportunities to empower young women pushing themselves to reach their goals.
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**Intern Sushi:** A portal for connecting college students and young professionals with internships in creative professions. Slick, smart and well-designed, Intern Sushi encourages users to ditch the resume for creative video introductions.

**In Power Women:** A resource for women in business with the goal of succeeding on their own terms, packed with blogs, research and advice.

**I Want Her Job:** This savvy site doesn’t mess around—and puts the work/life divide from the front page, which is split in two: “Meet the women changing the face of business” and “Find inspiration for balancing your family, home and health.”

**Ladies Who Launch:** An active and engaging site for female entrepreneurs that provides a resources for starting, building and running a business.

**Lean In:** The social movement inspired by Sheryl Sandberg’s 2012 book by the same title, which encouraged women to take responsibility for forward momentum in their own careers by putting the pedal to the metal. The Lean In community online is the “next chapter” of the book, with on- and offline resources for ambitious women.

**Lindsey Pollak:** LinkedIn spokesperson and Gen Y expert Lindsey Pollak blogs about social media and work for the next generation of leaders.

**Penelope Trunk:** Serial entrepreneur (and founder of Brazen Careerist) doles out career advice that’s syndicated to more than 200 national papers. Her know-how—on authenticity, building a business and measuring your own success—has been an invaluable resource to ForbesWoman readers for years.

**Quarterlette:** Oh, the quarter life crisis. Is this really the career path I should be taking? How the hell do I find a mentor? On no! We’ve run out of ramen. All this and more at Quarterlette, with a healthy dose of wit.

**She Takes On The World:** One of our picks for the 20 best marketing and social media blogs by women this year, She Takes On The World is an award-winning business and lifestyle blog for women.

**Thompson Reuters Foundation:** Formerly TrustLaw women, the international legal news and assistance hub sponsored by the Thomson Reuters Foundation is a destination for global news.

**UN Women:** The online presence of UN Women, the recently created United Nations arm led by former Chilean President Michelle Bachelet until this year. Phumzile Mlambo-Ngcuka from South Africa was sworn in as Executive Director in July.
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**WebGrrls:** Webgrrls International is a networking organization of women focused on propelling their careers and businesses forward through technology. Info on joining one of more than 60 local chapters is the first step.

**Why Not Girl:** First and foremost a female empowerment site that was launched just a year ago, Why Not Girl profiles women of the week who’ve made inspiring life or career choices, and guides readers into pursuing their own dreams.

**Women 2.0:** With daily content on women in technology, Women 2.0 has made its mission to increase the number of female founders of tech startups with inspiration, information and education.

**Women Entrepreneur:** The female arm of [Entrepreneur.com](http://www.entrepreneur.com), this site is a resource for current and aspiring women business owners, featuring in-depth profiles of success stories as well as up-to-date advice on funding.

**Women For Hire:** A hub of recruitment services for women, this site offers career expos, blogs and feature articles as well as an online job board that connects leading employers with professional women.

**Women’s eNews:** An award-winning nonprofit news service covering issues concerning women and providing women’s perspectives on public policy around the globe. A particular emphasis on the women’s-focused news stories that often get very little play in mainstream media.

Here are some additional websites/blogs to consider:

Ms. Career Girl is a website that aims to help ambitious young professional women find passion in their profession, or a profession out of their passions.

A blog to help women who want to find careers they love and get ahead.

The Careerbright blog offers career articles which aim to assist in career success. It includes career self-help articles, job search tips and information on the products and services.

The Works [http://www.northeastern.edu/careers/blog/tag/sheleads/](http://www.northeastern.edu/careers/blog/tag/sheleads/)
Posts from *The Works*, Northeastern’s very own Career Development blog, that address issues facing women entering the workforce.