

Six Key Questions

"Baby boomers are changing the game ..."

Source:
The Boomer's Guide to Good Work. Ellen Freudenheim, author of *An Optimist's Guide to Retirement*.

"Wheresoever you go, go with all your heart!"
Confucius



"People of *retirement age* are working part time, starting in different careers, retraining, volunteering, mentoring, and refocusing. They're bringing old hobbies and new interests into play. The so-called retirement years, once staid, are suddenly kaleidoscopic and alive with dynamic possibilities— including the notion of doing "good work"."

The non profit world is abound with opportunities to do good work. Nation wide there is a need for more than 600,000 nurses and millions of teachers.

Non profit opportunities also exist for mentors, librarians, accountants, technology experts, chief executives, project managers, drivers, home health aides, yoga instructors, and more.

If you're thinking about making a career change to a new field, whether full time or part time, or you're planning your phased-retirement by considering work for reduced pay or even on a volunteer basis, here are six key questions to ask yourself:

1. *How would you like to spend the next 5 or 10 years?*
2. *Do you need to earn income? How much?*
3. *How would you like to make a contribution to your community?*
4. *Do you want to stay in the same field? Explore something new?*
5. *Do you want to start your own organization or work for an existing one?*
6. *Are you willing and able to go back to school or get other training?*

Rinker and Associates can help you discover the answers to these questions and help you put a plan of action to work!

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About Rinker & Associates

Rinker and Associates is focused on business advancement and career transition. Servicing people who are planning their next career step or re-entry to the workforce; Rinker and Associates specializes in the niche market comprised of "Baby Boomers".



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