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## ISO: tech geeks

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Local technology advocates planted a sign on Northeast Ohio's virtual front lawn last week: "High-tech help wanted."

It's a Web site, easily searchable but still being refined, at [www.neotechjobs.com](http://www.neotechjobs.com) - a high-skill job matchmaking service that officially opened for business last week, with state backing.

Early results show there's an even larger need for high-skilled employees - health care workers, accountants, finance professionals and information technology folks, for example - than initially thought.

In fact, if you formed a business out of all of the high-tech employees that Northeast Ohio needs but haven't been able to find, it would rank among Ohio's 25 largest companies, the Department of Development says. Now, the new Web site's backers need to promote it here and elsewhere, so prospective applicants can find their way to opportunities here.