# Freelance Resources

## General Freelancer Resources

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## Chicago Area Freelancer Resources

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<td>Independent Writers of Chicago</td>
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<td>Self-Employment in the Arts -</td>
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<td>ifreelance.com</td>
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<td>coders</td>
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<td>People Per Hour</td>
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<td>Toptal - for experienced</td>
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## Video Resources

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## Resources for Contracts, Quotes & Invoices

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## Freelance Rate Calculators

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<td>Chicago Artist Resource</td>
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<tr>
<td>The Freelancer by Contently</td>
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LIABILITY & INSURANCE RESOURCES

- Fractured Atlas: fracturedatlas.org
- Freelancer Union: freelancersunion.org
- Small Business Administration: sba.gov
- United States Copyright Office: copyright.gov
- Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts: vlany.org/resources/vladirectory.php

MANAGING TAXES FOR FREELANCERS

- Tax Tips for First Time Freelancer: Brazen Careerist

EDITING TOOLS

- Grammarly: grammarly.com
- Hemingway Editor: hemingwayapp.com

BLOGS

- The Freelancer: contently.net
- Guerrilla Freelancing: guerrillafreelancing.com/blog/

TOOLS & ARTICLES

- 40 Resources for a Complete Roadmap to Freelancing: sixrevisions.com
- 85 Tools for Freelancers: mashable.com
- Freelancer FAQs: freelancerfaqs.com

LINKEDIN GROUPS

- Freelance Animators & Motion Graphic Artists
- Freelance Artists and Designers
- Freelance Graphic & Web Designers
- The Freelance Writers’ Connection
- Freelancers and Self-Employed Professionals
- Independent Contractor Alliance

TWITTER ACCOUNTS TO FOLLOW FOR FREELANCERS

- General freelance advice and freelance financial advice like clients and cashflow: @FreelanceAdvice
- Freelancers Union Twitter account - Financial tips, health benefits & other general freelancer rights advice: @freelancersu
- Twitter account for the founder of Freelancers Union: @Sarah_Horowitz
- For freelancers based outside of the U.S.: @SamarOwais