



Adult Education: Career Pathways: *Flexible Models for Challenging Times*

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Description

Significant efforts are underway across the country to assist adults in acquiring the skills they need to earn post-secondary credentials and secure family sustaining jobs. Adult Career Pathways (ACP) programs are providing effective solutions to help communities accomplish this challenging task. This webinar will focus on two ingredients vital to the success of any ACP program strong employer partnerships and contextualized instruction. A variety of resources will be provided and models examined, from both community college and adult education perspectives.

Webinar Resources

The webinar recording, slides, and handout will be available in the NetWorks Digital Library.

To access, go to www.matecnetworks.org, and Keyword Search: **Webinar Career Pathways**

Resources

DOL-ETA Career Pathways Initiative Toolkit: <https://learnwork.workforce3one.org>

Georgetown University's Center on Education and the Workforce: <http://cew.georgetown.edu>

Oregon's Career Pathways Initiative: <http://www.odccwd.state.or.us/studentsuccess/SSdocs.aspx?p=3&h=19>

National Career Pathways Network/US Chamber-Institute for a Competitive Workforce's Thriving in Challenging Times: <http://www.ncpn.info/thriving-in-challenging-times.php>

Institute for a Competitive Workforce: Help Wanted 2012: Addressing the Skills Gap:

<http://icw.uschamber.com/publication/help-wanted-2012-addressing-skills-gap>

Washington State I-BEST Model: o About I-BEST:

http://www.sbctc.ctc.edu/college/e_integratedbasiceducationandskillstraining.aspx

CORD's REACT strategy: <http://www.cord.org/contextual-teaching-and-learning>





Integrated Teaching Modules from Highline Community College:

<http://flightline.highline.edu/ibest/modules.php>

Designing Instruction for Career Pathways project – Instructional Resource Collection:

<http://www.acp-sc.org>

Bridge to Biotech: <http://www.bio-link.org/home/bridge-to-biotech>

Minnesota FastTRAC: <http://www.mnfasttrac.org>

How to Build Bridge Programs that Fit into a Career Pathway, Instituto del Progreso Latino:

http://www.idpl.org/images/publicationsPDFs/Instituto2010_HowToBuildBridgePrograms%20final.pdf

Kingsborough Community College's No Limits Food Handling Curriculum – featured in ACP News, Dec. 2011:

<http://www.acp-sc.org/vol1issue4.html>

Accelerating Opportunity: <http://www.acceleratingopportunity.org>

Funding Career Pathways and Career Pathway Bridges; CLASP Center on Postsecondary and Economic Success: <http://www.clasp.org>

US Department of Education-OVAE/Department of Labor-ETA/Health and Human Services' Joint Memo on Career Pathways: <http://www2.ed.gov/news/newsletters/ovaeconnection/2012/04122012.html>

Montana's PEP Talk: <http://www.ourfactsyourfuture.org/cgi/career>

Integrating Career Awareness into the ABE/ESOL Classroom:

<http://www.collegetransition.org/publications.icacurriculum.html>

Virginia Education Wizard: <https://www.vawizard.org>

Virginia Adult Career Coaches:

<http://www.vccs.edu/WorkforceServices/CareerPathways/CareerCoaches/AdultCareerCoaches.aspx>

Women Employed (Transition Toolkit & Career Coach Curriculum Guide):

<http://www.womenemployed.org>

US Department of Education-OVAE Adult College Completion Toolkit:

<http://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ovae/resource/adult-college-completion-tool-kit.pdf>

Courses to Employment: Sectoral Approaches to Community College- Nonprofit Partnerships

(Features Shoreline Community College's career navigator and integrated instruction approaches):

<http://dev.aspenwsi.org/wordpress/wp-content/uploads/10-016.pdf>

