

# UNIQUE WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS

## 2025 Scheduled Activities (as of 1/7/25)



### Demand-Driven Workforce Training Programs for Jobseekers

#### Blue/Green Economy

- 4-week Commercial Fishing Apprenticeship Program (Commercial Fishing Center of RI) *est. 2021*
- 22-week Oil Burner Service Technician Licensure Training (Oil Heat Institute/EMARI) *est. 2019*
- 5-week Plant-based Industry Career Catalyst Program at Growing Futures RI (RINLA) *est. 2018*
- 1-year Rhode Island Nursery and Landscape Association Apprenticeship Program (RINLA) *est. 2017*
- 8-week Aquaculture Farm Hand Training (Education Exchange) *est. 2016*
- Captain's License Training (Education Exchange) *est. 2016*

#### Banking and Finance

- 10-week Northern RI Career Academy Training (Connecting for Children and Families) *est. 2016*

#### Construction/Automotive

- 3-week Building Futures Inside: Construction Readiness Re-Entry Training (Building Futures) *est. 2024*
- 26-week Residential Construction Pre-Apprenticeship Training (RI Builders Association) *est. 2016*
- 5-week Construction Pre-Apprenticeship & Home Building Program (Building Futures) *est. 2016*

#### Education and Child Care

- 12-month RI BEST Bilingual Early Childhood Education Training (CCRI) *est. 2024*
- 4-week Pathways to Education Professions Teacher Assistant Training (RIILSR) *est. 2017*

#### Healthcare

- 18-month Certified Surgical Technologist Training (NEIT & SkillsRI) *est. 2024*
- Rhode Island Welcome Back Center for Foreign Trained Healthcare Professionals (RIDOH) *est. 2023*
- 10-week Personal Care Attendant (PCA) Training (Looking Upwards/CPNRI) *est. 2023*
- 18-week Medical Assistant Certification Training (Lifespan/RIC) *est. 2022*
- 8-week Patient Support Specialist Training (Lifespan) *est. 2022*
- Personal Care Attendant Orientation/First Aid Training (SEIU 1199) *est. 2020*
- 5-week Behavioral Health Specialist and Residential Care Counselor Training (Lifespan) *est. 2020*
- 18-week Pharmacy Technician Level II Certification Training (Lifespan) *est. 2019*
- 10-week Advanced Navegante/Community Health Worker Training (Clinica Esperanza) *est. 2019*
- 12-week Pharmacy Technician Training Program (CCRI/WOC-RI OPC) *est. 2018*
- 12-week Certified Nursing Assistant Training Program (Genesis Center) *est. 2017*
- 22-week Medical Assistant Training Program (Genesis Center) *est. 2017*
- 10-week Nursing Assistant Certification Training (Lifespan) *est. 2017*

#### Hospitality, Tourism, and Retail Services

- 6-month Nail Technician Training Program (Center for Southeast Asians) *est. 2024*

- Project SEARCH for I/DD (AccessPoint RI & Bally's) *est. 2023*
- 6-month ESOL, Computer Literacy, and Hospitality Training (Progreso Latino) *est. 2017*
- Hospitality Training Programs (RI Hospitality Association) *est. 2016*
- 4-week Hospitality Training and Internship Program (Education Exchange) *est. 2016*
- 4-week Digital Literacy Training with Job Placement Assistance (Education Exchange) *est. 2016*

### **Information Technology and Cybersecurity**

- Undersea Technology, Cybersecurity, Defense Supply Chain and Veterans Internship and Job Placement Program (SENEDIA) *est. 2016*

### **Logistics and Transportation**

- Class A CDL Training (Teamsters Local 251 Driving School) *est. 2017*

### **Manufacturing**

- 10-week Process Technologist Training Program (Westerly Education Center- RI OPC) *est. 2018*
- We Make RI Manufacturing Training Programs (We Make RI/Polaris MEP) *est. 2016*

### **Job Training/Placement Services for Individuals with Barriers to Employment (non-industry specific)**

- WorkAbility Customized Employment & Job Placement Services for I/DD (SkillsRI & CPNRI) *est. 2022*
- Job Training & Career Services for Refugees/Immigrants (New Bridges for Haitian Success) *est. 2019*
- 9-month ESOL & Workforce Skills Training for Refugees (Refugee Dream Center) *est. 2019*
- Post Secondary Education Opportunities for the Justice-Involved (Reentry Campus) *est. 2018*
- Career Pathways for Unemployed & Underemployed Veterans (Operation Stand Down) *est. 2017*
- Work Readiness Programs & Job Placement Services for Refugees (Dorcas International) *est. 2017*
- Comprehensive Support for the Justice-Involved (Amos House) *est. 2017*
- Career Readiness/Job Placement Assistance for the Formerly Incarcerated (Man Up Inc.) *est. 2016*
- Career Coaching/Job Placement Services for the Unemployed & Underemployed (SkillsRI) *est. 2016*

### **Training and Mentorship for Business Owners and Entrepreneurs**

- 9-month Finishing Trades Cooperative Development Initiative (Fuerza Laboral) *est. 2023*
- 8-week Self-Employment Business Incubator for I/DD (RIDDC/CPNRI) *est. 2018*
- 7-month Design Catalyst Business Development Program (DesignxRI) *est. 2017*
- Social Enterprise Accelerate Program (Social Enterprise Greenhouse) *est. 2017*
- Social Enterprise Elevate Program for Later-Stage Ventures (Social Enterprise Greenhouse) *est. 2017*

### **Incumbent Worker Training On-Demand**

- 18-month CNA Career Ladder Training for Advanced Healthcare Occupations (NEIT) *est. 2023*
- Institute on Community Integration Data Collection and Supervisor Training (CPNRI/UMN) *est. 2023*
- 128-hour Pipefitter II Journeyman Training (OHI/EMARI) *est. 2019*
- 6-month ESOL Training for Hospitality Workers (Progreso Latino) *est. 2017*
- 15-week New and Emerging Leadership Level I Training (Toray Plastics America) *est. 2016*
- 20-week Leadership Development Level II Training (Toray Plastics America) *est. 2016*

## Youth Career Exploration and Work Readiness Programs

- Lego League & Robotics Competition STEM Programming (NE First & SENEDIA) *est. 2024*
- 4-week Building Green Futures Youth Apprenticeship Readiness Training (Building Futures) *est. 2022*
- High School Offshore Wind Program at WindWinRI (N. Kingstown Chamber of Commerce) *est. 2018*
- 12-week Works Wonders® Program for Current & Former Foster Youth (Foster Forward) *est. 2017*
- ProStart and the Hospitality and Tourism Management Program (RI Hospitality Association) *est. 2016*

## Community Development Programs Strengthening the Workforce Talent Pool

- Vocational ESL Training with OSHA 10 (RI Builders Association and Dorcas International) *est. 2017*

**\*This document is meant to provide illustrative examples and is not an all-inclusive list.**

**To view programs actively recruiting participants, please scan the code below:**

