## **American Apprenticeship Initiative Grant Award Summaries**

## Washington State Department of Labor and Industries - Olympia, WA

Washington State Department of Labor and Industries was awarded a \$5 million grant to fund the Get in I.T. and Apprenticeship program. The project will implement a registered apprenticeship program in the information technology (IT) industry in partnership with the Washington Technology Industry Association and Microsoft Corporation. Apprentices will receive innovative and revolutionary in-class training and on-the-job learning, and will serve 3,100 participants including 1,000 registered apprentices in IT and the traditional trades (i.e. construction, plumbing, etc.) within the State of Washington.