

**YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP READINESS GRANT PROGRAM**

<b>Lead Applicant Organization's Name:</b>	Delaware Department of Education
<b>Lead Applicant Entity Type:</b>	State Education Agency
<b>Lead Applicant City/State:</b>	Dover, Delaware

**YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP PARTNERSHIP**

<b>Required Partner/s:</b>	
<b>Organization or agency name:</b>	<b>Partner Type, Role, or Industry Sector:</b>
Association of Builders and Contractors (ABC) Delaware	i. Trade Association, Construction
Delaware Contractors Association	i. Trade Association, Construction
Delaware Restaurant Association	i. Industry Association, Hospitality
Mumford & Muller	i. Employer, Construction
RC Fabricators	i. Employer, Construction
Nickle Electric	i. Employer, Construction
Advantech	i. Employer, Construction
Mid-Atlantic Electric Services	i. Employer, Construction
M. Davis & Sons	i. Employer, Construction
Schlosser & Associates	i. Employer, Construction
SoDel Concepts	i. Employer, Hospitality

Computer Aid, Inc.	i. Employer, Information Technology
Delaware Technical & Community College	ii. State Community College System
New Castle County Vocational-Technical School District	ii. Local Education Agency & Postsecondary Vocational Institution
POLYTECH School District	ii. Local Education Agency & Postsecondary Vocational Institution
Sussex County Technical School District	ii. Local Education Agency & Postsecondary Vocational Institution
Delaware Department of Labor	iii. State Apprenticeship Agency
Delaware Workforce Development Board	iv. State and Local Workforce Development Board

<b>Optional Partner/s:</b>		
<b>Organization Names of Optional Partners:</b>	<b>Entity Type:</b>	<b>Industry Sector:</b>
Jobs for the Future	Non-profit organization	Education and workforce management
Tech Impact	Non-profit organization	Information Technology
<b>Proposed Geographic Scope:</b> (local/regional, state-wide, National)	State-wide	

<b>Service Areas:</b> (where apprentices will be served)	Delaware
<b>Total Funding Requested:</b>	\$2,499,999
<b>Total Leveraged Funds: (25% of funds requested)</b>	\$850,000 or 34%
<b>Project Title/Name:</b>	Youth Apprenticeship Delaware
<p><b>Summary of Youth Apprenticeship Program</b></p> <p><b>Activities</b></p> <p>and</p> <p><b>List of Credential(s) to be Awarded:</b></p>	<p>Youth Apprenticeship Delaware is a sector-based partnership to support the enrollment of in-school and out-of-school youth (ages 16 to 24) into new and existing Registered Apprenticeship Programs. This public-private partnership will (1) link secondary and postsecondary education providers and industries to scale Registered Apprenticeship Programs, through a (2) statewide youth apprenticeship network, and ensure that all youth are successful through a (3) Registered Apprenticeship growth and innovation fund.</p>

	<p>Credentials to be Awarded (multiple credentials from the following organizations will be awarded):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Center for Construction Education &amp; Research (construction);</li> <li>• CompTIA (IT);</li> <li>• Cisco (IT);</li> <li>• ProStart (hospitality);</li> <li>• ServSafe (hospitality);</li> <li>• State Licensure (construction); and</li> <li>• State Journeyman credential (all).</li> </ul>
<p><b>Targeted Population(s) to be Served:</b></p>	<p>In-school youth (ages 16 to 18) and out-of-school youth (ages 16 to 24)</p>
<p><b>Targeted Industry(ies) and/or occupations(s):</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Construction</li> <li>• Hospitality</li> <li>• Information Technology</li> </ul>
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