

**ABSTRACT**

<b>Lead Applicant / Organization Name:</b> American Association of Community Colleges	
<b>Lead applicant entity type:</b> Association/Non-Profit Organization	
<b>Lead Applicant City and State:</b> Washington, DC	
<b>Select Grant Category:</b>	
_____ State Apprenticeship System Building and Modernization: up to \$4 million	
_____ Expansion of RAP Opportunities for Youth : up to \$5 million	
_____ Ensuring Equitable RAP Pathways Through Pre-apprenticeship Leading to RAP Enrollment and Equity Partnerships: up to \$3 million	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Registered Apprenticeship Hubs: up to \$4 million for local, up to \$6 million for regional and up to \$8 million for national.	
<b>If applying for the Set-Aside, please select the primary focus:</b>	
_____ Equity partnerships and pre-apprenticeship activities, or	
_____ Equity partnerships only, or	
_____ Pre-apprenticeship activities only	
If applying for the set-aside, please ensure your Project Narrative clearly addresses guidelines described in Section II.A. Award Type and Amount.	
<b>Project Title:</b> <i>Expanding Community College Apprenticeship (ECCA): Electric Vehicle (EV) Hub [ECCA: EV Hub]</i>	
<b>Funding Amount Requested:</b> \$8,000,000	
<b>Applicants Geographic Scope of Proposed Project:</b> National	
<b>Number of apprentices enrolled in RAPs during the life of the grant:</b> 575	
<b>Population(s) to be served:</b> Unemployed, underemployed, and incumbent workers including veterans, and underrepresented populations, including women, people of color, and ex-offenders, and other populations with employment barriers that hinder movement into middle- to high-skilled occupations and industries..	
<b>Required Partners:</b> (Organization name and entity type)	
<b>Organization</b>	<b>Entity Type</b>
Tesla	Employer
Panasonic	Employer
Nevada System for Higher Education	Post-Secondary Education Institution
National Association of Workforce Boards	Workforce Association
<b>Optional Partners:</b> (Organization names and entity type)	
<b>Organization</b>	<b>Entity Type</b>
Association for Career and Technical Education	Industry/Education Association

Advance CTE	Industry/Education Association
Feeding America	Wrap-around Service Provider
SHRM Foundation	Employer Association
SNF Writing Solutions	Sustainability SME
<p><b>Project Purpose:</b> AACC's <i>ECCA: EV Hub</i>'s purpose is to convene CCs, employers, and workforce development partners as change agents to plan and implement projects that support workforce education and skills training activities, directly connected to the hiring and skills needs of the electric vehicle industry and that result in well-paying quality jobs.</p>	
<p><b>Subrecipient Activities:</b> Employers and community colleges will work together to develop and implement preapprenticeship and RAP programs including RI and OJT. National Network Partners and subject matter experts will provide technical assistance to employers and community colleges to implement the program and meet program outcomes/outputs.</p>	
<p><b>List of Credentials(s) to be awarded:</b> Tesla and Panasonic proprietary credentials.</p>	
<p><b>SUMMARY OF PROGRAM ACTIVITIES:</b> The proposed <i>ECCA: EV Hub</i> program will bring together large-scale employers, community colleges, and regional and national workforce partners to create a scalable model for training and credentialing electric vehicle-related occupations. The program will increase access to EV occupations for individuals who are un(der)employed through preapprenticeship and registered apprenticeship programs.</p>	
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