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**TO:** NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP SYSTEM STAKEHOLDERS

 OFFICE OF APPRENTICESHIP STAFF

 STATE APPRENTICESHIP AGENCIES

**FROM:** JOHN V. LADD /s/

 Administrator, Office of Apprenticeship

**SUBJECT:** Revision to Appendix A of the National Standards of Apprenticeship for Emerging Technology Apprenticeship Program

1. **Purpose.** To inform the staff of OA, State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAA), Registered Apprenticeship program sponsors and other Registered Apprenticeship partners of a revision to Appendix A to include the occupations listed below to the Emerging Technology Apprenticeship Program.
2. **Action Requested.** This bulletin is being provided to OA staff for informational purposes only. The Region III Office of Apprenticeship will be responsible for maintenance and technical assistance regarding this program.
3. **Summary and Background.**
	1. Summary – This revision to Appendix A, to the National Standards of Apprenticeship, was submitted by Ms. Allison Lewis, Program Manager, on behalf of the Emerging Technology Apprenticeship Program and were processed by William Kraus, Deputy Regional Director, Region III and approved by the OA Administrator on January 18, 2023.
	2. Background –

***NPS Background -*** National Program Standards of Apprenticeship are programs that are registered by OA on a national basis and that consist of occupational standards which: (1) are developed and sponsored by an employer, national trade or industry organization, labor organization, educational institution, or consortium; (2) are demonstrably national or multi-State in their design, suitability, and scope based on consideration of the National Program Standards criteria (detailed below); and (3) comply with the regulatory requirements contained in 29 CFR Part 29 and 29 CFR Part 30.

1. **Revision to Appendix A.** This revision to Appendix A, to the National Standards of Apprenticeship for Emerging Technology Apprenticeship Program for the following occupations will be serviced by Region III Office of Apprenticeship.

Integration Design Specialist

(Existing Title: Internetworking Technician)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 15-1241.00

RAPIDS CODE: 1038CB

Type of Training: Competency-based

System Specialist

(Existing Title: Computer Programmer)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 15-1251.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0811CB

Type of Training: Competency-based

1. **Inquiries.** If you have any questions please contact William Kraus, Deputy Regional Director, Region III Office of Apprenticeship, at (404) 302-5897.
2. **Attachments.** None.