



NC Apprenticeship
Conference

NCWorks Apprenticeship Conference

Learn and Earn

New Strategies for the 21st Century

Sheraton Four Seasons Hotel | Joseph S. Koury Convention Center | Greensboro, NC

October 4-5, 2016



NCWorks
APPRENTICESHIP



**Do you struggle to find trained and skilled people?
Join us at the NCWorks Apprenticeship Conference to find your solution.**

FEATURED PRESENTERS

Kevin Poet

*Head of Charlotte Plant Operations; Siemens Energy, Inc.
Opening Presenter*

Dr. Robert Lerman

*Institute Fellow, Center on Labor, Human Services,
and Population; Urban Institute
Closing Presenter*

FEATURED EMPLOYERS

Ameritech Die and Mold

Pike Electric

Duke Energy

RTI

Mechanical Trades
Carolinas

Siemens Medical

NC Triangle
Apprenticeship
Program

Siemens Energy, Inc.

Time Warner Cable

Wayne Brothers, Inc.

REGISTRATION

Online registration is required and subject to space availability. Registration fee is \$150.
[Click here to register for the conference.](#)

Your registration fee covers:

- Conference Programs and Workshops
- Breaks
- Conference Materials
- Banquet Dinner, October 4
- Breakfast, October 5

CANCELLATIONS & SUBSTITUTIONS

Cancellation requests must be in writing and received no later than September 13, 2016.
All requests will be subject to a \$50.00 cancellation fee.

Cancellations after September 13 will be subject to the full registration fee.

To cancel your conference reservation, email Ryan McCarty at Ryan.Mccarty@nccommerce.com.

For registration questions or cancellations, please contact:
Ryan McCarty | 919 814 0342 | Ryan.Mccarty@nccommerce.com

ACCOMMODATIONS

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Sheraton Four Seasons Hotel, Greensboro.
[You can register online](#)
or by calling 1-800-242-6556.

Special Conference room rate is \$137 (+ \$17.47 tax). There is a 72 hour cancellation policy. Specify that you are attending the NCWorks Apprenticeship Conference to receive this rate.

PAYMENT

Payment must be made by check or money order payable to:

NC Department of Commerce/Apprenticeship

Mail to:
NC Dept. of Commerce /Apprenticeship
4316 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699
FEIN: 455336839

If you have questions regarding the conference, please contact:
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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4

Registration 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Opening Session 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Siemens Energy, Inc.

Panel Discussion with Employers



Break 2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Workshop Sessions 3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Overcoming the Myths
with 21st Century Apprenticeships
Siemens Energy, Inc; Wayne Bros

Recruiting America's Heroes:
Transitioning Military Veterans
Siemens Medical; Mechanical Trades

How to Work Smart in the 21st Century
Charter Communications; Chris Cullen

Pre-Apprenticeship: Bridging the Skills Gap
Forsyth Tech; Duke Energy; Pike Electric

Banquet 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Learn & Earn: Showcase of 21st Century Innovations

John E. Skvarla, III
North Carolina Commerce Secretary

Recognition Awards

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5

Breakfast Buffet 7:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.
Registration 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Workshop Sessions 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Extra! Extra! Hear All About It!
How NCWorks Apprenticeship Met
My Company Needs
Ameritech Die & Mold

The European Model of Apprenticeship
NC Triangle Apprenticeship Program

School-to-Work Transition for
North Carolina's Young Adults
RTI & Panel

Screening High School Youth Candidates
with NCWorks Apprenticeship
Dr. Pamela Howze; Roger Collins, Siemens Energy, Inc.

Break 10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Closing Session and Keynote 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Keynote Speaker

Dr. Robert Lerman
*Institute Fellow, Center on Labor, Human Services,
and Population; Urban Institute*
Closing Presenter