



Tuesday, April 27, 2021

Tentative Agenda

- 8:15 – 8:45 AM NETWORKING COFFEE
- 9:00 AM WELCOME – THE VALUE OF THE WORKFORCE SYSTEM
- 9:45-10:45 AM KEYNOTE ADDRESS: MICHAEL KARL
- What is Possible through Partnership*
- 11:00 AM BREAKOUT SESSION ONE
1. An example of successful Core Partner Staff Training
 2. Developing and Sustaining a Regional Business Services Team
 3. Utilizing TPM Strategies to Leverage Industry Sectors for Youth Employment and Mobility
 4. Ability to Benefit - Illinois' Proposed State-Defined Process – On Demand Session
 5. Creatively Engaging the Community
 6. Managing Your Mental Wellness during the Pandemic
 7. LWIA Performance Goals and the Statistical Adjustment Model – On Demand
- 12:15 – 1:00 PM NETWORKING LUNCHEON – LUNCH WITH FRIENDS
- 1:15 – 2:15 PM BREAKOUT SESSION TWO
1. Promoting Co-Enrollment through Communications
 2. Being Intentional about Equity & Inclusion
 3. Connecting DHS Customers to Career Services





4. Employer-Led Talent Supply Chain Solutions – On Demand
5. Broadband READY: Cross-sector Collaboration for a Competitive 21st Century Digital Economy and Workforce
6. Creating Regional Sector Partnerships – On demand
7. Doing things Differently During Covid-19

3:00 – 4:30 PM

Closing Session: State Program Director Panel
State of the State Programs

Wednesday, April 28, 2021 – Workshops

9:00 – 11:00 AM WORKSHOP SESSION ONE

1. Implementing Business Engagement
2. Introduction to workNet Front Line Training
3. Working Remotely: Implications for Workforce Development

11:45 – 12:45 LUNCH BREAK

1:00 – 4:00 PM WORKSHOP SESSION TWO

1. Keeping Youth Engaged in a Pandemic World: The Impact of Anxiety and How to Overcome It
2. Using Customer Centered Design to Improve the Customer's Experience
3. Chicagoland Career Pathways: Expanding postsecondary access through system-wide collaboration
4. Worker Rights Session

