Career Pathways Exchange

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Resources

Building on a Strong Foundation: Linking CBE with Innovations in Developmental Education Redesign

Jobs for the Future (JFF), August 2017

Community colleges are committed to finding effective ways to serve learners by equipping them with the skills and credentials needed for future employment. Through ongoing developmental redesign efforts, a growing body of research sheds light on some of the barriers facing underserved learners and proven solutions. Competency-based education (CBE) is an approach with potential to serve such learners. JFF proposes merging promising developmental education redesign models with CBE to increase success for underprepared learners.

DON'T MISS THIS!

This paper, the second brief of the Next-Generation CBE series, focuses on which developmental education redesign models can best leverage CBE strategies.

CTE Sector Sheet: Information Technology

Association for Career and Technical Education (ACTE) and Pearson, August 2017

There are currently four million jobs in information technology (IT), and the sector is expected to generate an additional 488,500 jobs through 2024, driven by demand for computer and network security, cloud and mobile technology, big data, and Internet-connected devices. By 2018, the majority of jobs in IT will require some postsecondary education, and IT programs often provide career and technical

education (CTE) students with opportunities to earn valuable industry certifications in addition to academic credentials.

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The CTE Sector Sheet spotlights two programs in IT for their promising practices: the Cybersecurity Networking Academy in Howard County, MD, and the Health and Information Technology Program at Miami Dade College.

Announcements

The New Career Pathways Checklist

The Career Pathways Checklist, a new resource, has been added to the Literacy Information and Communication System (LINCS). This checklist is designed as a work aid that helps adult education and workforce program managers and administrators determine the extent to which a newly developed or existing career pathways program meets the requirements for career pathways in section (3)(7) of WIOA. The LINCS Team encourages you visit this page and share this information with your colleagues.

Events

Association for Career and Technical Education (ACTE) Conference: Best Practices and Innovations Conference 2017

September 27-29, 2017

Albuquerque, NM

Register here!

National Council for Workforce Education (NCWE) 2017 Conference: The Future of Workforce Education Leading, Engaging, and Transforming

October 25-26, 2017

Salt Lake City, UT

Register here!

National Career Pathways Network (NCPN) 2017 Conference

October 26-27, 2017

St. Louis, MO

Register here!

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