

December 2020

2020 In the Rearview Mirror

2020: Pivoting into Innovation



The “Future of Work” was the theme of this past year on WorkforceGPS. Our focus was to highlight how the

world of work would change over time, but instead of the slow pace we anticipated, our system found itself racing to meet the challenges the global pandemic brought upon us. Ideas and plans that seemed a distant future became our present. We have shared many resources and hosted many events to support the system, but we wrap up the year hearing from your experiences in the field.

Three new Voices of Experience videos recorded in October showcase workforce system leaders sharing how they have managed the challenges encountered in 2020 by pivoting into innovative solutions. The [first one](#) available today features Elizabeth Carver, Program & Training Director at Utah Department of Workforce Services as she reflects on the changes her state colleagues have made since March 2020. Look for the two remaining videos to be posted December 7 and 14 featuring Marla Rye as the Executive Director

of Northern Tennessee Workforce Board, and
Bruce Ferguson, American Job Center Operator,
from CareerSource Northeast Florida.

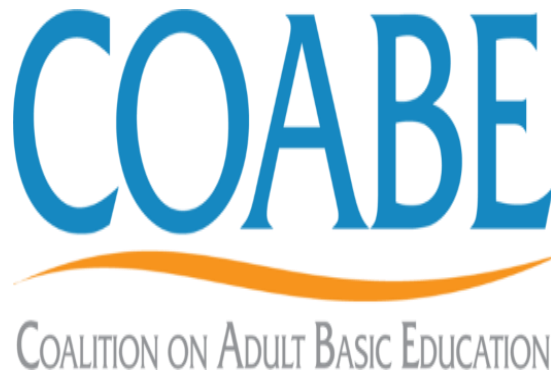
The WorkforceGPS team looks forward to sharing
new content in 2021.

Stay safe and Happy Holidays!

FEATURED CONTENT

NOVEMBER 16,
2020

**Plenary:
One
Workforce:
A Federal-
State
Partnership
Initiative
for
Innovation**



NOVEMBER 12, 2020

**Employer-Led Efforts to Close the Skills
Gap via Untapped Talent Pipelines**

NOVEMBER 16, 2020

**Gig Economy and Self-
Employment Report**

NOVEMBER 13, 2020

**How to Design and
Implement Advising
Services in Community
Colleges**

NOVEMBER 24, 2020

**Network for Teaching
Entrepreneurship**

APRIL 16, 2018

**Disability and
Apprenticeship**

UPCOMING PUBLIC EVENTS

DECEMBER 02, 2020

Discussing Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) Employment Projections and COVID-19

DECEMBER 07, 2020

National Association of Workforce Development Professionals (NAWDP) 2020 Virtual Youth Symposium

DECEMBER 10, 2020

Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) Final Rule: Work-Based Learning

DECEMBER 15, 2020

TAA Final Rule: Employment & Case Management Services Funds Flexibilities

DECEMBER 16, 2020

Eligible Training Provider (ETP) Series Part 2: Performance and New Website

RECENT PUBLIC EVENTS

NOVEMBER 05, 2020

Implementing Your COVID-19 National Dislocated Worker Grant Program

NOVEMBER 09, 2020

Workforce Opportunity for Rural Communities (WORC) Initiative Round 2 New Grantee Orientation

NOVEMBER 09, 2020

TAA Final Rule: Quality Petition Filing for Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) Program

NOVEMBER 10, 2020

Manufacturing Success: Examining Development of an Apprenticeship Partnership and Pathway

NOVEMBER 13, 2020

NOVEMBER 16, 2020

**Eligible Training
Provider (ETP) Webinar
Series Part 1: Eligibility
and TEGL 08-19**

NOVEMBER 17, 2020

**Evaluation Strategies for
States with Smaller
RESEA Programs**

NOVEMBER 18, 2020

**Learning and Leading:
Effectively Leveraging
Experiences in the
Pandemic to Promote
Recovery**

NOVEMBER 19, 2020

**NIOSH Responds to the
Opioid Overdose Crisis
and an Update on
Workplace Supported
Recovery**

NOVEMBER 19, 2020

**ETA Local Board
Governance Training -
High-impact, Strategic
Boards**

NOVEMBER 23, 2020

**Trade Adjustment
Assistance (TAA) Final
Rule: Integrated
Services**

**Trade Adjustment
Assistance (TAA) Final
Rule: Trade Readjustment
Allowances (TRA)**

NOVEMBER 17, 2020

Ability to Benefit

NOVEMBER 19, 2020

**Senior Community
Service Employment
Program SCSEP National
Grant - The Final
Transition**

NOVEMBER 19, 2020

**Effective Recruitment and
Outreach Strategies**

NOVEMBER 20, 2020

**Lessons Learned from the
State Occupational
Licensing
Consortium” Addressing
State Policies**

Thank You!

Sincerely,

The WorkforceGPS Team

Helping You Navigate to Success Today

U.S. Department of Labor
Employment & Training Administration