

Generation Work

Partnership Meeting

June 1 2016 – Tukwila Community Center

12:30 to 2:00 pm

SkillUp
WASHINGTON

Agenda

1 – 4 pm

- Welcome and Introductions
- Gen Work partner interviews and MOU development
- MOU feedback
- Employer engagement
- Resource/program presentations

Seattle Generation Work Goals

Young adults 18-29

can access pathways to good jobs in growing sectors like transportation, logistics, and manufacturing

Re-engagement pathways

will increase to include new models which support young adults currently working in (or seeking to enter) entry-level jobs

Young Adult Employer

Champions are identified and meaningful employer feedback loops are established

Memorandum of Understanding

- Helps set context for 5-8 year Generation Work strategic framework
- Identifies shared values and learning community priorities
- Puts more 'definition' around pilot strategy roles, data, and learning community functions
- Needs to be in place before next Generation Work proposal due to AECF

MOU Feedback

- What do you like about the MOU?
- What is missing?
- What needs to be changed or improved?

Employer Engagement

- What employer engagement strategies are you currently pursuing (or planning) that connects/aligns with Generation Work?
 - MAPP Employer Survey
 - Employer interviews
 - 100K Opportunities
 - Others?

MAPP Employer Survey

- Over 60 manufacturing employers surveyed
- Meant to inform program improvement at colleges, also to provide more feedback to navigators/coaches
- Not specific to young adults but lots of useful information
 - Employer feedback on job preparedness and retention
 - Information on how workers advance from entry to middle wage jobs
 - Partnership opportunities with colleges

Next steps

- MOU feedback needed by June 15
- Small group meeting with MDRC June 10
- July 19-21 national Gen Work meeting in Indianapolis
- Strategic framework development
 - Interviews with employers and young people
 - Partner interviews – focused on vision for next 5-8 years