NORTHWEST YOUTH

CAREERS EXPO

Wednesday, February 24, 2016

9 AM – 1:30 PM Oregon Convention Center

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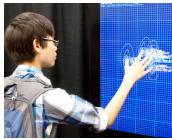












5,600+ students

70+ high schools

130+ exhibitors 960+

mock interviews

Join the region's leading employers.

Teach Oregon students about career opportunities and the skills and education needed to pursue those careers.

More than 130 exhibitors will be at the 12th annual Expo, representing the region's top employers. See you there!

HOW TO REGISTER

Sign up on our website or contact skennedy@portlandworkforcealliance.org

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WHY EXHIBIT? IT'S SIMPLE.

Grow your own workforce.

Competition for talented employees is fierce, and many Oregon businesses need to strengthen and diversify their local pipeline of talent. The Expo lets you invest in your future workforce.

Support Oregon education.

Oregon's high schools are full of promising students, yet our state has one of the nation's worst graduation rates. Help inspire our students to graduate, continue their education and find great careers.

Showcase your company.

The Expo attracts more than 5,600 students from 70+ high schools in Oregon and SW Washington. It draws 130+ exhibitors, including the region's most dynamic employers. Political leaders, business owners, educators and the media come, too. Don't be left out!

WHY THE EXPO WORKS

The NW Youth Careers Expo started small, and now it's a major annual event. Employers and high schools return every year because:

- Students learn about careers, do mock interviews and speak directly to employers.
- Many employers offer hands-on activities at their exhibit, from welding simulations and X-ray interpretation to special effects makeup for movies.
- The Expo is informational, inspiring and students tell us fun.

3 TIPS FOR A GREAT EXHIBIT

- Bring things from your workplace that students can see, touch or try.
- Students learn best when they are engaged. Consider hands-on activities or demonstrations that get students thinking, talking or trying something new.
- Enjoy yourself. Talking with teens can be a big energy boost.

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