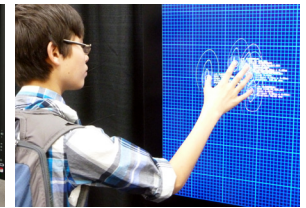


NORTHWEST YOUTH CAREERS EXPO

Wednesday,
February 24, 2016

9 AM – 1:30 PM
Oregon Convention Center

SPOTLIGHT ON TECHNOLOGY



Students can:

- **Connect** with people who work in technology.
- **Learn** about the skills and education needed for interesting, satisfying tech-related careers.
- **Check out** employers' cutting-edge innovations, such as 3D printers, 4K video, large touch monitors and solar panels.
- **Discover** ways to combine tech savvy with other interests.

Did you know?

- Technology is one of the fastest growing and best-paying career paths in Oregon.
- Average annual wages in software and IT in Oregon are \$94,200; median wages are about \$76,000. *(Source: Worksystems Inc. 2014 report)*
- Employers in virtually every sector need people with tech expertise. Acquiring tech skills in high school and college will give students an edge after graduation.

The NW Youth Careers Expo is the Northwest's premier career-education event, attended by 6,500 students and 100+ employers. It shows students the amazing diversity of career opportunities in our region. Featured sectors include health care, arts & communication, technology, manufacturing, design, construction, business, energy, education and human services.

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as of
1/28/2016

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- Urban Airship
- CDK Global
- Chemeketa Comm. College
- Career & Tech Ed
- Comcast
- ITT Technical Institute
- Oregon Tech
- Portland Community College
- BioScience Technology
- Microelectronics Tech.
- Portland Public Schools
- Information Technology
- and more

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- SolarWorld
- Oregon Health & Science University
- and more