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**YOUTH
CAREERS
EXPO**

2026 RESOURCE GUIDE



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9:00 am – 1:30 pm • Oregon Convention Center

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EXPO MAP KEY

-  EXPO ENTRANCE AT EXHIBIT HALL D
-  CHECK IN
-  INFORMATION DESK
-  BUS PULL-IN ZONE
-  MOCK INTERVIEWS
Rooms D136-135
-  QUIET MOCKS
Rooms D137+134
-  CAREER TALKS
Rooms D138+139

 **CHILL ROOM**
The chill room is a quiet space for students to take a sensory break during the Expo.

In Room D140

EXHIBIT HALL

GET IN THE ZONE!

To help you get around, the Expo Hall is divided into **ZONES**. Each Zone showcases major industries and career paths



WELCOME TO THE NW YOUTH CAREERS EXPO! This is your chance to explore careers at leading companies and colleges. You can talk to caring professionals about their jobs and the many college and career choices after graduation. Visit 200+ booths organized into different industry zones; many will have equipment and fun activities for you to try!

WELCOME TO THE 22ND ANNUAL NW YOUTH CAREERS EXPO

The annual **NW YOUTH CAREERS EXPO** is the Northwest's premier career exploration experience. The **EXPO** shows students the region's amazing diversity of career opportunities, and offers information on the skills and education needed for those jobs.

The **EXPO** connects employers to their future workforce and helps students make informed, inspired decisions about their education after high school – whether they choose college, an apprenticeship or other training.

THANK YOU to our sponsors, exhibitors and high schools for making the annual **NW YOUTH CAREERS EXPO** a success!

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ALLIANCE

BIG DREAMS. GOOD JOBS. ALL STUDENTS.

The Portland Workforce Alliance is an independent nonprofit that sees access to meaningful career exploration for high school students as a matter of social and economic justice.

We work with local employers and schools to educate students about career opportunities as part of a strategy to help students thrive after graduation and contribute to a resilient, prosperous and well-educated workforce.

Along with the Expo, PWA facilitates Career Days, mentorships, mock interviews and more.

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MOCK INTERVIEWS

Practice Your Job Interviewing Skills

WHEN: 9am to 1:30pm
WHERE: Rooms D135+136

One-on-one, 10-minute mock interview and feedback from a caring professional. Resumes welcome and strongly encouraged. Students will receive a completed feedback form.

Demand is high! Limited drop-ins are allowed. If lines are long, students can visit the Resume Review Station or attend a nearby **CAREER TALK**.

CAREER TALKS

How to Ace Your Job Interview

WHEN: 9:30am | 11:30am | 12:30pm
WHERE: D139 Meeting Room

What employers ask, how to prepare for an interview and how to follow up.

How to Land a Job

WHEN: 10:00am | 11:00am | 12:00pm | 1:00pm
WHERE: D139 Meeting Room

An overview of all it takes to land a job: resumes, networking and interviewing.

25-minute group sessions designed to boost students' career readiness. Students will receive Certificates of Completion. Drop-ins are welcome!

Networking Essentials

WHEN: 10:30am | 11:30am
WHERE: D138 Meeting Room
It's all about making connections.

Tips for Starting Your Business

WHEN: 10:00am | 11:00am
WHERE: D138 Meeting Room
Presented by UPLIFT Leadership.

Managing Your Paycheck

WHEN: 10:30am
WHERE: D139 Meeting Room
Smart money tips, presented by OnPoint Community Credit Union.

Welcome high schools to the 2026 NW Youth Careers Expo

Special thanks to our partner school districts



Big dreams. Good jobs. All students.

Join us! Learn how to get involved at PORTLANDWORKFORCEALLIANCE.ORG



MOCK INTERVIEWS & CAREER TALKS

Try a one-on-one interview with a business professional or attend a 25-minute career talk and learn how to land a job!

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Managing Your Paycheck: Smart Money Tips <small>by OnPoint Community Credit Union</small>	D139				10:30						

INTERESTED IN A SUMMER JOB / INTERNSHIP?

Exhibitors with a  have jobs, internships, mentorships, or volunteer opportunities.



NEED A BREAK?

Visit the quiet, sensory space located near the mock interviews.

WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT A CAREER? JUST ASK.

GUIDE FOR TALKING TO EXHIBITORS



Career Path & Workplace

Why did you choose your career path?
What is a typical day like for you or your coworkers?
How would you describe your work environment?

Organization

What do you want people to know about your business or organization?
How is it growing or changing?
What kinds of jobs are you hiring for now? How about 3-5 years from now?

Education & Skills

What kind of education and training did you need for your job?
Are there colleges or programs you recommend for this field?
What are the top 3 skills you use on a day-to-day basis?

Salary & Rewards

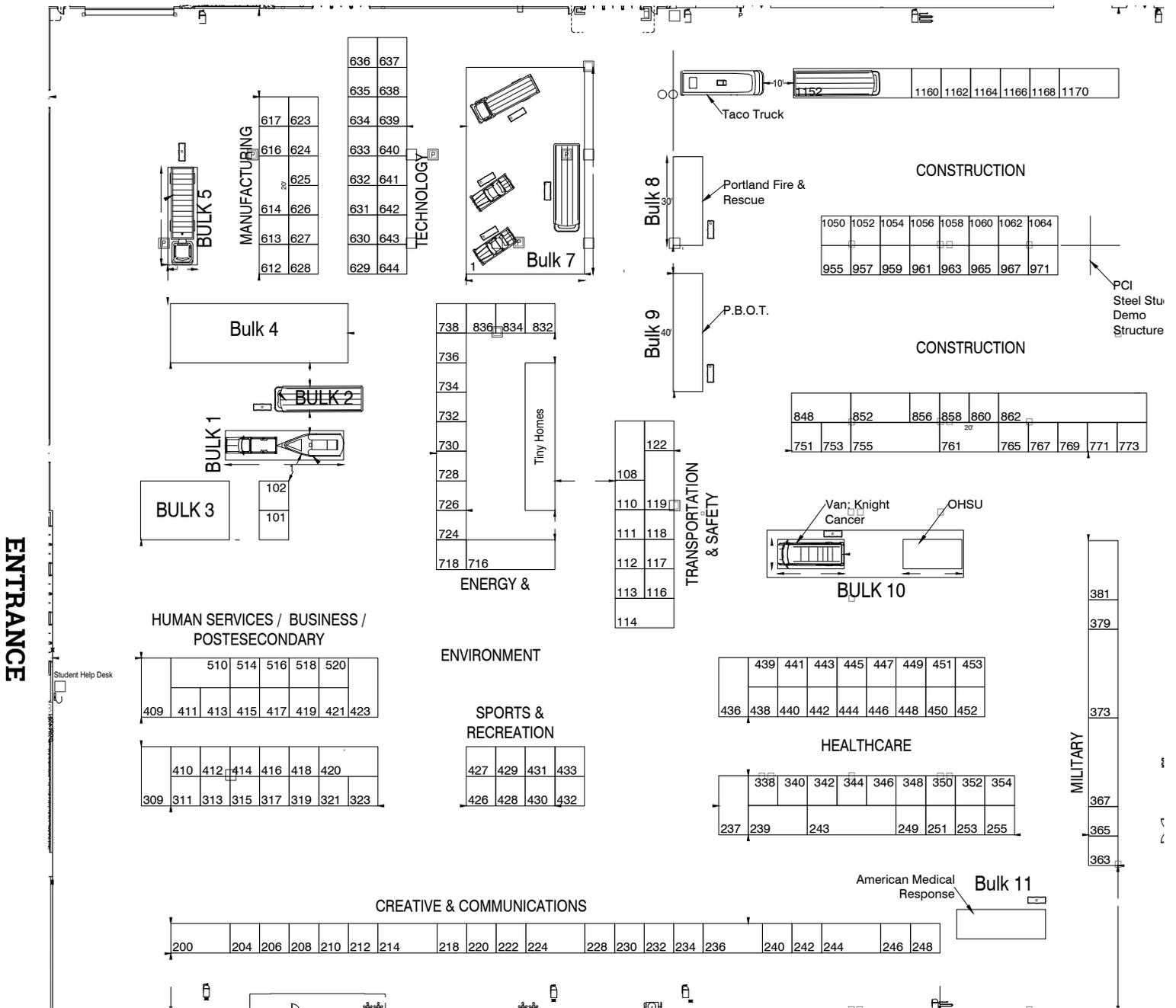
What can people expect to earn in entry-level jobs in this field?
What do you enjoy most about your job, and what do you find the most challenging?
Does this job allow for a good work-life balance?

Advice for the Future

What are the best opportunities for someone entering this field?
Are there any trends in your industry you're excited about?
Does your workplace have any internship or apprenticeship opportunities?
Does your workplace offer job shadowing opportunities?

MAP OF EXHIBIT HALL

HALL C-D



CAREER PATHWAYS

BUSINESS

CREATIVE & COMMUNICATIONS

CONSTRUCTION & DESIGN

ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT

HEALTHCARE

HUMAN SERVICES

MANUFACTURING

MILITARY

POSTSECONDARY

SAFETY

SPORTS & RECREATION

TECHNOLOGY & ENGINEERING

TRANSPORTATION

EXHIBITORS (By Career Pathway)

As of March 2, 2026

BUSINESS

409	OnPoint Community Credit Union
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413	Oregon State Bar
415	Oregon Hospitality Foundation
417	Mt. Hood Community College: Computer Information Systems
419	Oregon Institute of Technology: Admissions
423	Gee Automotive Companies
514	Columbia Bank
516	Oregon Entrepreneurs Network
518	Portland State University: School of Business
520	CREW Network, Portland chapter
Bulk	iQ Credit Union

CREATIVE & COMMUNICATIONS

200	Summit Salon Academy Portland
204	Friends of Noise
206	Wonderfolk
208	NW Museum of Cartoon Arts
210	PCC: Multimedia, Animation & Video Production
212	LAIKA
214	Oregon Film: The Art of Makeup / Willamette Writers / Koerner Camera
218	Mt. Hood Community College: Integrated Media/Theatre Tech
220	Portland Fashion Institute
222	UPLIFT Leadership
224	The Oregonian Media Group
228	Oregon Public Broadcasting
230	BPN Inc.
234	Coates Kokes
236	Wieden+Kennedy
240	Thesis
242	Upswell
244	Pacific Printing Industries Educational Trust
246	Aveda Institute Portland
248	Phagans School Of Hair Design

CONSTRUCTION & DESIGN

751	Hoffman Construction
753	RJ Ramos
755	Oregon Laborers Training & Apprenticeship - OSILETT/LiUNA Local 737
761	Regional Training Center
765	Area I Plumbers Apprenticeship
767	Area 1 Inside Electrical JATC
769	Area I Sign Installers Apprenticeship
771	Omega Morgan
773	Apollo Mechanical Contractors
848	Skanska USA
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856	NECA-IBEW Electrical Training Center
858	GB Manchester, Inc.
860	Professional Land Surveyors of Oregon
862	IUOE Local 701
955	Fortis Construction Inc.
957	Walsh Construction Co.
959	Howard S. Wright Construction
961	ACE Mentor Program of Oregon
963	Andersen Construction

965	LMC Construction
967	INLINE Construction
971	US Army Corps of Engineers
1050	OEG, Inc.
1052	Sundt Construction
1054	Lease Crutcher Lewis
1056	Portland Community College: Apprenticeship & Trades
1058	Oregon Tradeswomen
1060	American Society of Landscape Architects, Oregon chapter
1062	National Association of the Remodeling Industry, NARI Pacific NW
1064	Northwest College of Construction
1152	Glacier NW, A CalPortland Company
1160	Glaziers Apprenticeship
1162	JW Fowler Co.
1164	Job Corps
1166	UA Local 669 Fire Sprinkler Fitters JATC: Apprenticeship
1168	Viking Automatic Sprinkler Co.
1170	Stages Northwest
Bulk	Performance Contracting Inc (PCI)

ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT

716+718	Portland General Electric
724	Pacific Power
726	NW Line JATC: Line Construction & Utility Arboriculture
728	OSSIA: Oregon Solar + Storage Industries Association
730	Energy Trust of Oregon
732	Oregon Farm Corps
734	Northwest RiverPartners
736	Association of Public Health Laboratories and State of Oregon: DEQ Environmental Laboratory
738	Pacific Northwest Clean Water Association: POMC
832	Oregon State University: College of Forestry (COF) & College of Earth, Ocean, and Atmospheric Sciences (CEOAS)
834	Mt. Hood Community College: Natural Resources and Fisheries
836	Portland Community College: Science, Technology, Engineering, Math

Bulk	City of Portland: Bureau of Environmental Services
Bulk	City of Portland: Portland Water Bureau

HEALTHCARE

237	Kaiser Permanente
239	Providence
243	Portland Community College: Healthcare & Emergency Professions
249	Alliance of Black Nurses Association of Oregon
251	EyeHealth Northwest
253	Cascadia Health
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344	OHSU Ctr. for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities + Leadership Educ. in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities

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348	Oregon Area Health Education Ctr. (AHEC)
350	OHSU Ctr. for Learner Diversity and Inclusion + Talent Acquisition
352	OHSU-PSU School of Public Health
354	Oregon Institute of Technology: Healthcare
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438	OHSU School of Medicine - MD Program
439	Portland Community College: Biotech Program (BIT)
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441	Oregon Life Sciences
442	OHSU School of Nursing
443	Oregon State University: College of Pharmacy
444	OHSU/OIT Medical Laboratory Science
445	Mt. Hood Community College: Nursing/Health Professions and Education
446	OHSU Pharmacy Tech Prog. + Diagnostic Imaging Services
447	Mt. Hood Community College: Health Occupations
448	OHSU Radiation Therapy Prog. + Medical Physics Prog.
449	Oregon Care Careers
450	OHSU School of Dentistry
451	Oregon Home Care Commission
452	OHSU Graduate Programs: Neuroscience + Human Nutrition
453	Marquis Companies
Bulk	American Medical Response
Bulk	OHSU Knight Cancer Inst. Mobile Community Outreach and Engagement

HUMAN SERVICES

101	Portland Parks and Recreation
102	City of Portland: We Are Better Together, Bureau of Human Resources
311	Portland Community College: Career Pathways
313	United We Heal
315	Oregon Humane Society
317	Multnomah County
319	Early Childhood Education: Clackamas & Portland Community Colleges
321	Life2Launch
323	American Red Cross - Cascades Region
421	Goodwill Industries of the Columbia Willamette
Bulk	City of Portland: Urban Forestry

MANUFACTURING

612	Lacrosse/Danner Footwear
613	MECOP, Inc.
614	Benchmade Knife Company
616	KAI USA, Ltd (Kershaw, Zero Tolerance Knives & Shun): Kershaw
623	Portland Community College: Welding
624	Vigor Marine Group
625	The Boeing Company: Portland Joint Programs
626	Portland Community College: Columbia County Training Center (OMIC)
627	Mt. Hood Community College: Applied Technologies
628	Gunderson Marine LLC
Bulk	Daimler Truck North America

MILITARY

363	U.S. Navy
365	U.S. Coast Guard Recruiting
367	Oregon Air National Guard
373	Oregon Army National Guard
379	U.S. Marine Corps

381 U.S. Army

POSTSECONDARY

309	Portland Community College: Admissions and Recruitment
410	Southern Oregon University: Admissions
412	Linfield University
414	HECC/Office of Student Access and Completion
416	Portland State University: Admissions
418	University of Oregon: Office of Admissions
420	U.S. Army ROTC
510	Mt. Hood Community College

SAFETY

117	Portland Police Bureau
118	PDX Bomb Dogs
119	Clackamas Community College: Wildland Fire/Emergency Management/GIS
122	City of Portland: Office of Violence Prevention & Safe Blocks / Portland Street Response
Bulk	Portland Fire & Rescue

SPORTS & RECREATION

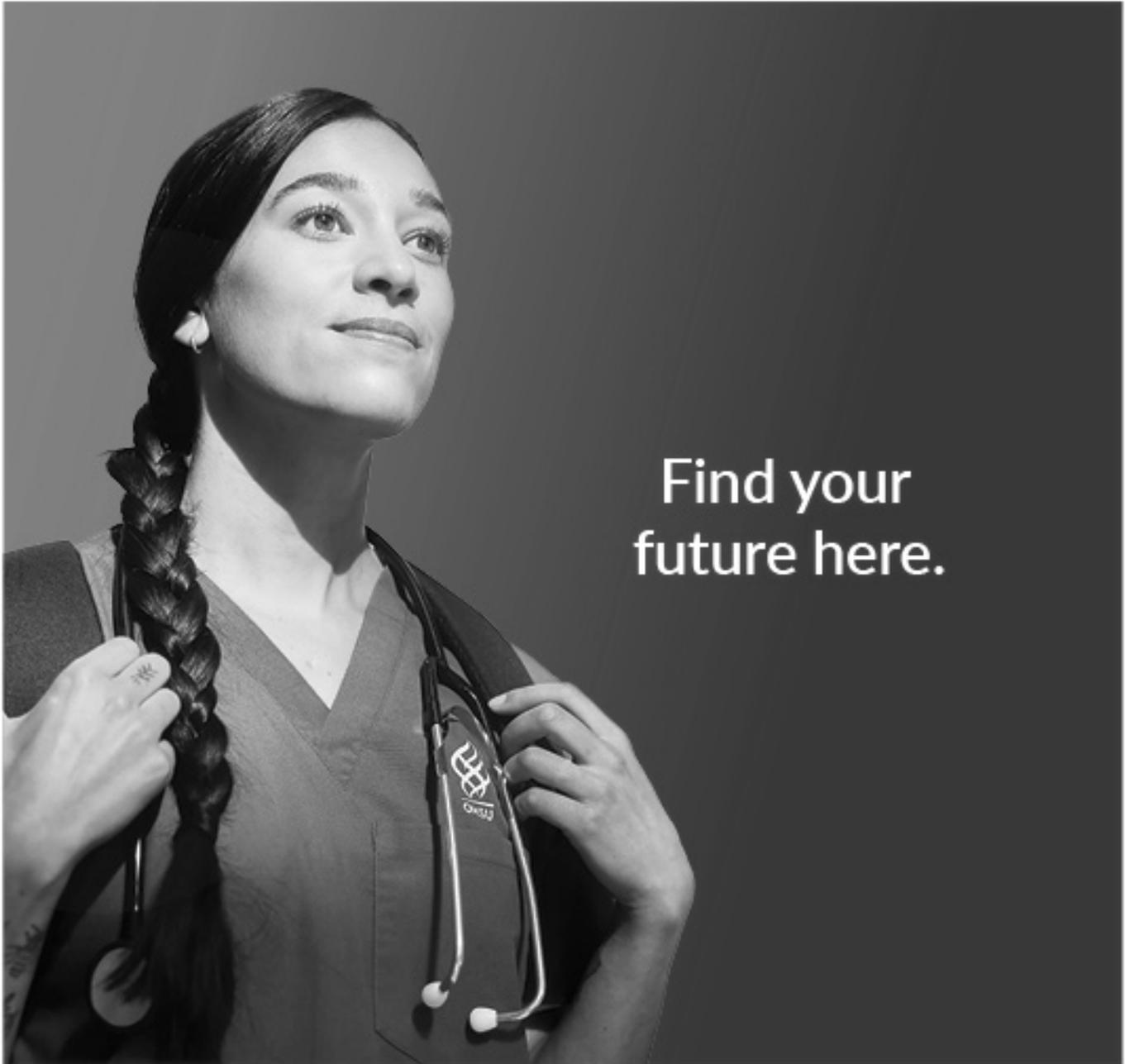
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429	Women in Footwear Design: Prosper Portland
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431	Under Armour Inc
433	Tualatin Hills Park and Recreation District

TECHNOLOGY & ENGINEERING

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630	Oregon State University: College of Engineering
631	NW Cyber Camp: Oregon Cybersecurity Center of Excellence at PSU
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636	Oregon Institute of Technology: Engineering
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638	Portland State University: Civil & Environmental Engineering
639	Portland State University: Mechanical & Materials Engineering
640	Portland State University: Maseeh College of Engineering and Computer Science
641	American Public Works Association
642	Portland Public Schools: Office of Technology & Information Services
643	Portland Community College: Engineering & Computer Science
644	Intel

TRANSPORTATION

108	Clackamas Community College: Automotive & Welding
110	Oregon Department of Transportation and Bureau of Labor & Industries
111	Oak Harbor Freight Lines
112	Hillsboro Aero Academy
113	Portland Community College: Automotive & Diesel Service
114	Lithia & Driveway
116	Core Group Consulting
Bulk	Intercept Aviation
Bulk	Port of Portland
Bulk	Portland Bureau of Transportation



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WHY JOIN?

- Life-long career training & learning opportunities
- College Credit Options
- 2 Year Program
- Benefits (Family Healthcare and Pension)
- Earn living wages

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- » **Career growth:** Enjoy access to a tailored career development pathway
- » **Mentorship:** Receive guidance from seasoned professionals
- » **Collaborative environment:** Thrive in a supportive work culture
- » **Networking opportunities:** Connect with industry leaders
- » **Community impact:** Get involved through a robust volunteer program



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Lodging (OSU residence halls) and meals are provided, and students will learn from the staff of OSU's award-winning student newspaper, "The Barometer." Course credit may also be provided.

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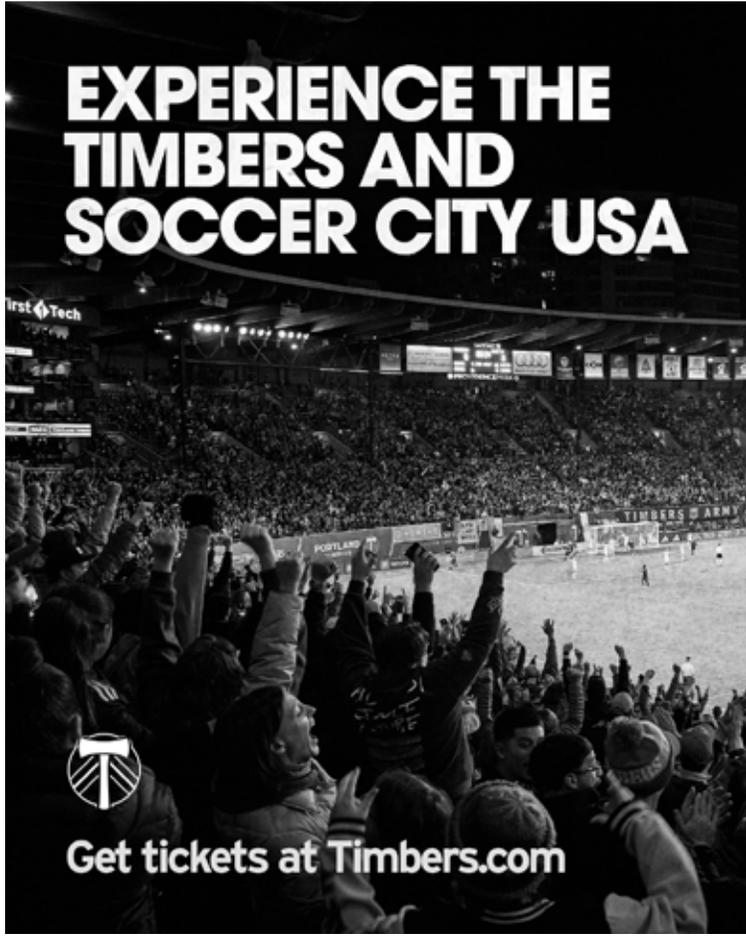
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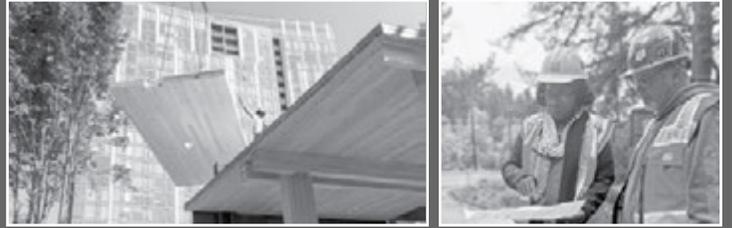


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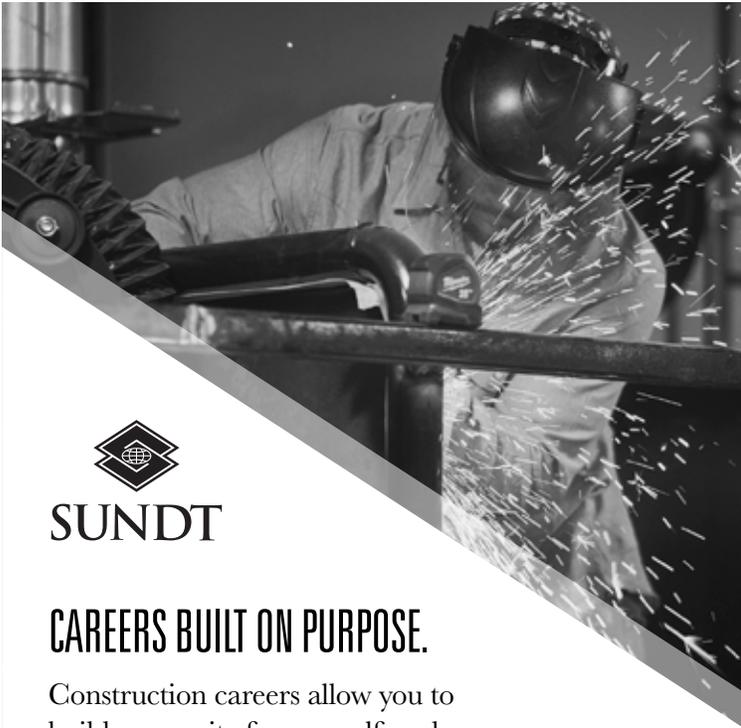
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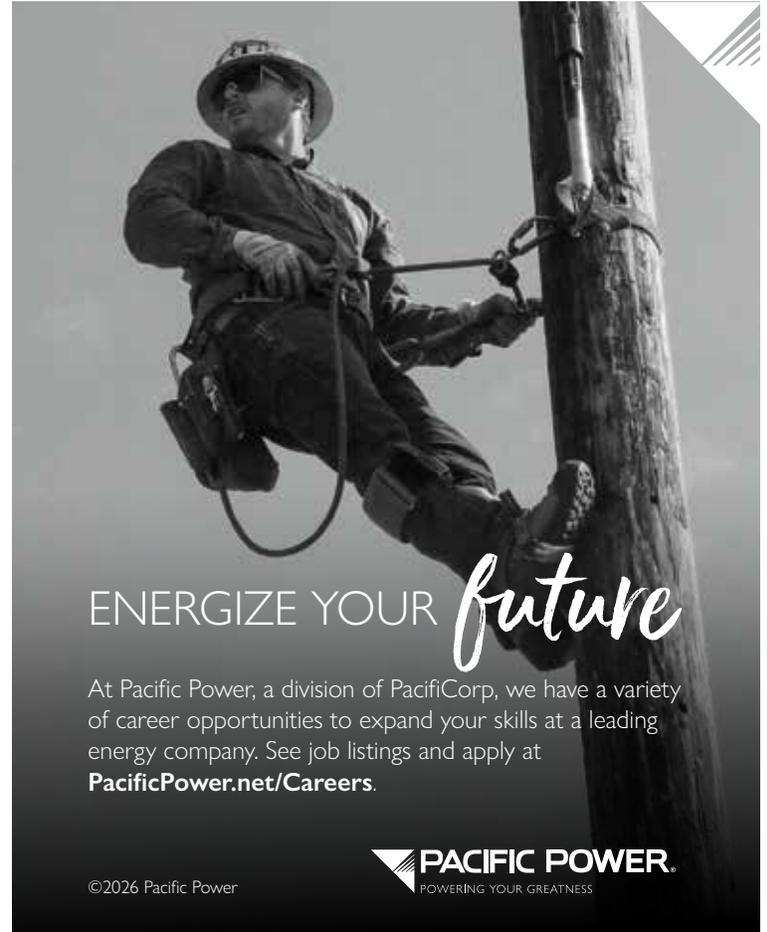


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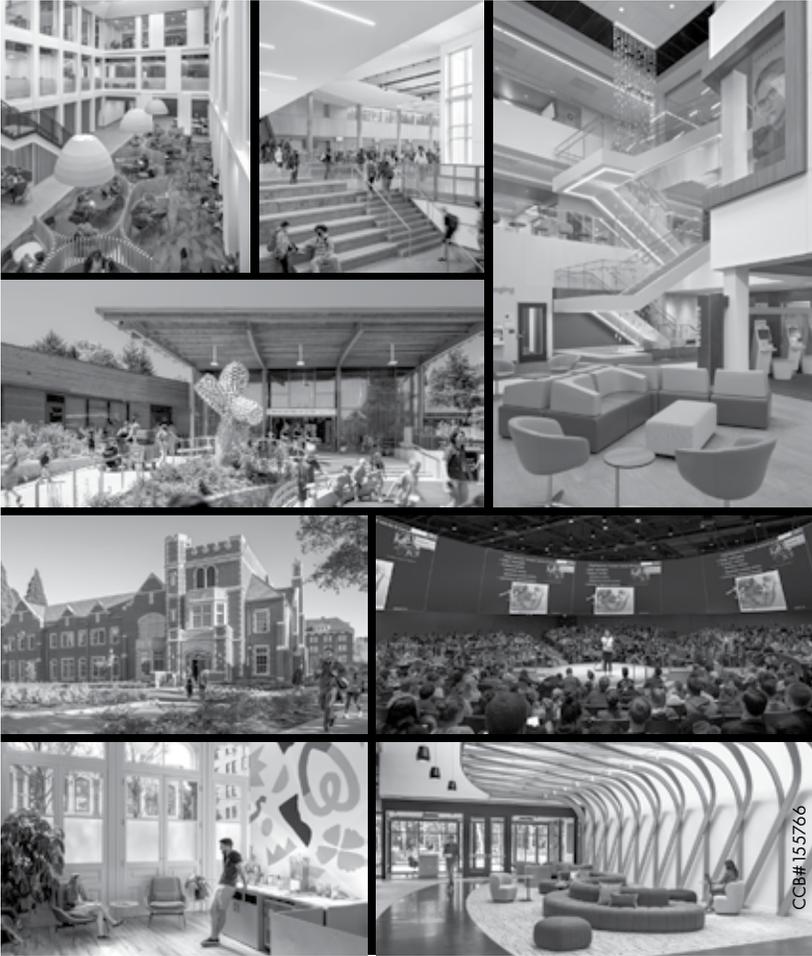
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OUR WORK

PWA works with high schools, employers, colleges and training centers to help students develop **college-and-career aspirations** and skills. With our partners, we provide nearly 9,000 career-learning experiences a year.

NW YOUTH CAREERS EXPO

The annual Careers Expo features top employers and draws students from Oregon and SW Washington. More than 5,600 students and educators from 80+ high schools attended the most recent in-person Expo, and our 230+ exhibitors included colleges, apprenticeship training centers and the **region's leading employers** who offer mock interviews, demos and career connections.

"There were a lot of booths and there was a good mix of everything. It was my first time so it was a really cool experience."

- Expo Student Attendee, 2025

CAREER DAYS

We work with partners to host about 30 Career Days annually, connecting hundreds of students to leading employers at their workplaces for experiential learning. Volunteers share insights and provide coaching on the skills and education needed to thrive in their work. Many Career Days involve projects or hands-on learning.

MENTORSHIPS & IN-DEPTH EXPERIENCES

We work with partners to connect 250 students annually with free after-school mentorships and other experiences. Our goals are to strengthen and diversify the local talent pipeline, empower underrepresented students and help young people develop their **confidence, knowledge and networks**. These experiences include:

- **PWA Future of Nursing:** In-depth college-and-career experience in healthcare.
- **PWA Youth Impact Council:** Advisory role with skills building and career coaching.
- **PWA Creative Careers:** Exploratory mentorship emphasizing creativity, business and design.
- **PWA Construction Mentorship:** Hands-on exploration in sustainable construction, electrical, and the trades.
- **PWA Summer Career Academy:** Career empowerment and skills development for female and non-binary students.
- **ACE Mentor Program:** This separate nonprofit staffed by PWA focuses on careers in architecture, construction and engineering in a project-based team setting.

CLASSROOM AND BEYOND

PWA assists career coordinators with on-campus and virtual activities such as career fairs and mock interviews. We collaborate with fellow nonprofits serving underrepresented youth. We link teachers with employers to help show students the connections between the **classroom and real life**. PWA also facilitates job shadows, summer work experiences and volunteer opportunities.



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students

80+
high schools

15+
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MULTNOMAH COUNTY

Centennial School District

- Centennial High School

Corbett School District

- Corbett High School

David Douglas School District

- David Douglas High School
- David Douglas Community Transition Program

Portland Public Schools

- Alliance High School
- Benson Polytechnic High School
- Cleveland High School
- Franklin High School
- Grant High School
- Ida B. Wells High School
- Jefferson High School
- Lincoln High School
- McDaniel High School
- Mt Scott Learning Center
- Portland DART School
- Roosevelt High School
- Youngson High School at Pioneer / Youth Transition Program

Gresham-Barlow School District

- Gresham High School
- Metro East Web Academy
- REY Academy High School
- Sam Barlow High School
- Springwater Trail High School

Parkrose School District

- Parkrose High School
- Parkrose LEAP

Reynolds School District

- Reynolds Learning Academy

Private, Alternative & Community Programs

- Baker Charter Schools
- Central Catholic High School
- Columbia Christian High School
- Elevate Oregon
- Janus Youth Programs, Inc.
- New Avenues for Youth
- Outside In: School of Urban Ed
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CLACKAMAS COUNTY

Colton School District

- Colton High School

Estacada School District

- Estacada School District
- Summit Learning Charter

Lake Oswego School District

- Lake Oswego High School
- Lakeridge High School

North Clackamas School District

- Adrienne C. Nelson High School
- Clackamas High School
- Clackamas Middle College
- Milwaukie High School
- New Urban High School
- PACE Teen Parent Program
- Rex Putnam High School
- Twilight Diploma Completion Program

Oregon City School District

- Alliance Charter Academy
- Oregon City Service Learning Academy

West Linn-Wilsonville School District

- Wilsonville High School

Private, Alternative & Community Programs

- La Salle Catholic College Preparatory
- North Clackamas Christian School

CLATSOP COUNTY

Knappa District

- Knappa High School

Private, Alternative & Community Programs

- Pre-College TRIO in Clatsop County

COLUMBIA COUNTY

Rainier School District

- Rainier High School

St. Helens School District

- Plymouth High School
- St Helens High School

Vernonia School District

- Vernonia High School

GRANT COUNTY

Prairie City School District

- Oregon Connections Academy

HOOD RIVER COUNTY

Hood River County School District

- Hood River Valley High School

JEFFERSON COUNTY

Culver School District

- Culver High School

MARION COUNTY

Salem-Keizer Public Schools

- McNary High School
- Roberts High School
- Salem-Keizer Migrant Education Program
- South Salem High School

Woodburn Public Schools

- French Prairie Middle School
- Woodburn High School

Private, Alternative & Community Programs

- Chemawa Indian High School
- Oregon Charter Academy
- Western Christian High School

TILLAMOOK COUNTY

Tillamook School District

- Tillamook High School

Nestucca Valley School District

- Nestucca High School

WASCO COUNTY

North Wasco School District

- Innovations Academy, N. Wasco County SD

South Wasco School District

- South Wasco County High School

WASHINGTON COUNTY

Banks School District

- Banks High School

Beaverton School District

- Beaverton Academy of Science and Engineering
- Beaverton High School
- FLEX Online School
- Mountainside High School
- Southridge High School
- Westview High School

Forest Grove School District

- Forest Grove High School

Gaston School District

- Gaston High School

Hillsboro School District

- Century High School
- Hillsboro School District Independent Transition Program
- Liberty High School

Northwest Regional Education Service District

- Cascade Academy
- Pacific Academy

Tigard-Tualatin School District

- Cordero
- Tigard High School
- TTSD Creekside Community High School
- Tualatin High School

YAMHILL COUNTY

Amity School District

- Amity High School

Dayton School District

- Dayton High School

Willamina/Sheridan School Districts

- Willamina High School & Sheridan High School

WASHINGTON STATE

Battle Ground School District

Castle Rock School District

- Castle Rock High School

Evergreen Public Schools

- Archway Academy
- Evergreen High School, GEAR UP Program
- Heritage High School
- Mountain View High School

Skamania County

- Stevenson-Carson High School

Trout Lake School District

- Trout Lake School

Vancouver Public Schools

- Fort Vancouver High School
- GATE Transition Program
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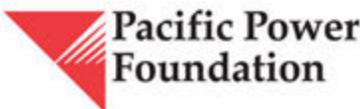
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