

Indiana Career Council Indiana Regional Works Councils

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Indiana Career Council

PL 60-2013

- * Align and Coordinate Activities of Indiana's Education, Job Skills Development, and Career Training System
 - * Ensure that education and training provided meets the existing and future needs of Indiana's job market
- * Develop a comprehensive strategic plan to improve Indiana's education, job skills development, and career training system
 - * Due by July 1, 2014; Interim update due by December 1, 2013
- * Provide Administrative Oversight of the Indiana Workforce Intelligence System (IWIS)
- * Develop and Maintain an Inventory of Current Job and Career Training Activities Provided by Members of the System

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Composition

- * Governor – Chair
- * Lt. Governor – Vice Chair
- * Commissioner for Department of Workforce Development; Secretary of Commerce; State Superintendent of Public Instruction; Commissioner of the Commission for Higher Education; Secretary for Family and Social Services; and President of Ivy Tech
- * Governor’s appointee representing each manufacturing, business, labor, life sciences and labor
- * Two members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker
- * Two members of the of the Senate appointed by the President Pro Tem
- * Governor appointed three Special Advisors

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Work to Date

Progress Report

- * Training Inventory; Skill Gap Analyses; Asset Mapping
- * Taskforces: IWIS & Community Colleges Best Practices
- * Strategic Plan Framework
 - * **Career Pathways for all aligned to sector needs of state and regions**
- * New taskforces established in November
 - * Employment Growth
 - * Program Alignment & Talent Development

Strategic Planning Consultant Determined - December

Next Meeting: January 22, 2014, 11AM

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- * Evaluate career & technical education opportunities currently available to our high school students
 - * Due to Governor & Education Roundtable by Nov. 1, 2013
- * Councils will seek industry's input on readiness for career and alignment to additional postsecondary study
 - * **May offer proposals for alternative career and technical education curriculum to the State Board of Education after December 31, 2013**
- * Councils will organize partnerships that seek state funding to match private investments for innovative career & technical education programs

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Composition

- ~15 appointees
- At least half are industry/business leaders
- Other appointees: secondary, postsecondary, economic development, workforce development and community partners



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Work to Date

- * November 1 Evaluation Reports
 - * Five Themes:
 - * Understanding employers' needs
 - * Creating more awareness about CTE opportunities in schools
 - * Building employability skills into curriculum
 - * Examining how well industry requirements for STEM knowledge align with high school diploma requirements
 - * Existing innovative curriculum
- * Upcoming Meetings
 - * Employer/Industry Feedback
 - * CTE programs and associated outcomes
 - * Questions as posed by Career Council

Role of SBOE

- * Input on Career Council
- * Engagement in Regional Works Councils
- * Consideration of alternative CTE curriculum

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