

Workforce Development –



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Primary purpose is to inform members of initiatives that will increase the skills and knowledge of the local workforce to enhance the quality and availability of a workforce to support the business needs. Support Veterans and Disabled initiatives related to workforce readiness.

- Serve as advocate and program coordinator for workforce readiness chapter activities.
- Partner with local schools to share information. Contact local workforce readiness coordinators within the schools to discuss initiatives.
- Identify and evaluate issues that impact workforce readiness and develop goals for chapter workforce readiness strategy.
- Report on workforce readiness issues to chapter members and serve as advocate at chapter activities for education programs.
- Serve as a resource for chapter members on workforce readiness issues and provide leadership to the chapter on education issues.
- Monitor local activities concerning workforce readiness and provide timely information on education issues to the chapter president and state workforce readiness director.
- Work in close cooperation with state workforce readiness director.
- Develop and support workshops and seminars that address workforce readiness issues.
- Provide special recognition for chapter members and for local programs that promote betterment of the local workforce through educational process.
- Respond to any other requirements of the chapter president and state workforce readiness director.
- Participate in SHRM Workforce Readiness Core Leadership Area volunteer leader conference calls and webcasts.
- Participate in the development and implementation of short-term and long-term strategic planning for the chapter.
- Represent the chapter in the human resources community.