



# GROW APPRENTICESHIP CALIFORNIA

Supporting the expansion of apprenticeships and providing access statewide.

## Highlights

- » **Awarded \$1M** from Irvine Apprenticeship Grant for a two year period
- » **Over 1800+** Community of Practice members

## Partnership Types Supported

- Continuum of apprenticeship programs (pre-apprenticeship, apprenticeship, Enhanced OJT)
- Local education agencies (K-12, Adult Education)
- State agencies
- Community colleges
- CBO's and Non-profits
- Industry associations
- Intermediaries
- Unions

With support from The James Irvine Foundation, Grow Apprenticeship California supports California's apprenticeship eco-system by bringing together practitioners statewide and offering technical assistance that encourages the creation of Apprenticeship opportunities in California.

An initiative of the Foundation for California Community Colleges, Grow Apprenticeship California helps expand and scale apprenticeship in new and innovative sectors, as well as pre-apprenticeship programs linked to traditional and new and innovative programs, with the goal of connecting all Californians to careers with family-sustaining wages and advancement opportunities.

## NEW AND INNOVATIVE SECTORS

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| <b>AGRICULTURE</b>              | <b>FOOD SAFETY</b>                               |
| <b>ADVANCED MANUFACTURING</b>   | <b>HEALTH CARE</b>                               |
| <b>AEROSPACE</b>                | <b>HOSPITALITY</b>                               |
| <b>CULINARY</b>                 | <b>INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY</b> |
| <b>EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION</b> | <b>MARITIME</b>                                  |

## GOALS

Increasing the number of apprenticeships across California is an effective strategy for upskilling workers to access jobs with livable incomes and for leveling inequities within the employment marketplace. Our goals include:

- Increasing access for women and communities of color while promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion in the California workforce.
- Bridging the gap among cross-sector stakeholders in the apprenticeship field, including government agencies, workforce boards, education, industry, and community organizations.
- Supporting and fostering a networked intermediary structure to form the basis of an industry-driven statewide apprenticeship system.

## SUPPORTS AND SERVICES

The Apprenticeship Support Network is a team dedicated to strengthening the connection between pre-apprenticeship and registered apprenticeship programs by offering the following supports and services:

- Grow Apprenticeship California Online Community of Practice
- In-person labs and digital convenings
- Webinars and newsletters
- Sharing effective practices
- Providing a statewide network of support and subject matter experts
- Needs assessments

## CONTACT US

Join our Community of Practice on LinkedIn  
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