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No-Cost Training Available for Tech and Manufacturing Jobs
WorkSource Holding Information Fair

Vancouver, Wash. (Dec. 1, 2016) — An information fair about free training programs to help unemployed or underemployed individuals get jobs in technology or manufacturing will be held at WorkSource on December 15.

Job seekers attending the event will have an opportunity to hear from employers about the skills and training they're seeking in new employees. Representatives from education and training organizations, including Clark College, New Horizons, Charter College, Tech Academy, Soldering.biz and more, will be available to discuss their programs. Attendees can also learn about no-cost training programs, scholarships and free job and employment services offered at WorkSource.

The event will be held Thursday, December 15 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. at WorkSource, 204 SE Stonemill Drive, Suite 215, Vancouver.

Attending the training fair is a great first step for individuals interested in learning about the technology and manufacturing fields.

Job seekers should bring copies of their resume and dress in business casual.

For more information, contact WorkSource Career Coach, Jacob Miller, at jamiller@esd.wa.gov or 360.735.5084.

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WorkSource is a partnership of state agencies, local service providers, colleges and community organizations that provide free employment and training services to employers and job seekers. WorkSource assists employers to recruit and screen for qualified applicants, provides wage reimbursement opportunities through On-the-Job Trainings, and supplies cost-savings information on employment tax credits. WorkSource serves more than 1,000 jobseekers and 200 businesses each month. For information, go to www.worksourcewa.com.

Workforce Southwest Washington (WSW) (formerly known as the Southwest Washington Workforce Development Council), a nonprofit organization founded in 2002, contributes to regional economic growth by providing investments and resources to improve the skills and education of the workforce in Clark, Cowlitz and Wahkiakum counties. Programs funded through WSW help businesses find and hire the employees they need and provide people with the skills, education and training to find work or advance in their careers. WSW partners with employers, community colleges and universities, labor groups, government and economic development agencies, high schools and community organizations. Learn more at www.workforcesw.org.

Serving businesses, job seekers and youth in Clark, Cowlitz and Wahkiakum counties.