

**The U.S. Conference of Mayors
Workforce Development Council (WDC)
Pre-Forum Summer Jobs Workshop**

**St. Gregory Hotel & Suites
Washington, DC**

**Draft Agenda
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Monday, September 21, 2009

(St. Gregory, Rooms "A&B")

8:00 – 9:00 a.m.

Registration

8:30 a.m.

Continental Breakfast

9:00 – 9:15 a.m.

Welcome and Opening Remarks

MICHAEL GRITTON
Executive Director
KentuckianaWorks
City of Louisville
WDC President

9:15 – 9:30 a.m.

Summer Jobs Workshop Overview and Facilitation

STEVE CORONA
President and CEO
Job Works
Fort Wayne

9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Keynote Address: An Overview of the 2009 Summer Youth Program under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA)

GREGG WELTZ
Chief of the Division of Youth Services
Employment and Training Administration
U.S. Department of Labor

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

Break

10:45 a.m. – 12:00 noon

First Panel - Sharing What Happened

(Throughout the workshop, TV stories or videos depicting local programs will be shown)

Panel:

Lewisburg, PA

KATE LOMAX
Youth Coordinator
Central Pennsylvania Workforce Development Corporation

Miami

MYRIA MORGAN
Youth Program Manager
South Florida Workforce Investment Board

New York City

ALAN CHENG
Director
Department of Youth and Community Development

St. Louis

ALICE PRINCE
Youth Services Manager
SLATE Missouri Career Center

Spokane

CAMI HANSON
Chief Operations Officer
Career Path Services

12:00 – 1:00 p.m.

Working Lunch: NYEC Summer Jobs Survey Results

MALA THAKUR
Executive Director
National Youth Employment Coalition

1:00 – 2:15 p.m.

Second Panel – Sharing What Happened

Panel:

Indianapolis

BROOKE HUNTINGTON
President and CEO
Indianapolis Private Industry Council

Killeen

DEBORAH GOMMERT
Workforce Center Administrator
Workforce Solutions of Central Texas

Philadelphia

STACY HOLLAND
Co-President and COO
Philadelphia Youth Network, Inc.

San Diego

MARGIE DERUYTER
Director, Youth Programs
San Diego Workforce Partnership

2:15 – 2:30 p.m.

Break

2:30 – 3:30 p.m.

“Tablestorming”: Informal Participant Discussion on Issues, Concerns and Successes

3:30 – 3:45 p.m.

Break

3:45 – 4:45 p.m.

Youth Programs/Youth Funding: Where Are We Going?

ROCHELLE DANIELS
Assistant County Attorney
Office of the County Attorney for Broward County
c/o Workforce One Solutions
City of Lauderhill

MICHAEL GRITTON
Executive Director
KentuckianaWorks
City of Louisville
WDC President

CLYDE MCQUEEN
President and CEO
Full Employment Council, Inc.
Kansas City

RON PAINTER
Chief Executive Officer
National Association of Workforce Boards

KAREN SITNICK
Director
Baltimore City Office of Employment Development
WDC First Vice President

JOHN TWOMEY
Executive Director
NY Association of Training and Employment Professionals, Inc.

4:45 – 5:00 p.m.

Wrap Up and Next Steps

5:00 – 6:30 p.m.

Opening Reception
(St. Gregory Hotel Lounge)

7:00 p.m.

Board Dinner
(Firefly Restaurant, 1310 New Hampshire Avenue NW)

**The U.S. Conference of Mayors
Workforce Development Council (WDC)/
Jobs for the Future
21st Annual Congressional Forum**

Tuesday, September 22, 2009

(St. Gregory, Rooms "A&B")

7:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast
8:00 – 8:15 a.m.	Welcome and Opening Remarks MICHAEL GRITTON Executive Director KentuckianaWorks City of Louisville WDC President RAY UHALDE Vice President Workforce & Education Strategies Group Jobs for the Future
8:15 – 8:30 a.m.	Summer Jobs “Tablestorming” Reports
8:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Washington Update RAY UHALDE Vice President Workforce & Education Strategies Group Jobs for the Future JOHN COLBERT Senior Counsel Workforce & Education Strategies Group Jobs for the Future

2:45 – 4:45 p.m.

Workforce Policy Outlook for the 111th Congress

CELINE MCNICHOLAS (Invited)
Labor Counsel
Committee on Education and Labor
U.S. House of Representatives

KIRSTEN DUNCAN
Minority Professional Staff Member
Education & Human Services Policy
Committee on Education and Labor
U.S. House of Representatives

DAVID JOHNS
Education Policy Advisor
Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions
U.S. Senate

CRYSTAL BRIDGEMAN
Professional Staff
Subcommittee on Employment and Workforce Safety
Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions
U.S. Senate

BETH B. BUEHLMANN (Invited)
Minority Education Policy Director
Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions
U.S. Senate

4:45 p.m.

Wrap-up Discussion and Next Steps

MICHAEL GRITTON
Executive Director
KentuckianaWorks
City of Louisville
WDC President

5:00 p.m.

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