



Educational Opportunity Centers of PA Workshop List

Postsecondary/College Focused

Anatomy of a College Application: this workshop covers everything that you wanted to know about apply to college-it includes an overview of the Common App.

Financial Aid 101: Everything that you need to know about paying for postsecondary schooling. FAFSA, PHEAA, scholarship & education incentives.

Introduction to Postsecondary Planning & EOC Services: This workshop is for individuals interested in pursuing any type of education beyond the high school diploma or GED. Learn about different levels of education. It also includes an overview of EOC agency services.

Scholarships! Scholarships! Scholarships! Yes, Virginia, there are scholarships for you! This workshop assists with finding scholarships & preparing your application. Essay writing help is available from our tutors.

Tackling Student Loan Debt: Overview of student loan programs, ways to approach paying off student loans & dealing with default.

Earn College Credit without sitting in Class: this workshop includes CLEP Exams, MOOCs, and more! How to increase your education for FREE (or almost FREE).

Career Focused

Hot Jobs of the Future: this workshop combines all hot careers using the PA High Priority Occupation List. It also includes information on salaries and job growth potential.

Career Decision Making with O'net Interest Inventory: this workshop is for the undecided career changer that is looking for a starting point. This workshop includes an Interest Assessment to determine Holland Occupational Codes and how you match to careers.

Career Exploration Workshops in Sectors: each workshop focuses on specific industry hot jobs and career ladders with education needs. Industry Sector workshops:

- **Business fields:** this workshop covers careers in business, accounting, human resources, administrative, and marketing. Also covers training options, how to find those jobs & KSAs;
- **Nonprofit Careers:** an exploration of jobs in this sector including Government options-state & federal;
- **Health Careers:** comprehensive look at careers in this sector with career ladders, accrediting agencies & incentive programs;

- Logistics & Manufacturing: includes wide range of job opportunities including skill sets, career ladders and wages.

Matching My Skills to Today's Workforce: this workshop employs the Covey principles of "sharpening your saw" and filling your toolbox with skills & education needed to succeed in today's workforce. Very Knowledge, Skills & Abilities focused!

Climb The Career Ladder: this workshop is for those who seek to advance in their current careers. Workshop includes strategies to improve skills and how to express your interests.

Employment Focused

Interviewing Skills: this workshop provides you everything that you need to do to "ace that interview". Strategies include in person & online interviewing tips. One on one practice sessions are available for scheduling after attending this workshop.

Resume Workshop: this workshop provides tips on writing effective resumes as well as updating existing resumes. Workshop provides information on how to incorporate your knowledge, skills, and abilities in order to be viewed as a better candidate.

Additional Workshops

Budgeting Workshop: This workshop offers strategies to improve your fiscal life.

CliftonStrengths Program: Determine your top strengths and how to access them in your personal and professional life. Certified coaches provide this three-part workshop series.

Introduction to EOC Services: A short overview of all that EOC has to offer!

Time Management Workshop: this workshop provides strategies on using your time wisely including prioritizing activities, needs versus wants, and creating a schedule to be successful.

Didn't find what you were looking for? EOC has created career and education-focused workshops tailored to many organizations' needs and might be able to do so for yours.

Contact us for more information: tammy@eocinc.org or (570) 331-6755

Educational Opportunity staff members are available to offer workshops at your facility to your participants in-person or via Zoom. Please reach out to discuss opportunities to collaborate!