

Go for the **Green**: Enhancing Workforce Opportunities
2009 Hire Education Conference Schedule

Wednesday		December 9th				
7:30 - 8:15 a.m.	No Conference Activities					
8:30 - 9:30 a.m.	No Conference Activities					
9:30 - 12:00 p.m.	WDS Advisory Council meeting <i>*council members only</i>					
Location	Stratford					
10:00 - 5 p.m.	Registration Opens					
	Grand Ballroom Foyer					
12:00 - 1:15 p.m.	Kickoff Luncheon					
Speakers	Dr. DuBois, Dr. Teaff, Peter Blake					
Location	Grand Ballroom West					
1:30 - 2:30 p.m.	Recycling a Lost and Underutilized Workforce	Building a Statewide Manufacturing Skills Solution	Breaking Boundaries in Southern Virginia	The Power of Regional Partnerships	VCCS and VDBA: A collaboration	LERN training * must be pre-registered
Presenter	Boughton	Bryan	Adkins, Hodges	Coffman	Waldrop,	Appalachian
Location	Stratford	Mt. Vernon	Blue Ridge	Piedmont	Chesapeake	
2:45 - 3:45 p.m.	Workforce Development for the Green Economy	Green certification in the Construction Industry	Building a Strong Workforce Investment Board		Best Practices in Dual Enrollment	LERN training * must be pre-registered
Presenter	Cage	Cecere	Miller, LeBlanc		Byard, Brown	Appalachian
Location	Stratford	Mt. Vernon	Blue Ridge		Chesapeake	
4:00 - 5:00 p.m.	Changes on the Federal Front	BPI-LEED-Weatherization and ARRA	Driving Career Pathways through U.S. Department of Labor Grants	Success through Open-Entry and Open-Exit	The Virginia Education Wizard	LERN training * must be pre-registered
Presenter	Brinly, Gabriel	Hightower, Sherman	Hughes, Smith	Arnold, Sexton	Dwyer	Appalachian
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5:15 - 6:15 p.m.	Chancellor's Reception <i>*by invitation only</i>					
	All guests: FREE					
Location	Tower Suite A					
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.	Dinner					
Location	Grand Ballroom West					
7:30 - 8:30	Keynote Address					
	Dennis M. Bushnell, Chief Scientist for NASA Langley Research Center					
Location	Grand Ballroom West					
9:00 - 11:00 p.m.	Hospitality Suite Open					
Location						