Employment & Training Events in CT & RI

June 5th, 2020

The Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Voc. Rehab. Program is yet accepting applications for tribally enrolled Native American/American Indians living with a disability in CT or RI; in need of employment services, apply online at www.tribalvr.org, email mmorton@mptn-nsn.gov or leave message at (860) 396-2281.

Normally, we refer to the Department of Labor/funded programs and Workforce Investment Boards in CT, http://www.ctdol.state.ct.us/rwdb/rwdb.htm for employment and training events however due to the “Stay Safe Stay Home” (CT) and “Stay at Home” (RI) executive orders, the American Job Centers and NetworkRI Job Centers are closed to the public temporarily, staff can still be reached and are working virtually. Please call directly and if nobody answers, leave a message. Refer to their websites for anticipated dates of re-opening or advisement:

https://www.ctdol.state.ct.us/
https://portal.ct.gov/Coronavirus
http://www.dlt.state.ri.us/
https://health.ri.gov/covid/

****CT Online Resources and News****

CT District Small Business Admin. Partnerships: Online Trainings:

SCORE FAIRFIELD COUNTY

“Simple Ways to Boost Your Productivity While Working Remotely”, Tue., Jun. 9th, 1:00-2:00pm,
“How to Write an Online Sales Letter That Converts”, Wed., Jun. 10th, 12:00-1:00pm,
“National Safety Guidance to Protect You and Your Workers from COVID-19 Exposure”, Thur., Jun. 11th, 1:00-2:00pm,

University of Hartford Entrepreneurial Center and Women’s Business Center

“How to Start Your Own Small Business”, Tue., Jun. 9th, 10:00am – 12:00pm, and Wed., Jun. 10th, 6:00-8:00pm,
“Creativity on Demand: How to Always Generate a Great Idea!”, Tue., Jun. 9th, 6:00 - 7:30 pm,
“Resilience in Challenging Times”, Thur., Jun. 11th, 10:00 – 11:00am,

SCORE SOUTHEASTERN CT

“Getting Your Non-Profit Organization Organized”, Wed., Jun. 10th, 1:00-2:00pm,
“Networking for Sales”, Thur., Jun. 11th, 2:00-3:00pm.

VITA services, certified tax professionals available to assist eligible taxpayers with filing taxes for free: www.211ct.org/taxhelp
NetworkRI Center Phone Numbers:

Providence: (401) 462-8900  
West Warwick: (401) 462-4100  
Woonsocket: (401) 235-1201  
Wakefield: (401) 782-4362

Thank you, Cynthia T., The Workplace NetworkRI, for sharing Job Postings:
“Offsite Information: Please see detailed job descriptions or flyers on the Google Drive! Job Postings”:  
https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1RisYbjRF3Zw0JxEub7RjEmCIlxzy0fiM

Westaff is hiring for Production Worker positions in Warwick, various positions, shifts, and pay range, FMI: Robyn Canavyn, (401) 274-7990

To view RI job postings, CV19, and unemployment updates, and resources:  

To view RI Department of Behavioral Healthcare, Developmental Disabilities & Hospitals updates in reopening:  
https://files.constantcontact.com/e70faf4f501/bd54f6c0-e67b-4636-8a93-dc9ad2e83bb3.pdf

Paul V. Sherlock Center, Lunch & Learn: Ask the Work Incentive Benefits Counselor, Wed., Jun. 10th, 12:00-12:30pm, FMI: esollecto@ric.edu

**DID YOU KNOW?**  
*The movie “Music Within” is a story about how the American Disabilities Act was created?  
http://teachwithmovies.org/music-within/

A veteran turned advocate befriended a peer with a disability that complimented his own, together they paved a path leading to legislation for people with disabilities, to view a timeline of America’s Vocational Rehabilitation birth:  
https://www.csavr.org/vr-100-timeline

**TRIBAL COMMUNITY EVENTS / NEWS**

Talking Circle (Virtual) MPTN Voc. Rehab. Prog., Thur., Jun. 11th, 12:00-1:00pm, to rsvp/FMI: mmorton@mptn-nsn.gov or leave a message at (860)396-2281.coming in June! Please check your email for dates to be announced.

The Tomaquag Museum Virtual Children’s Hour Storytime, Every Wed., 10:00am, FMI: slarose@tomaquagmuseum.org

Come visit our website at https://tribalvr.mptn-nsn.gov