



Texas Pathways Institute #2 Mapping Pathways to Students' End Goals I: Careers

Institute Purposes

The purposes of Texas Pathways Institute #2, *Mapping Pathways to Students' End Goals I: Careers* are to:

1. Define labor market outcomes as a central component of student success.
2. Create opportunities for college teams to network and learn from each other.
3. Create opportunities for college teams to analyze quantitative and qualitative data and plan for actionable next steps to connect pathways to good jobs.

Institute Learning Outcomes

As a result of participating in Texas Pathways Institute #2, participants will:

1. Recognize the importance of equity-based success post-graduation for all students.
2. Discuss successes and challenges related to effective onboarding and meaningful work-based learning.
3. Identify opportunities for new programs or services based on labor market and demographic data.
4. Plan next steps in developing equity-informed program maps.
5. Analyze the college's progress toward institutionalizing a vision for equitable student labor market outcomes.
6. Identify quantitative and qualitative data needed to evaluate the impact of change on students' experiences.
7. Create an action plan to direct college development of pathways to good jobs and associated student supports.

Wednesday, April 22

- 9:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m. **Pre-Institute Session: Accelerating Guided Pathways Reforms by Analyzing Students' Entry into Programs of Study***
Hana Lahr, Senior Research Associate, Community College Research Center
Davis Jenkins, Senior Research Scholar, Community College Research Center
** This session is designed for teams of 4-7 per college. Participation is limited to the first 25 colleges to register.*
- 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. **Pre-Institute Session: Nurturing Students' Career Foundation for Long Term Success**
Malika Clinkscales, Program Director, InsideTrack
- 2:00-3:15 p.m. **Opening Plenary: Why Post-Graduation Success Matters**
- 3:15-3:30 p.m. Break
- 3:30-5:00 p.m. **Team Strategy Session #1: Data Work**
- 5:00-6:00 p.m. **Reception**
- Dinner on your own in Houston**

Thursday, April 23

- 9:00-10:00 a.m. **Plenary: Aligning Program Pathways to Good Jobs**
- 10:00-10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:15-11:15 a.m. **Team Strategy Time #2: Analysis of Program Mix**



11:15-11:30 a.m.	Break
11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	Concurrent Session #1: Incorporating Career Conversations into Onboarding & Throughout Program Pathways
12:30-1:30 p.m.	Lunch
12:30-3:30 p.m.	CEO-only Session with Aspen Institute on Employer Partnerships and Feedback Loops to Maintain Program Quality
1:30-2:30 p.m.	Concurrent Session #2: Connecting Students to Careers through Work-Based & Experiential Learning
2:30-2:45 p.m.	Break
2:45-3:30 p.m.	Concurrent Session #3: Cross-College Conversations
3:30-3:45 p.m.	Break
3:45-5:00 p.m.	Team Strategy Time #3: Examining Student Career Exploration

Friday, April 24

9:00-10:15 a.m.	Closing Plenary
10:15-10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30 a.m.-Noon	Team Strategy Time #4: Action Planning
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