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Harvard Careers in Construction Program

The Harvard Careers in Construction Program (HCCP) provides Allston-Brighton residents with training, resources, mentoring and work experience in preparation for the Building Pathways Program and Building Trades Apprenticeships with the goal of securing gainful, long-term employment in the construction industry.



ABOUT THE PROGRAM

HCCP is a 6-month program, April–September, featuring job preparation workshops including resume writing and interviewing; mentoring from a professional in the construction trades; a paid internship with a general contractor; assistance with your application to Building Pathways or an apprenticeship; and finding employment. At program completion you receive a financial award.

We customize your program to meet your needs including math tutoring, drivers license tutoring, budgeting, business dress, and business etiquette. Your weekly time commitment depends on your individual program.

THE BENEFIT TO YOU

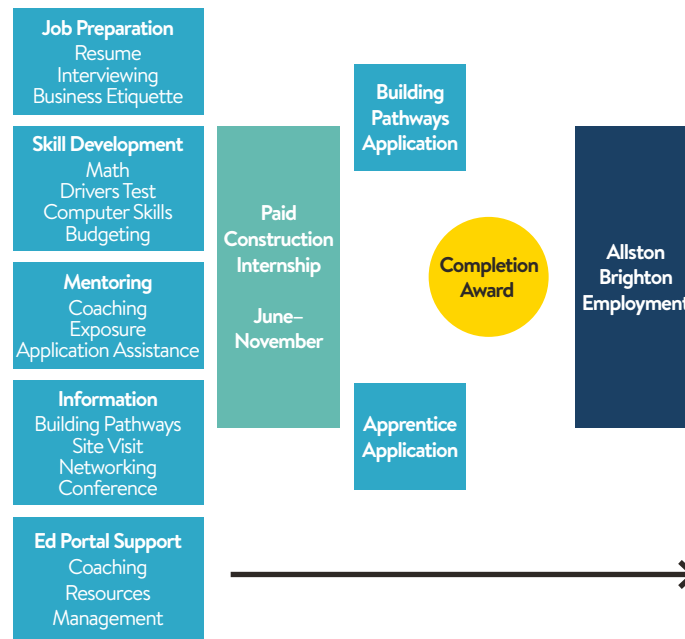
At the completion of HCCP you will have:

- The information necessary to choose a career path in construction.
- Professional credentials, related job experience, professional references, and a means to achieve gainful, long-term employment.
- Job search skills and tools to increase your marketability to employers.
- A financial completion award to be used for additional training or to purchase specialized equipment.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

To receive the HCCP Certificate of Completion and financial award you must meet the program requirements:

1. Attendance at all HCCP workshops, April–June;
2. Regular mentor meetings and achievement of goals, May–September;
3. Positive internship performance review from employer, July–September;
4. Application submission to Building Pathways or an apprenticeship, September.



PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

Attend an HCCP Orientation to determine if this program is right for you.

We are seeking individuals who are:

- Committed to pursuing a career in the building trades;
- Residents of Allston-Brighton;
- 18 years of age or older;
- Authorized to work in the U.S.;
- High School or GED graduates;
- Able to perform physically challenging work and tolerate weather conditions;
- Ability/Transportation to get to HCCP events and internship;
- Able to pass a drug test by an employer, Building Pathways or union;
- No prior affiliations with a building trades union.

If you choose to apply, an application must be completed.

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