



Institutional Policy Workshop

March 10, 2022

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Welcome and Introductions

Please include your name and institution in the chat along with one industry credential that you have earned.



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Industry Credentials Strategy Launch



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Strengthening MIWORKFORCE Pathways

The Strengthening MiWorkforce Pathways project seeks to strengthen equitable access to and through workforce programs through network-building with a strategic focus on program design, alignment with local labor market needs, incorporation of industry-recognized credentials, progress into bachelor's degree programs, and deployment of timely advising interventions to maintain student momentum. Generously funded by the Ascendium Education Group, this work centers on four core strategies. Below is a brief video overview of the project and accompanying slides.





Welcome Speakers!

Next Steps



Update Institutional Policies Using Workshop Resources



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Industry Credentials-Institutional Policy Workshop

Michigan Center for Student Success

Date 3/10/2022

Time 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM

Location Zoom

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Notes A series of four workshops will be conducted to support community colleges' development and expansion of awarding academic credit for industry credentials. This first session will focus on the features of effective policies and provide resources of how to develop/adapt your own institutional policies. Please review and reflect on your current policies and practices prior to the workshop.

Register for all of the events in the series at [MCCA Events](#):



Event Documents

- [MIworkforcepathways-Session-1---Policy.pptx.pdf](#)
- [Credit-for-Industry-Credentials--Policy-Considerations.pdf](#)
- [MI-Credit-for-Industry-Recognized-Credentials.pdf](#)

Register for Upcoming Workshops

Aligning Credentials Workshop 1 – [June 2, 2022](#)

The second session will focus on establishing equitable equivalences for credentials and determine a process for granting credit for those courses.

Student Experience Workshop – [August 4, 2022](#)

This third session focuses on designing effective internal processes to ensure that students are aware that they can earn credit and the process for doing so. This will also include examples for how to communicate this externally to prospective students and employer partners.

Aligning Credentials Workshop 2 – [October 6, 2022](#)

This fourth session will expand on the Aligning Credentials Workshop 1 (held on June 2, 2022). Participants will leave the workshop with an initial list of courses that are aligned to an industry credential, and a process to continue to identify such courses.



Prepare for Workshop #2

Identify a list of courses from your college catalog that prepare students to earn an industry credential. Watch for information from the MCCA on additional details to prepare for the workshop.



Links and Resources

- www.mcca.org
- <https://www.mcca.org/Strengthening-MiWorkforce-Pathways>
- <https://www.mcca.org/MiWorkforce-Pathways--Awarding-Academic-Credit-for-Industry-Credentials>
- www.mitransfer.org



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