



NATIONAL
JOB CORPS
ASSOCIATION

2018 NJCA Policy Forum
April 25-26 | Washington, D.C.
National Museum of the American Indian

| AGENDA |

Wednesday, April 25 – Cannon House Office Building, Room 421

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Hill Briefing

- Randi Reid, Partner, Kountoupes Denham Carr & Reid
- Lori Denham, Partner, Kountoupes Denham Carr & Reid
- James Decker, Chief of Staff, Congressman Michael C. Burgess (R-TX)

Thursday, April 26 – National Museum of the American Indian

Fourth Floor, Conference Room, Rooms 4018-4019

8:15 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.

Registration and Breakfast

8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Welcome and Introduction of New NJCA Board Chair

- Greg Roberts, Executive Director, NJCA
- Jim Lindenmayer, Chair, NJCA Board of Directors

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

View from the Upper Chamber: Thoughts and Insights from U.S. Senate Staff

- Tommy Nguyen, Majority Staff Director, U.S. Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor & Pensions, Subcommittee on Employment and Workplace Safety
- Moira Lenehan-Razzuri, Senior Policy Advisor, Sen. Jack Reed (D-RI)

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

NJCA Policy Priorities: Procurement, OBS and Safety and Security

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

CVS Health & Job Corps Partnership

- Charnetia Young, Advisor, Workforce Initiatives – Pharmacy Services, CVS Health

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

FDIC & Job Corps Partnership

- Tracie Greenway Morris, Senior Community Affairs Specialist, Division of Depositor and Consumer Protection, FDIC
- Cynthia V. DuRant, Community Affairs Specialist, Division of Depositor and Consumer Protection, FDIC

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

A Conversation with the National Director

- Lenita Jacobs-Simmons, National Director, Office of Job Corps

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch: Presentation by the Center for Native American Youth, The Aspen Institute

- Erik R. Stegman, Carry the Kettle First Nation (Nakoda), Executive Director, Center for Native American Youth, The Aspen Institute

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Building an Apprenticeship Model in Job Corps: Future Road Builders

- Molly Taleb, Center Director, Pittsburgh Job Corps Center, Odle Management Group
- Richard J. Barcaskey, Executive Director, Constructors Association of Western Pennsylvania
- Charles J. Niederriter, Chief Operating Officer, Golden Triangle Construction Company

2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Improving Employment Outcomes with Major Employer Partnerships

- Frank Britt, CEO, Penn Foster
- Dara Warn, COO, Penn Foster

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Proposals to Modernize Job Corps

3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

NJCA Operators Advisory Committee Update

- Greg Roberts, Executive Director, NJCA
- Brian Fox, President, ETR, Chair, NJCA Operators Advisory Committee