



MEET THE NEW ADDITIONS TO WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS!

Laurie Vent is the new Workforce Solutions Assistant at Marion Tech Downtown. On Jan. 1, 2021, she retired from 36 years in education, the last five of which she served as the Superintendent of Upper Sandusky E. V. Schools. She is a member of Rotary of Upper Sandusky and a board member on Wyandot County Community Foundation. Laurie is excited that as part of her job, she will be representing MTC at Wyandot county economic development and employment task force meetings. Her many contacts will be a great asset.

Tami Galloway is the Program Manager of America’s Workforce Development Capital (AWDC) that is housed in Marion Tech Downtown. She retired January of 2020 with over 20 years in workforce development. Tami became the AWDC Program Manager in August of 2021. Her experience and many contacts will be a wonderful asset to meet the AWDC goal of linking education, workforce and employers for the benefit of all. Marion has proven time and again that we have the best resources to train and develop a targeted workforce to fit the needs of local companies. Do you need information? Resources? Training? Tami can help you! Contact her at: 740-386-4236 or gallowayt@mtc.edu.

A RECENT SUCCESS

We have had great success with ed2go! We recently had a person complete their Optician Certification training using ed2go. Currently we have a business using ed2go to train 14 employees in Excel and getting reimbursed through TechCred!

New Happenings at Workforce Solutions

- *We are now a PAN-PSI testing site! We are able to test TSA agents, Border Patrol agents, Federal Marshals and various other government positions.
- * We are now members of Unite Ohio, a part of the Unite Us network. This network makes it easier for community-based organizations to connect and collaborate. Clients that get referred to one agency can easily be connected to others for coordinated care so no one falls through the cracks.
- * We are working with ProMedica to provide STNA training. We are completing this in a compacted timeline in order to meet their needs at long-term care centers.

We can help you upskill your workforce through TechCred!

Ohio’s TechCred program gives businesses the chance to upskill current or future employees to help them qualify for a better job in today’s tech-infused economy.

What is TechCred? TechCred helps Ohio employees upskill with tech-focused credentials. For a credential to qualify, the credential: 1. Must be short-term, less than one year to complete; 2. Must be technology focused; 3. Must be industry-recognized.

What’s in it for employers? We know that hiring tech talent is expensive. TechCred helps employers take their dedicated workforce and make them their top tech talent.

How do businesses get started? 1. Identify skills needs and employees. 2. Partner with an education or training provider. 3. Apply online. 4. Enroll employees in the program. 5. Submit proof of completion of credentials. 6. Receive reimbursement for completed credentials.