

Spring 2018 Apprenticeship Conference May 22–25, 2018



On Tuesday, May 22nd, Early Registration will open from 3:00-6:00 pm, followed by a Networking session for attendees arriving on Tuesday

Registration opens and breakfast will be served from 7:00-8:00 am. On Wednesday Roger Curtis, Director of Michigan's Department of Talent of Economic Development, will be Wednesday's Keynote Speaker. Concurrent Sessions will run from 9:45 through 2:30 pm on Wednesday, followed by tours of L. Mawby Vineyards and Michigan Local Hops (a 200-acre hops farm) MEATA's famous Dinner and Gift Exchange will take place on Thursday night

The final day of the conference (Friday) will start with breakfast at 7:00 am, followed by additional learning sessions and a closing session devoted to MEATA business and officer elections

Sessions topics planned for the conference includes:

- Non-traditional Programs with a Twist on Intermediary Credentials: Agriculture and Marine Technology Apprenticeship Meets Artificial Intelligence
- Registered Apprenticeship for Workforce Development Specialists Internship to Registered Apprenticeship
- CTE to Internships or Apprenticeships
- Women in the Trades
- Michigan's Talent Pipeline Management Efforts
- Everything Apprenticeship Providers Need to Know about EEO
- Apprenticeship Success Stories from Local Traverse City "Mom and Pop" Companies
- A spotlight on the Michigan Apprenticeship Steering Committee, Inc. (MASCI)
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- MEATA Business Meeting

## 12:00 PM End of Conference

Cost to attend the entire conference, including meals, is just \$275 per person...with a discount rate of \$200 for K12 professionals and U.S. DOL staff.

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