

Apprenticeships at Work Convening: *Continuing the Conversation*

July 15th, 2026

Heartland Community College
Bloomington- Normal, IL

Agenda

9 am – 9:30 am	Registration / Coffee
9:30 am	Welcome and Introductions
9:50 – 10:40 am	Keynote Address– John Colborn, Executive Director for Apprenticeships for America
10:50 am – 11:35 am	Break-Out Session #1
11:40 am – 1 pm	Lunch & Campus Confidential: Presidents Share Their Innermost Thoughts on Apprenticeships: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lake Land College• William Rainey Harper College• Illinois Valley Community College• Kaskaskia College
1:15pm – 2pm	Table Talks
2:15 pm – 3 pm	Break-Out Session #2
3 pm – 3:15 pm	Snack
3:15 pm – 4 pm	Break-Out Session #3