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#### Learners:

Knowledge to Work is a search engine to find free and low-cost educational resources about skills and competencies. It offers personalized learning plans and a custom dashboard to track your progress.

#### **Job Seekers:**

Explore career pathways and job search tools to find employers.

#### **Employers:**

New features coming soon to create business profiles and document competencies by job roles. Manage the talent pipeline and meet your training needs.

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# Career Pathways in High-Wage, High-Growth Industries

#### **Information Technology**

including Cyber Security and Network Administration

#### **Healthcare**

including Health Information Management and IT in Healthcare

#### **Manufacturing**

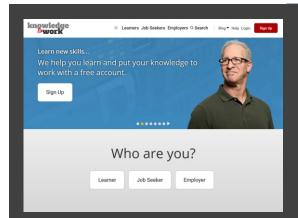
including Soft Skills and Supervision

Plus resources about customer service, work readiness, and employability



Search by cost, date, language, provider, delivery mode, standards, and other filters

We help you learn and put your knowledge to work... for free!



#### **Putting Knowledge To Work**

KnowledgeToWork.com is a free portal that puts learners, employers, and job seekers together in an entirely new type of collaboration that uses competency frameworks mapped to instructional content. Created by Lord Fairfax Community College as part of a U.S. Department of Labor TAACCCT grant, Knowledge to Work offers a search engine of free and low-cost educational resources in high wage, high growth industries; personalized learning plans; a customized dashboard of learner progress; and a bank of career opportunities, employer profiles, and job search tools.





# Closing the Skills Gap

Whether you are just getting started down a career pathway, looking to change careers, or want to advance in the field you're already working in, KnowledgeToWork.com has tools to help you that you won't find anywhere else. These include: (1) information on a growing number of exciting and dynamic career pathways; (2) nationallyrecognized competency frameworks that document the knowledge, skills, and abilities needed to be successful in these pathways; and (3) thousands of free and lowcost learning resources to learn and put competencies to work using your smartphone. tablet, and computer.

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#### **Our Vision for CBE**

LFCC is a proud member of the Competency-Based Education Network and our faculty and staff have benefited greatly from being part of C-BEN. We believe that promoting free and low-cost OER



tied to competencies for personalized learning is another way to make college more affordable. Students can learn anytime/anywhere at a flexible pace, using the delivery formats they prefer, with curated content that meets quality standards.

Upon reflection, the knowledge, skills, and abilities gained through this portal can be used to document prior learning assessment and verify competency attainment, reducing the time and cost to complete a credential. The use of national competency frameworks makes learning more transparent and the job seeker more employable. By addressing student needs in the continuum of learning, from adult literacy to degree program requirements, competencies can be contextualized to the workplace. With a focus too



on employers and job seekers, this approach removes barriers to success and ensures work readiness. In a complex world of career pathways and stacked and latticed credentials, the language of competencies is key to learning and to managing the talent pipeline. That's why we're proud to tell you about KnowledgeToWork.com. We encourage you to please tell your students and your employees about it so they can use it today!

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Free and low-cost learning resources tied to national competency frameworks

Personalized learning plans with a custom dashboard to track your progress

#### **Knowledge to Work (K2W):**

#### A Portal for Competencies and Individualized Learning

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