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Career Connections #6

Preparing Students to Work in a Diverse Manufacturing Workplace

Tuesday, May 5, 2015

8:00 AM – 11:30 AM

Edmonds Community College - Woodway Hall 202 (2nd Floor)
20000 68th Ave West, Lynnwood, WA 98036



Professional Development Series for Career Advisors and Specialists



Agenda:

8:00-8:30am Breakfast and Networking

8:30-8:45am Call to order, Sponsor Recognition and Introduction of Keynote

8:45-9:15am Keynote: **Sheila Edwards Lange**

Vice President/Vice Provost Minority Affairs and Diversity
Pacific Northwest LSAMP Project Director
University of Washington

Title: **Diversity and the 21st Century Workplace**

Due to changing demographics in the U.S., the emerging global economic marketplace and shifting expectations about collaborative problem-solving, the skills needed to be successful in the 21st century workplace is significantly different from that of the last century. The workplace increasingly requires employees to work in teams with others very different from themselves. Dr. Sheila Edwards Lange, the chief diversity officer at the University of Washington, will review demographic changes and shifting work expectations; and discuss the impact they are having on the workplace that students enter into today.

9:15-10:15 Interactive Discussion, Table Topics, Summative Findings

10:30-11:00 Summary Speaker: **Jeff Dunleavy**

Snohomish County Employment Security Department

11-11:30am Prizes, Evaluations, Clock Hours





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NO Registration Fee, Breakfast Provided & Clock Hours Available
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