



Become a CAEL Member

Join a visionary group of postsecondary institutions, affiliates, and individuals committed to innovative, lifelong learning that helps individuals and their communities thrive.

CAEL's membership represents an extensive community of educators, employers, and workforce and economic developers. Together we reimagine how education and employment fit together, and we create lifelong pathways that integrate learning and work.

"CAEL is committed to providing the highest level of value to its members by collectively working towards a future where every adult can navigate lifelong learning and career pathways that fuel social mobility and community prosperity."

Christine Carpenter,
Vice President of Engagement, CAEL

Learn more at cael.org



2,500+

TOTAL COMMUNITY MEMBERS

300+

INSTITUTIONAL/ ORGANIZATIONAL MEMBERS

50+

INDUSTRY MEMBERS

CHECK OUT CAEL'S MEMBERS



Member Benefits

INSTITUTIONS/
SYSTEMS AFFILIATES INDIVIDUALS

CONNECTIONS that Promote Innovative Ideas and Actions

ACCESS TO CAEL'S COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE & COLLABORATION HUB, CAELCONNECT



COFFEE WITH CAEL



CAEL AWARDS AND PROFESSIONAL DISTINCTIONS



SOLUTIONS that Solve Problems

EXCLUSIVE MEMBER CONTENT AND RESOURCES



- CAEL-EvoLLLution newsletter
- Case Studies
- Mini Tool Kits and Job Aids
- Member Webinars
- Member Micro Courses



CONTRIBUTE TO CONTENT



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COURSES AND WORKSHOPS



CAEL ANNUAL CONFERENCE



TOOLS that Lead to Transformation

CONSULTATIVE CONVERSATION WITH A CAEL EXPERT



DISCOUNT ON STUDENT ENROLLMENT AND SUPPORT SERVICES



COMPLIMENTARY COLLEGE CREDIT PREDICTOR



ANNUAL LABOR MARKET REPORT



Learn more at cael.org/membership

Membership Types and Annual Dues

POSTSECONDARY INSTITUTIONS/SYSTEMS

INDIVIDUAL INSTITUTION

1 to 1,000:	\$655
1,000 to 5,000:	\$800
5,000 and over:	\$1,015

Membership rates based on institution full-time equivalent (FTE) enrollment.

POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION SYSTEM

Are you a system seeking ways to assist your colleges and universities with their goals and strategies in serving adult learners? CAEL offers a variety of options for systems that will align your institutions with common and shared best practices and goals.

Postsecondary System Institutions,
for three or more institutions:

**15% discount on individual
Institution fee**

Postsecondary System Office, for the
system office representatives:

\$1,015

Complimentary if five or more institutions are members

Extended Postsecondary System, for system office
plus 20 system-wide additional individuals:

\$3,250

Customizable options available

AFFILIATES

Includes employers, mission-aligned organizations, workforce & economic development organizations, and industry groups.

\$1,150

Affiliate with 10 or less employees: \$490

INDIVIDUALS

Includes educators, professionals, and students pursuing graduate studies.

\$180

Graduate Student: \$80



“Whenever I need resources or advice in my work to improve how I view or serve the adult working learner, I turn to CAEL.”

*Tracy Robinson,
Director Innovative Academic Initiatives,
The University of Memphis*

To join CAEL, contact at membershipservices@cael.org



Link Learning and Work

Recognizing that adult learners are the backbone of the U.S. economy, CAEL helps forge a clear, viable connection between education and career success, providing solutions that promote sustainable and equitable economic growth. CAEL opens doors to opportunity in collaboration with workforce and economic developers, postsecondary educators, and employers, industry groups, foundations, and other mission-aligned organizations. By engaging with these stakeholders, we foster a culture of innovative, lifelong learning that helps individuals and their communities thrive. Established in 1974, CAEL, a Strada Education Network affiliate, is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) membership organization.