

# CAEL'S VALUE TO OUR MEMBERS

*CAEL is committed to providing the highest level of value to its members by working toward a future when 'every adult has a pathway to lifelong learning and meaningful work.'*

*CAEL supports members as they build new approaches to serving adult working learners and provides members with state-of-the-art connections, solutions and tools.*



## CONNECTIONS that Promote Innovative Ideas and Actions

- **Advice, answers, ideas and solutions** to connect learning and work for adults.
- **Engagement** with thought leaders to promote a culture of lifelong learning.
- **Collaboration** among members and organizations focused on the future of postsecondary education that better serves adults.
- **Opportunities** to connect with education providers, employers and workforce organizations.
- **Approaches** to better serving an evolving lifelong learner population.



## SOLUTIONS that Solve Problems

- **Support** as postsecondary education institutions transform and thrive in a new education marketplace.
- **Sharing** of data, trends, and solutions to attract, engage and retain adult learners and adult working learners.
- **Experiential learning models** that capture learning experiences outside of the classroom.
- **Access** to information gleaned from grants and initiatives to create solutions for adult working learners.
- **Address employer demand** with work-relevant degrees and credentials that are valued and desired by employers.
- **Workshops and professional development** to grow understanding of adult learner needs.



## TOOLS that Lead to Transformation

- **Member-only resources** focused on strengthening the adult working learner ecosystem.
- **Access to Prior Learning Assessment standards**, current and future models that address adult working learner needs.
- **Principles, policies and practices** that support pathways to learning and meaningful work.
- **Employer resources** to develop and retain employees.
- **Workforce development** strategies to help communities grow and prosper.
- **Toolkits** to help develop and strengthen a wide range of partnerships that leverage innovation and growth.



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Linking Learning and Work

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