IWIB Microlearning
Apprenticeship Illinois Committee

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AIC
**AIC - Charges**

**Charge 1**: Expand apprenticeships geographically and to new industries, normalizing work-based learning and apprenticeship models with employers as a value-added workforce solution.

**Charge 2**: Increase diversity, equity, inclusion, and access to quality apprenticeship programs leading to careers and economic stability.
**AIC - Charges**

**Charge 3:** Formalize the apprenticeship ecosystem and statewide coordination across partnering state agencies and other workforce, education, and economic development professionals.

**Charge 4:** Grow statewide capacity to provide apprenticeship opportunities to job seekers and employers.
1. Identify the factors that affect enrollment, retention, and completion of diverse apprentices.

2. Create a statewide 5-year apprenticeship expansion plan with input and agreement from WIOA core partners, industry associations and employers, community-based organizations and non-profits, secondary education, post-secondary education, local workforce areas, and other education, workforce, and economic development partners.
3. Support coordination of efforts and collaboration among all education, workforce, and economic development partners who offer or support work-based learning and apprenticeship programs for greater impact, establishing a comprehensive statewide infrastructure and ecosystem.
AIC - Priorities

4. Make it easier for employers and employer collaboratives to understand the workforce solutions and supports available to them and support in the creation of apprenticeship programs.
AIC – Workgroup/Task Force

- Apprentice Ambassador Workgroup
- Marketing Workgroup
- Youth Apprenticeship Workgroup

Past Workgroups and Task Forces:
- Pre-Apprenticeship Workgroup
- National Proposed Rule Making (NPRM) Task Force
- 5-Year Apprenticeship Expansion Plan
How does the work of the AIC fit into the workforce development system?