



**Workforce Development Working Group
April 13, 2016**

Agenda

- I. **Networking (8:30- 9am)**

- II. **Welcome & Introductions**

- III. **Budget Advocacy Updates and Activities**
Carrie Thomas | Executive Director | Chicago Jobs Council
Eric Halvorson | Policy & Communications Associate | Chicago Jobs Council

- IV. **LeadersUp: Connecting Young Adults to Good Jobs and Career Pathways**
Lisa Hampton | Associate Director of Programming | LeadersUp

- V. **Working Group Participant Spotlight: New Moms**
Paris Clark | Job Development Specialist | New Moms

- VI. **Announcements & Adjourn**

The Chicago Jobs Council works with its members to ensure access to employment and career advancement opportunities for people in poverty. CJC advances its mission through advocacy, applied research, public education, and capacity-building initiatives focused on influencing the development or reform of public policies and programs.

We carry out our mission through a “working group process”: in monthly meetings, members identify and refine the issues where action is needed and likely to produce beneficial results for our constituents. Members and staff then analyze the issues, determine strategies, and carry out plans cooperatively, often engaging other coalitions and partners.

Past Working Group materials are posted at: <http://cjc.net/resources/working-group/>. For more information please contact Liz Czarnecki (liz@cjc.net).



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