

Workforce Development: Building the Human Capacity to Rebuild Tribal Nations

Wednesday, October 21, 2015 1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

1:30 – 1:45 Welcome and Introductions

1:45 – 2:45 Workforce Development: Building the Human Capacity to Rebuild Tribal Nations

Panelists:

- Lana Chanda, Director, Employment & Training Department, Gila River Indian Community
- Fawn Sharp, President, Quinault Indian Nation
- **Joni Theobald**, Education and Workforce Development Director, Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa
- **Alexander Yazza, Jr.,** Executive Director, Owens Valley Career Development Center

2:45 – 3:00 NCAI's Tribal Workforce Development Project

 Lessons learned, policy recommendations, and questions to consider that are emerging NCAI's exploration of tribal approaches to workforce development

3:00 – 3:20 Questions *for* the Audience

• Attendees will share their answers to the following questions: What is working in your nation when it comes to workforce development? What isn't?

3:20 – 3:50 **Q&A** and Discussion

• Attendees ask questions of the panelists

3:50 – 4:00 Related Resources for Further Learning and Questions for Further Exploration

- What other questions do we need to be asking to advance our understanding of what effective tribal workforce development requires?
- Sharing of additional related resources for further learning about tribal workforce development