

ALBERTA WORKS WEEK 2015



Every year Alberta Works Week offers Albertans an opportunity to pursue their potential and get the information and tools they need to reach their career goals.

This year Alberta Works Week will take place from April 27 to May 1, 2015. The Calgary Region's theme for the week is "Foundations for Success" and events will focus on the importance of building Workplace Essential Skills.

Alberta Works Week Calgary Region Events include:

Skills You Need to Succeed:

Location: John Dutton Theatre, Calgary Central Public Library, 2nd Floor, 616 Macleod Trail SE, Calgary, AB T2G 2M2

Date/Time: Wednesday, April 29 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Description: Learn about the 9 Essential Skills needed to be successful in today's labour market. You will learn what Essential Skills are and why they are important. Receive information about the Calgary Labour Market and how to become more marketable and expand your work search. The benefits of increasing your Essential Skills will be shared by a panel discussion with an employer, post-secondary institution and a successful job seeker. This will be followed by an opportunity to network with service providers and employers who can help you with your next step.

Registration: to register visit <http://skillsyouneedtosucceed.eventbrite.ca> or call 403-452-2210

Who is Alis? An Event for Youth 16 – 24:

Location: Alberta Job Corps, 3805 – 29th Street NE, Calgary, AB T1Y 6B5

Date/Time: Three separate sessions: April 28, 2015 from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.; April 28, 2015 from 1 p.m. – 4 p.m.; and April 29, 2015 from 1 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Description: Plan your career. Discover educational opportunities. Find a job, keep a job. Discover how ALIS can help build the essential skills you need to succeed. Learn to navigate through ALIS - where to find valuable information to help you take your next step.

Registration: to register visit <http://28apriilyoutham.eventbrite.ca>, <http://28apriilyouthpm.eventbrite.ca>, or <http://29apriilyouth.eventbrite.ca>

Accelerate Your Career (Hosted by the Calgary Public Library):

Location: Calgary Central Public Library, 616 Macleod Trail SE, Calgary, AB T2G 2M2

Date/Time: Saturday, April 25, 2015 from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Description: Energize your job search and learn from the experts! The Calgary Public Library is hosting its annual Accelerate Your Career event. There are a variety of sessions you can register for, including: “Empower Your Career”, “Navigating Applicant Tracking Systems” and more!

Registration: to register visit www.calgarylibrary.ca or call 403-260-2620

Boomers at Work: Navigating the Modern Job Market (Hosted by the Kerby Centre):

Location: Kerby Centre – 1137 7th Ave SW, Calgary, AB T2P 1B2

Date/Time: Tuesday, April 28, 2015 from 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Description: Options 45 and the Kerby Centre are hosting a job seeking event for mature workers (Age 45+). The event will feature main stage presentations & panel discussions, employment trade show, and speed coaching.

Registration: to register call 403-705-3233 (\$2 at the door!)