

# Impact & Achievements

## Good Jobs Challenge Strengthening Sector Partnerships Initiative



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Powered by the Stamford Partnership, the Southwest Connecticut Tech Hub helps develop tech-enabled careers across Greater Fairfield County. In collaboration with The WorkPlace and supported by the **Good Jobs Challenge** grant, we identify and offer training programs that connect local talent with high-demand tech roles. This document outlines our key achievements, emerging partnerships, and the growing impact of our collective efforts.

### In-Demand Training for In-Demand Jobs

Tech-Ready Training by The WorkPlace, funded by the Good Jobs Challenge

#### In-Demand Jobs

- Computer Support Specialist
- Software Developer/Engineer
- Data Mining Analyst
- Cyber/Information Security Engineer/Analyst
- Business Intelligence Analyst

#### In-Demand Skills

- AWS Cloud
- CompTIA A+, Network+, Security +, Server+
- Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC)
- Generative AI
- Google Cloud
- IC2 Cybersecurity
- Project Management
- Python
- SQL

### Current Program Data

Activity	Total
Enrollment	114
Completion	41
Credential Attainment	44
Case Management	114
Supportive Services Assistance	0
Job Placement	4

\*In response to employer feedback, all participants are now receiving stackable credentials, enhancing their skills and broadening their career opportunities.

## Placements

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### ICapital

Date Analyst (1)

### Turner Construction

Project Manager (1)

### SOS Tutor

Coordinator (1)

### Morse Watchmen

System Analyst (1)

### In Process

Raytheon (1)

CFS Staffing placing IT Security Analyst (1)

Tek Systems placing IT Security Analyst (1)

DCI placing Systems Analyst (2)

Benchmark IT placing (2)

### Incumbent Worker

Yale New Haven Health (4)

UConn (1)

## Partners & Partnerships

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### Higher Education Partners:

#### Training & Student Outreach Partners

Southern Connecticut State University –  
Training partner, Student outreach partner

UConn Stamford and Waterbury - Student  
outreach partner

Housatonic Community College –  
Technology support partner

### Nonprofit Partners:

#### Student Outreach Partners

Bethel Shiloh Apostolic Church, ConnCAT,  
DomusKids, Dribble Drive, Future 5, Hang  
Time, Winning Ways

### High School Partners:

#### Trainee Enrollment Partners

Ansonia High School, Bullard Havens Tech  
High School, Derby High School, Fairchild  
Wheeler School, Seymour High School,  
Stamford High School

### In Development

Nuvance Health – Norwalk pilot initiative in  
development

Community Action Agency of Stamford – Co-  
enrollment opportunity

Charter Oak State College – Healthcare curriculum  
partner

United Way, Bridgeport – Nonprofit outreach partner

Gateway Community College – Technology support/  
High Schools partner

## Outreach

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Aug. 14

Webinar for  
Nonprofit  
Administrators

Aug. 20

Webinar for  
Higher Education  
Administrators

Aug. 21

Webinar for  
High School  
Administrators

Sept. 18

Webinar for  
High School  
Counselors

Oct. 1

College &  
Career Fair

Beginning in Oct.

Monthly  
Participation Info  
Session (Zoom)



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