

# Elevator Pitch

**READY** *career  
education*  
at your local community college

The Inland Empire's twelve community colleges form the foundation of education and professional training in the region. By working together with regional businesses to develop curriculum that meets their workforce needs, the practical and career-focused programs offered by these schools play a critical role in bridging the middle-skills job gap, creating professional advancement opportunities for students and incumbent workers, and giving local employers the skilled workforce it needs to grow and thrive.

That's what IEDRC's employer services are here to support. By acting as a bridge between industry and regional career education programs, they make sure career education students are getting the skills they need to start great careers and regional businesses are getting the well-trained workforce they need to continue to thrive and grow.



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