



# **Bold Careers** **Get *READY* Here!**

## **From Higher Ed to Hired:** **Mapping Transfer + Career Pathways**

With help from the Inland Empire/Desert community colleges, all roads lead to high-demand, high-paying careers! Here are the pathways your students can choose for success:

### **Stackable Certificates**

*Many of our career education students secure employment before they even graduate.*

1. Earn a short-term certificate in as little as one semester.
2. Launch into an entry-level career right away!
3. Continue to stack short- and long-term certificates, increasing your earning power all the while.
4. If desired, your certificates can count toward an entire associate degree!

### **Successful Transfer by Degrees**

1. Go for your associate degree right out of the gate.
2. Work with a transfer counselor to outline your goals and take the right classes.
3. Take advantage of many schools' guaranteed transfer agreements for a smooth transition to a state college or university.
4. Enter your bachelor's program as a junior, cutting your completion time — and tuition costs — in half!

### **Plus, Apprenticeship and Internship Opportunities!**

Many of our career education programs offer competitive, real-world work experiences with employers seeking to hire fresh talent. Students can take advantage of these opportunities to network, build resumes, and gain valuable on-the-job skills.

Our programs work closely with the local industry to build curriculum and connect students to careers.

**No matter what path your student takes, their exciting new career can start here.**



**Start Exploring Today!**  
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