Asia Pacific Gateway Skills Table

Asia Pacific Gateway and Corridor Workforce Productivity and Innovation Roundtable

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Who we are - Organization

Non-profit, regional partnership between
 Gateway labour, business and education/training institutions

Mission:

to ensure the Asia Pacific Gateway has enough people with the right skills and training to meet its needs, today and into the future.



The Gateway



Sector Focus

<u>Construction</u> of the Gateway

Operations / maintenance of the Gateway

The Gateway



Who we are

- 20 member Board
 - Business, labour, training
 - + 4 observers

Government (HRSDC, TC, JTI, COV) Associations (construction,

transportation – marine/trucking/ ITOs, VanAsep Westac, safety/

Academia/ Training Institutions

(UBC, BCIT, CNC, Douglas, ITA)

Wide range of partners in delivery

Labour (ILWU, BCYBCTC)

Sector Councils (CSC, CTHRC,

CSCSC

Employers

(training recipients, PMV ,CN Rail)



Why

- 1. National economic priority
- 2. Labour supply/demand issues
- 3. Skill gap issues

The Skills Table offers FOCUS on PRIORITY areas.



What we do -Projects

RESEARCH

1. Labor Market Information (LMI)

* new data in Fall 2011 **STRATEGY**

2. BC Security Roundtable

PILOT PROJECTS

- 3. HR Essentials for SMEs -Workshops
- 4. Business of Shipping- Workshops
- 5. APGST Training Fund
- 6. Professional Truck
 Driver Training Pilot
 -Training
- 7. IPG Solving Skill Shortages at YXS - Training

OUTREACH

- 8. Information Clearinghouse
- 9. Apprenticeship Engagement Initiative

FACILITATE WORKPLACE SOLUTIONS

- 10. Supervisor/ Foreperson Skill Development
- 11. Planners Forum
- 12. Crane
 Operator
 Certification for
 APG
 Feasibility Study

A wide array of activities that address gaps and priorities in the Gateway



How we do it

- Project concepts come from Industry
 - Annual proposal submission to HRSDC
 - Respond to other opportunities as presented
- Seek partnerships in delivery



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