



Agenda May 5th, 2023

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10:00 am – 11:30 am

Pierce County Community Partnership for Transition Solutions

Vision Statement

A community that welcomes the talents and contributions of all members, including those returning to us from prison and jail.

Mission Statement

Our mission is to promote the successful reintegration of individuals into community. We accomplish this through purpose driven community partnerships that provide holistic, comprehensive services in support of these individuals as they build self-sufficient and productive lives.

Agenda

10:00 AM: Welcome & Roundtable Introductions

Guest Speaker: Shannon Hassan, Director of Social Enterprise, Valeo Vocation

Shannon Hassan has worked in Workforce Development for the past 10 years. She was born and raised in Eastern, WA and moved to Tacoma in 2013. This was a pivotal time in Shannon's life due to overcoming obstacles similar to those faced by the population Valeo serves. She started her career participating in Community Jobs and AmeriCorps at the Goodwill of the Olympic and Rainer Region. Shannon worked in the Financial Education Program, providing soft skills training, coaching, and mentoring students as a Retention Case Aide. Shannon has spent more than 8 years of her career working with Veterans, as she also worked as a Veterans Services Case Manager at Goodwill. There, she provided career navigation, job readiness and transitional support to transitioning military members. Shannon transitioned from Goodwill to MDC where she started their Employment program, supporting clients of their Education program and SVFF, which assists homeless Veterans and their families. Since 2017, Shannon has worked under WIOA as an Employment Practitioner and, for the last 3 years, as a Program Lead/WorkSource Supervisor. There, Shannon fell in love with non-profit work and operational management. Wanting to be able to create a greater impact by serving more low income/high barriered workers, she is dedicated to the Valeo Employment continuum and "Employment First" model. Shannon obtained her Associate of Science degree in Business from University of Phoenix, in February, 2021 and Bachelor of Science in Business and Human Resource Management, Sept 2022.

11:00 AM: Questions, Roundtable, & Partner Announcements

Facilitators: Garrett Landram, Jessica Means, Kim Beckham Nan Borders, Steve McDannel, Grady Mitchell
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