

Office Hours

Wind Energy Technologies Office (WETO)
PPO-CWX-006-WETO

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ConnectWerx (CWX) Resources



COMMUNICATIONS

Stay **engaged and connected** with our various outreach channels

- CWX web & opportunities page
- CWX emails and outreach
- **Join the Network!**
- CWX social media
- CWX newsletter (coming soon)



VIRTUAL EVENTS

Take part in **opportunities** through virtual events

- CWX & DOE Objective Strategic Sessions (OSS/Webinars)
 - Learn about PIA opportunities facilitated by CWX.
 - Overview of opportunity and additional details to participants.
 - Q & A
- CWX & DOE Office Hours
 - Ask direct question to DOE and CWX.
 - Note: review application prior.



CONFERENCES

Encourage & coordinate **involvement** at conferences

Submit your conference today at info@connectwerx.org for our review and consideration to post under our CWX events page!

Program Overview

Activity Summary:

WETO is looking to support education and training programs that offer (a) apprenticeship readiness programs, (b) registered apprenticeship programs, or (c) maritime/mariner programs, with particular attention to programs that support underserved communities. Recipients of this funding can include local or state governments, Tribes, workforce boards, institutions of higher education (especially Minority Serving Institutions), organized labor, industry, or other education and training providers that further education and training programs as they relate to the deployment of offshore wind in the United States. Successful applicants will have hiring commitments from employer partners. These awards will build upon existing training infrastructure and consider regional variability.

Overall Activity Objectives (life of Activity):

- Address the immediate and anticipated workforce needs of the domestic offshore wind industry through the deployment of trainings.
- Broaden paths to high quality offshore wind jobs.
- Deliver holistic supportive services to training participants.

Office: Office of Technology Transitions,
Wind Energy Technologies Office (WETO)
Funding Amount: \$1.9 million

Application Open: October 1, 2024
OSS: October 10, 2024 (recording/slides)
Full Application Deadline: December 13,
2024 at 5 PM ET
Selection: Early Spring 2025
Activities Begin: Early Summer 2025

Link to apply: [PPO-CWX-006-WETO: Offshore Wind Workforce Readiness – Connectwerx](#)



Application Requirements

File Title	Max Pages	File Type
Project Narrative (Template)	7	MS Word, PDF, PPT
Budget Workbook (Template)		Excel, PDF
Letters of Support Note: At least one letter from an employer partner and at least one letter from community partner is required.	10	MS Word, PDF

Questions?

Reach out to info@connectwerx.org

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