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First of Its Kind Virtual Job Fair Comes to Our Region May 6; Now Seeking Free Employer Registrations

Regional workforce partners have announced the opening of employer registrations for the first-ever virtual job fair in the Fox Valley Workforce Development Area. The event will be held completely online from 9-11 am, Thursday, May 6, 2021. Registration is absolutely free at <https://tinyurl.com/2j8m7fse>.

This virtual spring hiring event will be conducted through the Premier Virtual platform, a leading provider of online job fairs and conferences. Employers can create their very own booth space to include logos, videos and links to recruiting materials. The day of the virtual fair, each employer will have the opportunity to interact with (hopefully) hundreds of job seekers, review resumes and even conduct an interview. Besides the safety and convenience of a virtual job fair, the platform allows the disabled, such as amputees or veterans with service disabilities, to participate with equanimity in the workforce system.

“The COVID-19 pandemic means that more people than ever are seeking work, but the continued risks of face-to-face contact makes an in-person job fair unfeasible at this point,” said

Anthony Snyder, CEO of the Fox Valley Workforce Development Board (FVWDB), one of the event sponsors. “Plus, as more and more vaccines get into the arms of our local residents, the economy is ready for a big rebound and employers remain challenged in finding all the labor they need.”

Other partners involved in the planning of the event include Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development, Fox Valley Technical College and Moraine Park Technical College. Although official the Fox Valley Workforce Development Area includes the six counties of Calumet, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Waupaca, Waushara and Winnebago, the virtual nature of the fair means the scope of the employers and the job seekers will be from across the NEW North Region.

For more information on the May 6 virtual job fair please contact us through foxvalleyjobcenters.com or call 920-997-3272.

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Fox Valley Workforce Development Board (FVWDB) is a not-for-profit working to build a world-class workforce in northeast Wisconsin. Serving six counties — Calumet, Green Lake, Fond du Lac, Waupaca, Waushara and Winnebago — FVWDB collaborates with a number of state and local agencies to help job seekers gain the skills needed to find employment, and to help businesses find the highly skilled workers they need.

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