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**Talent Solutions Directory**

***Providing the primary connection between our two customers—businesses and jobseekers—ensuring demand is met with a highly qualified supply of applicants***

A collaborative effort of workforce organizations that support business growth. We provide a consistent level of information and service delivery to help your company grow or stay competitive. This cohesive response to meet employer needs supports the “no wrong door” approach. Whenever you contact any of our team partners, that individual or organization will either provide you with assistance or referral to another partner better able to serve your needs. The VA Career Works Lynchburg Center is a gateway for employers in the area to gain access to a variety of employment and training services.

**The VA Career Works Lynchburg Center is located at:**

* **3125 Odd Fellows Rd, Lynchburg, VA 24501.**
* **Phone number: (434) 455 – 5940**
* **Website** [www.vcwcentralregion.com](http://www.vcwcentralregion.com)
* **Email:** savannah.cook@vcw.central.com

The following services are available on site, or through referral to our many partners, to assist businesses with workforce related needs such as recruitment, hiring and training:

**Communication, Coordination:**

* Streamlined contact funnel for workforce needs- one call, an entire team behind the scenes
* Timely information on programs and resources

**Workforce Development**

* Develop Career Pathways to *“fill the pipeline”* of future workers for area employers
* Employer-sponsored internships for high school students
* Intensive, short-term training which leads to nationally recognized credentials to help individuals improve skills to start a new career and/or improve current career

 **Workforce Recruitment & Marketing**

* Assistance with Job Fairs
* Pre-screening for eligible candidates
* Referrals for your job openings
* Interview space and business equipment
* Innovative recruitment strategies
* Assistance with online recruiting
* Assistance with web, social media and video material to market and recruit prospective employees in high demand sectors
* Promotion for job openings through social media

**Workforce Training**

* Resources & referrals to organizations that train and educate existing workers as well as customized training and education
* On-the job training to reduce your job creation cost
* GED, Adult basic literacy or English as a second language classes
* Assessment of current workforce
* Incumbent worker training for advancing education, certification and credentialing
* Industry-specific customized training
* Executive coaching and consulting services
* Registered apprenticeship programs
* Internships
* Small business and entrepreneurial advising and group education

 **Data & Analytics**

* Assist in data collection
* Labor Market Information
* Sector strategies and best practices to assist in securing workforce in our high demand occupations

 **Funding**

* Information on tax incentives
* Training funds and incentive-based employee placement
* Tuition assistance and resources

**Initial Point of Contact for Recruiting, Training or Workforce Development Needs Call:** 434.845-1932 or email savannah.cook@vcwcentral.com

**Service Area Covered**: Lynchburg City, Bedford County, Campbell County, Amherst County and Appomattox County.

**Address**: 3125 Odd Fellows Road, Lynchburg, VA 24501

**Web Site**: [www.vcwcentralregion.com](http://www.vcwcentralregion.com)

**Days and Hours of Operation**: 8:30am-5:00pm Monday-Friday

**Workforce System Partner Organization Contact Information**

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**Primary Contact Person**: Keith Cook, One Stop System Director

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**Virginia Employment Commission-One Stop Center**

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**Primary Contact Phone Number**: 434.947.2073

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**Primary Contact Person**: Nate Mahanes, Business Development Manager-Blue Ridge District

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**Primary Contact Email**: nate.mahanes@dars.virginia.gov

**Address**: 2250 Murrell Road, Suite F Lynchburg, VA 24501

**Web Site**: DARS Business Services: [www.vdars.org](http://www.vdars.org)

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**Primary Contact Email**: lsaechao@amherst.k12.va.us

**Address**: 219 Trojan Road Madison Heights, VA 24572

**Web Site**: [www.centralvaadulted.com](http://www.centralvaadulted.com)

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| **Amherst County** |  | **Mr. Craig Maddox, Assistant Principal/CTE Director**  |  | cmaddox@amherst.k12.va.us |  |
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| Amherst, VA 24521 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| **Appomattox County** |  | **Mr. Brette Arbogast, Director of Technology and Career and Technical Education** |  | baarbogast@appomattox.k12.va.us |
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| Appomattox, VA  24522 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Rustburg, VA 24588  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| **XLR8 STEM Academy** Central VA Community College 3506 Wards Rd |  | **Susan Cash, M. Ed****XLR8 STEM Academy, Director** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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**Post-Secondary Education Career Services Contact Information**

**American National University** 

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**Primary Contact Person**: **Gwendolyn Johnson, Career Services Director**

**Phone: (434) 239-3500**

**Website:** <https://www.an.edu/locations/lynchburg-va/>

**Centra College of Nursing **

**Address: 905 Lakeside Dr A, Lynchburg, VA 24501**

**Primary Contact: Melody Sharp, Director**

**Phone: (434) 200-3070**

**Website:** <https://www.centrahealth.com/facilities/centra-college-nursing>

**Central Virginia Community College **

**Website:** [**https://centralvirginia.edu/**](https://centralvirginia.edu/)

**Address: 3506 Wards Rd, Lynchburg, VA 24502**

**Primary Contact: Sarah Jarrett, Job Information & Career Advisor**

**Phone: 434.832.7689**

**Workforce Solutions-Customized Training:**

**Primary Contact: Francie Dye, Workforce Training Coordinator**

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**Liberty University** 

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**Primary contact: Sarah Fawell, Director of Career Center**

**Phone: (434) 592-6059**

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**University of Lynchburg** 

**Address: Schewel Hall 370 1501 Lakeside Dr, Lynchburg, VA 24501**

**Primary Contact: Beverly Reid, Director of Career Development**

**Phone 434.544.8459**

**Website:** <http://www.lynchburg.edu/academics/career-services/>

**Old Dominion Job Corps Center** 

**1073 Father Judge Road, Monroe, VA 24574**

 **Primary Contact: Franklin Swann, Community Liaison**

**Phone: 434.929.4081**

**Website:** <http://www.jobcorps.gov/Home.aspx>

**Randolph College** 

**Address: 2500 Rivermont Ave, Lynchburg, VA 24503**

**Primary Contact: Christine Harriger, Director of Career Development Center**

**Phone: 434.947.8344**

**Website:** [www.randolphcollege.edu/cdc](http://www.randolphcollege.edu/cdc)

**Sweet Briar College **

**On campus location - Prothro 203
Mailing address - PO Box 1096, Sweet Briar, VA 24595**

**Primary Contact: Barbara Watts , Director of Career Services**

**Phone:434.381.6465**

**Website:** [sbc.edu/career-services](http://oldweb.sbc.edu/career-services)

**Virginia Technical Institute** 

**Address: 201 Ogden Road Altavista, VA 24517**

**Primary Contact: Leslie “Tyke” D. Tenney**

**Phone: 434-369-4318**

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