

## ABSTRACT

### STATE APPRENTICESHIP EXPANSION FORMULA FUNDING

**Lead Applicant:** South Dakota Department of Labor and Regulation

**Lead Applicant Entity Type:** State Agency

**Lead Applicant City and State:** Pierre, SD

**Funding Option:** *Base Funding:* \$395,991.00

**Project Title:** Start Today South Dakota Apprenticeship Program

**Funding Amount Requested:** \$395,991.00

**Total Number of apprentices enrolled in RAPs during the life of the grant, if applicable:**

N/A

**Population(s) to be served:**

State of South Dakota

Apprentices, with a focus on underrepresented populations and those in rural areas

Sponsors including businesses and training programs

**Required Partners:**

South Dakota is an Office of Apprenticeship state.

**Optional Partners:**

This project is contractually based, no additional partners identified.

**Project Purpose:**

Expand, diversify, and support quality Registered Apprenticeship Programs (RAPs) through the development of a comprehensive apprenticeship management system allowing to streamline processes.

**Targeted Industry(ies) and/or Occupation(s):**

All Registered Apprenticeship industries and occupations will be impacted by this project.

**Summary of program activities:**

Over the course of five years, DLR will develop a comprehensive apprenticeship management system to streamline processes for sponsors, employer, related instruction providers, journey-level mentors, and apprentices.

**Subrecipient Roles:**

DLR will work with a contractor to create a comprehensive apprenticeship management system to support Registered Apprenticeships.

**List of credentials to be awarded:** No apprentices will be served through this grant

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