

**Quality Workforce Committee  
 Workforce Arizona Council**

**Program Year 2016 Charter**

**Committee Purpose**

Encourage and facilitate the connection between education and industry to ensure training, CTE and educational programs are targeted to build strong career pathways that lead to opportunity for individuals and a qualified workforce for employers. This includes:

- Identifying the current connections between education and industry in the state
- Explore new opportunities through key initiatives that connect educational opportunities to careers
- Using sector strategies to create state a local career pathways
- Leveraging and enhancing the tools in the place, such as Career and Technical Education

**Membership**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Representing</b>
Glenn Hamer, Chair	Arizona Chamber of Commerce & Industry
Steve Macias	Pivot Manufacturing
Todd Graver	Freeport-McMoRan
Sheryl Hart	Arizona Department of Education
Kristen Mackey	Arizona Vocational Rehabilitation
Tina Norton	Pima JTED
Ali Gamero-Hernandez	Arizona Department of Economic Security
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Susan Tegmeyer	ARIZONA@WORK Northeastern Arizona

**2016 Goals**

1. Connect to the Achieve60AZ Initiative
2. Identify a common definition of a career pathways and a framework by which to examine them
3. Identify a definition of sector partnerships
4. Create a comprehensive map of programs and the populations they serve
  - Include workforce specific programs
  - Include statewide initiatives and external partners
5. Explore local career pathways currently in place
6. Explore sector partnerships in place across the state