

## CONNECTICUT STATE APPRENTICESHIP COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

Connecticut Department of Labor

Meeting to be held virtually

Thursday, February 18th, 2021

1:30 p.m.

### *AGENDA*

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call of committee members: Chairman – Kurt Westby  
Martin Alvarenga, Robert M. Berkmoes, Christopher J. Brown, Paul Costello,  
Frank DaCato, Richard DuPont, Gregory Raucci, Kelli Vallieres, Laurence Vallieres
- II. Minutes of previous meeting – 11/2020 meeting
- III. Correspondence
- IV. Public Comment
- V. Presentation - Martha Laughman, Smoothstack INC. Workforce Director, will present on the newest approved Information Technology Registered Apprenticeship program.
- VI. Apprenticeship Director Report – Todd Berch
- VII. New Business
- VIII. Old Business – DISCUSSION at the request of Council member Larry Vallieres –  
companies have requested the SAC recommend guidance regarding employers not  
properly registering apprentices. The companies making this request hire apprentices  
only to become aware previous companies have failed to register individuals as an  
apprentice. Companies claim it is punitive to the apprentice and new company alike and  
request exploring recommendations.
- IX. Good and Welfare
- X. Date of Next Meeting - Thursday, May 20th, 2021  
1:30 p.m. – location to be determined

**--Adjournment--**