

Basic Labor Market Information Analyst Training

November 4-5, 2019 Sacramento, CA

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

Day 1

Time	Session
8:00	Breakfast
8:30	Welcome/Introductions
9:00	Introduction to Labor Market Information (LMI)
	A. What is Labor Market Information (LMI) and Why is it Important?
	B. Major Players in the LMI World
	C. Key Values in the LMI World
	D. Main Suppliers and Customers of LMI
9:30	Exercise: Main Suppliers
9:45	Understanding the Core LMI Programs
	A. Core Programs and Function Funded by the U.S. DOL
	B. Workforce Information Grant Activities
	C. Federal / State Cooperative Programs
	D. BLS Confidentiality
	E. Overview of BLS Cooperative Programs
	F. Labor Force Questions and Concepts
10:30	Break
10:45	Understanding the Core LMI Programs (continued)
	G. Current Population Survey
	H. Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)
11:15	Understanding the Core LMI Programs (Continued)
	I. Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW)
	J. Business Employment Dynamics (BED)
11:45	Exercise: Accessing and Interpreting the Unemployment Rate
12:00	Lunch (on your own)
1:00	Understanding the Core LMI Programs (Continued)
	K. Current Employment Statistics (CES)



	L. Occupational Employment Statistics (OES)
	M. Industry and Occupational Projections
1:45	Exercise: Accessing and Interpreting Employment and Occupational Data
2:15	Break
2:30	Other Important Data Sources
	A. U.S. Census Bureau
	i. Decennial Census
	ii. Population Estimates & Projections
	iii. American Community Survey
	iv. Economic Census
	v. County Business Patterns
3:15	Exercise: Analyzing Demographic Data
3:30	Other Important Data Sources (continued)
	B. Bureau of Economic Analysis
	C. Other Sources
	D. Real Time LMI
4:00	Exercise: Accessing and Interpreting Employment Data from non-BLS Sources
4:30	Adjourn

Day 2

Time	Session
8:00	Breakfast
8:30	Data Visualization: Presentation Creation related Charts, Graphs, Text
9:30	Basic Industry Analysis
	A. Understanding NAICS
	B. Basic vs Non-Basic Economic Theory and Multipliers
	C. Simple Trend Analysis
	D. Location Quotients
10:30	Break
11:00	Exercise: Location Quotients
11:15	Basic Occupation Analysis
	A. Standard Occupational Classification (SOC)



	B. Linking Industries to Occupations
	C. Occupational Projections
	D. O*NET
11:45	Exercise: Staffing Patterns
12:00	Lunch (on your own)
1:00	Education and Training Data
	A. Education and Training Required for Occupations
	B. Career Clusters
	C. Education Data
1:45	Exercise: Education Data
2:00	Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics (LEHD)
	A. Local Employment Dynamics (LED)
	B. Quarterly Workforce Indicators
2:45	Exercise: QWI Explorer
3:00	Break
3:15	Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics (LEHD) (continued)
	C. On the Map Tool
3:45	Exercise: On The Map Tool
4:00	Topic Reviews as Needed and Questions
4:15	Wrap-up
4:30	Adjourn