

ILLINOIS WORKNET OUTREACH TOOL

Event Calendar




TRAINING • CONNECTING • DEVELOPING ILLINOIS' WORKFORCE

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AGENDA

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 - ▶ Calendar Updates
 - ▶ Calendar Demo
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 - ▶ Q&A
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ILLINOIS WORKNET CALENDAR BENEFITS

- Easy for all Illinois workNet partners to post events and **reach more people** in their communities.

Easy



- Help individuals and businesses – participate with events to meet their training and employment goals.

Free



- Feeds the JobPrep App, all Illinois workNet websites (i.e. Layoff Assistance, ATIM, Illinois Pathways, SYEP, disabilityworks), and any website that adds the calendar.

Community



WOW! Illinois workNet had **417,669** unique visitors so far in 2014!

TYPES OF EVENTS TO ADD

AND MANY MORE!



Workshop



Online Event



Training



Job Club



Job/Career Fair

CALENDAR UPDATES

▶ More Filters

- ▶ Add specific filters to your events to help users find them easily!
 - ▶ NEW - Audience
 - ▶ NEW - Grade Level
 - ▶ NEW - Field of Interest
 - ▶ NEW – More Event Types

▶ New Views

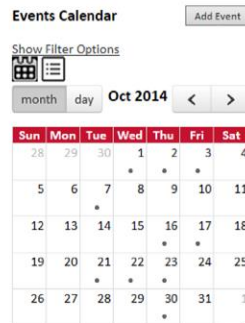
- ▶ Month
- ▶ Day
- ▶ List

▶ Updated Event Entry Screen

▶ Embed Widget Option

CALENDAR DEMO

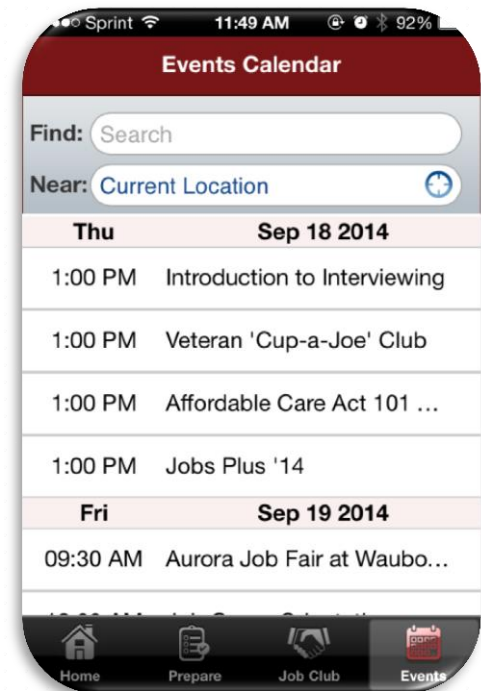
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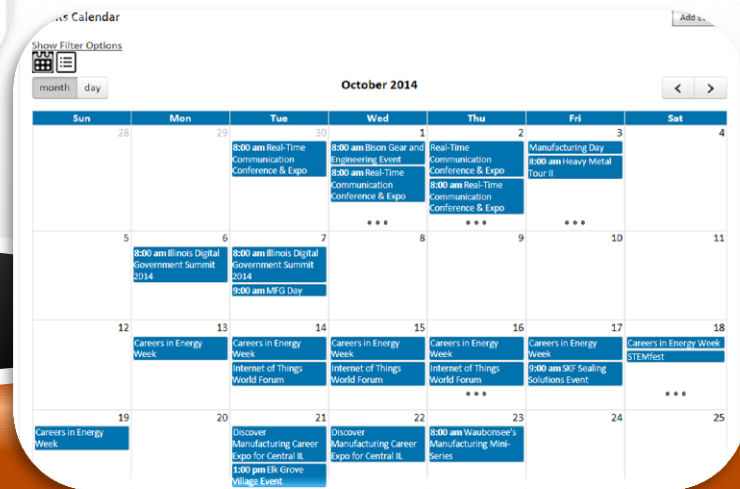
Mobile View



JobPrep App



Customize your look & feel.



DOWNLOAD INSTRUCTIONS

- ▶ Instructions include:
 - ▶ Posting Events
 - ▶ Creating Event Widget to Add to Your Website

QUESTIONS?



THANKS AND NEXT STEPS

- ▶ Start adding your events today!
- ▶ Spread the word:
 - ▶ To customers: look for upcoming events in Illinois workNet and project websites.
 - ▶ To partners: you can post your events.
 - ▶ To partners: you can add the calendar to your website.
- ▶ Watch for upcoming webinars over Illinois workNet Outreach Tools.
- ▶ Watch for Event Calendar Flyer – Coming Soon!
- ▶ Email info@illinoisworknet.com for questions or assistance.