

**Ventura County Office of Education/VC Innovates
All County Advisory Meeting**

April 17, 2017, 6:00-8:00PM

INDUSTRY SECTOR: **Architecture/Building & Construction Trades**

FACILITATOR: Lisa Eklund

RECORDER: Maria Benitez

PARTICIPANTS:

Educator	School District
Allan Prescott	OPUSD
Bill Cooney	ACE
Bret Knizek	SVUSD
David Sorenson	SVUSD
Jason Klinger	CVUSD
Paul Fredette	VUSD
Robert Rennie	SVUSD
Scott Manninen	VUSD
Scott Collins	VUSD
Steve Strong	VUSD
Trudi Babich	CVUSD

Industry Partner	Company
Darryl Kysar	Procore
David Hansen	County of Ventura, Building and Safety
Lynn Johnson	Lynn Johnson Associate

Agenda & Minutes

Introduction

6:00-6:20 Salon A, B, C- Welcome and Overview/Dinner; everyone given a card to fill out and bring with them to the breakout session "Tell us about the impact the industry/education partnership has had on you."

6:20-6:30- Transition to Breakout Rooms

Breakout Sessions

6:30- 6:45- Introductions and Industry overview

Business Needs:

-Higher demand for skilled labor, larger skill gap – **Darryl Kysar, Procore**

-Technology, sustainability, water conservation, AutoCAD – **Lynn Johnson, Johnson & Assoc.**

Additional fees, large retirement, Technology, new, younger, energetic staff – **Dave Hansen Co of Ventura Building & Safety**

Business Solutions

Darryl Kysar, Procore

- Day in the life videos
- Continue education labs
- Introduce all educators to “tech” industry partners, training & access
- Visit college level labs
- Introduction to Union partners
- Rose Reichman books for middle skill students
- Host training for teacher on all topics

Dave Hansen, County of Ventura Building & Safety

- Introduce ICC high school code program
- Offer building department internships
- Guest speaking
- Introduce (EDR) electronics
- Promote higher education, and positive benefits

Lynn Johnson, Lynn Johnson & Associates

- Provide video “what is a landscape architect”
- Be available as a resource for landscaping
- Guest speaking
- Provide design for garden or outdoor elements that students could build
- Lotusland Monterey Cypress removal & wood for turners

Teacher Needs:

-Higher skills, computer graphic skills, marketing of courses to students, hands on projects, Cabinet Vision – **Robert Rennie, Simi Valley High School**

-Marketing of programs, internships, guest speakers – David Sorenson, Royal High School Connection for middle school that affects them now, more classes other than the arts –

Trudi Babich, Redwood Middle School

-Student placement in industry, hands on college level classes to articulate with, soft skills –

Scott Maninnen, Buena High School

-Software/hardware support, software availability, software training, available hardware –

Bret Knizek, Simi Valley USD

-Where are schools missing the mark? What skills are we not teaching? - **Scott Collins, VACE**

-Does industry need training in specialized CAD software, Cabinet Vision, 20/20 – **Scott Collins, VACE**

-Professional development within industry field – **author unknown**

Common/Overarching Needs:

-Marketing of program

-Professional development

- Awareness and exposure of programs to middle, high school, parents, and industry
- Software for design and project management

7:55- 8:00 Wrap Up

8:00 Meeting adjourned – next meeting TBD