

Government sponsored green jobs placement assistance

In addition to activities by unions and non-profit organizations, green job training and placement services sponsored by federal and state government agencies offer important opportunities to connect California workers with high quality jobs. As the green economy continues to grow and more workers are needed, similar programs may emerge at the city or county level.

TRAINING & PLACEMENT SERVICES	OFFERING OF THE SERVICE
<p>California Employment Development Department Youth Employment Opportunity Program (YEOP) Multiple Locations throughout the state Website: www.edd.ca.gov/Jobs_and_Training/Services_for_Youth.htm</p>	<p>Offers special services to youth, ages 15 to 21, including peer advising, referrals to supportive services, workshops, job referrals and placement assistance and referrals to training and community outreach efforts. Programs are reached through one-stop career centers and workforce career offices located throughout the state.</p>
<p>California Employment Development Department - Training Institution Provider Listing Location: Web based tool Website: etpl.edd.ca.gov/wiaetplocc.asp</p>	<p>Offers a searchable database of over 10,000 approved training programs throughout California. Individuals can search by cost of program, whether it accepts financial aid, program location, occupation type and additional services offered.</p>
<p>California Employment Development Department Location: Offices throughout the state Workforce Services offices: www.edd.ca.gov/Jobs_and_Training/Workforce_Services_Offices One-stop career centers: www.edd.ca.gov/Jobs_and_Training/pubs/osfile.pdf</p>	<p>Workforce Services Offices and One-stop Career Centers offer in-person assistance to job seekers throughout California. Individuals can speak with EDD representatives about job placement assistance, training opportunities and education</p>
<p>East LA Skills Center Los Angeles, CA Website: elasc.adultinstruction.org</p>	<p>The Center is a full-employment preparation and training center operated by the LA Unified School District. The center serves a diverse community that includes at-risk youth and offers training courses in solar photovoltaic systems installation. Students can earn the North American Board of Certified Energy Practitioner (NABCEP) entry-level certificate — the industry standard. In addition to providing short-term vocational training, the center offers classes for a High School Diploma, and GED prep in English and Spanish.</p>
<p>Los Angeles Conservation Corps Los Angeles, CA Website: www.lacorps.org/conservation.html</p>	<p>Employs young people to provide conservation services for government agencies and private contract sponsors throughout the greater Los Angeles area.</p>
<p>United States Dept. of Labor - Job Corps Multiple locations throughout the state Website: www.jobcorps.dol.gov/centers/CA.htm</p>	<p>Offers free education, job-training and paid apprenticeship programs for multiple career types - including jobs in the energy, construction, automotive and transportation sectors - to people ages 16 to 24. Programs are reached through Job Corps offices located throughout the state. Also offers career pathways assessments for education program planning.</p>