

OBSTACLE



To remove roadblocks and barriers to establishing a building decarbonization workforce training protocol or approach that combines classroom training with on-the-job training that is tied directly to jobs.

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SOLUTION

22Q2 BUILDINGS & CONSTRUCTION

12 MONTH SOLUTION

Clean Energy HS Career Day in a Box

M1: Research other green & sector-specific

career days

M2: Identify and engage stakeholders in

schools, labor, companies, politicians, CEJA

hub M3: Develop Career Day program &

marketing for a school

- TABLE #1

TASK FORCE UPDATE - 22Q2

12-MONTH SOLUTION:

Clean Energy HS Career Day in a Box

CURRENT MILESTONE: M1: Research other green & sector-specific career days NEXT MILESTONE: M2: Identify and engage stakeholders in schools,

labor, companies, politicians, CEJA hub

UPDATES:

- Collaborated with staff at City Colleges of Chicago to learn more about existing "applied engineering" curriculum
- Conducted initial outreach to potential panelists and speakers for "Energy in a Box" Career Day Event, including Sarah Elizabeth Ippel of Academy for Global Citizenship
- Conducted outreach to CPS, City Colleges, and City of Chicago staff members for event support
- Developed initial event programming focused on broad topics of "Net-Zero Buildings," "Grid Modernization," "Renewable Energy Generation," and "EVs and Mobility"
- Finalized Wright College in Humboldt Park as event venue around Earth Day 2023