



GREEN WORKFORCE ACADEMY



5-week paid training program for green sector employment for African American and Native American ages 18-25



Start your green career!

This 5-week program will introduce you to environmental issues and opportunities to be part of the solution through workforce readiness training, education that lead to careers in green sector.

This program is a first step to obtaining a career that improves our community's health while creating financial stability. Benefits to enrolling include:

- Certification in environmental literacy
- Certification in environmental education
- Assistance with your own personal career plan
- Enrollment assistance to apprenticeship programs
- Application and hiring assistance for entry-level jobs
- Post-graduation career coaching to ensure your success

Academy sessions are Monday - Thursday from 9:00am – 3:00pm

- Two classroom days in NE Portland (located on bus lines)
- Two field site days, transportation provided
- Lunch is provided

TO APPLY, CONTACT TERESA GADDY
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ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- Must be at least 18 years old
- High School diploma or GED/TASC
- Interest in obtaining a career in the green sector

APPLICATION & REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:

- Completed online application
- Copy of High School diploma or GED/TASC
- Signed Agreement and Release Claims form

EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE FOR CAREERS IN:

- Waste Management and Trucking
- Green Building and Deconstruction
- Environmental Education
- Parks and Open Space Maintenance
- Horticulture and Urban Forestry