

# 2012 EMPLOYER CHAMPION AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

## PASSPORT to prosperity

*Celebrating more than 10 years  
of school-work partnerships*

The *Passport to Prosperity* program continues to encourage and support Ontario employers to provide experiential learning opportunities for high school students.



Today, more than 40,000 employers across the province have been actively involved in shaping Ontario's future workforce by providing students with the vital work experience and skills needed for a successful working life.

**THE PASSPORT TO PROSPERITY EMPLOYER CHAMPION AWARDS** were created to acknowledge these important contributions and particularly recognize Ontario employers who have shown an outstanding commitment to providing meaningful work experiences for high school students in their communities through any of the following:

- . Job Shadowing . School-Work Transition Programs . Mentoring . Classroom or Worksite Visits .
- . Career Talks . Cooperative Education . Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program .

**Nominations will be accepted on an ongoing basis and reviewed quarterly.**

To nominate an employer in your area or to nominate yourself, please answer the questions below. If the space provided is insufficient to complete your responses, additional pages may be added to the form as required. Only complete forms will be considered for review. If the space provided is insufficient to complete your responses, additional pages may be added to the form as required.

### CONTACT INFORMATION

#### Employer

Organization/Company name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominator** (if different from above)

Organization/Company name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

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**GENERAL INFORMATION**

- Number of employees in organization: \_\_\_\_\_
- Sector:
  - Arts and Culture
  - Business & Entrepreneurship
  - Construction
  - Financial Services
  - Health Sciences
  - Hospitality and Tourism
  - Information Technology
  - Manufacturing
  - Primary Industry (Agriculture, Forestry, Mining, Landscaping)
  - Retail
  - Other – If other please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- Length of time organization has offered school-work programs: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PROGRAM INFORMATION**

1. What kind of school-work programs has this employer provided for high school students?

- Check all that apply:
  - Job Shadowing
  - Mentoring
  - Career Talks
  - Classroom Visits
  - School Work Transition Programs
  - Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program
  - Cooperative Education
  - Specialist High Skills Major
  - Other

- Please describe the types of school-work programs you have indicated the employer has provided, with an example of each if possible:

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2. How has the community benefited from this employer's dedication to offering school-work programs to high school students?

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3. How has the employer benefited from offering high school students school-work programs?

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4. Describe the achievements of two students who have benefited from school-work programs with this employer. Please do not provide the students' personal details.

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5. Has the employer worked with their local *Passport to Prosperity* coordinator to support the development of its experiential learning programming? If so, please describe.

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## REFERENCES

Please provide two references who can talk about the nominated employer's dedication to offering school-work programs to high school students. (Nominators can also act as a reference.)

### Reference #1

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization: \_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship to Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_  
Province: \_\_\_\_\_  
Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

### Reference #2

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization: \_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship to Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_  
Province: \_\_\_\_\_  
Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to receive information about ongoing Passport to Prosperity events and activities?    Yes     No

To submit your nomination(s) by fax or mail, please forward to the attention of Mark Agius at

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