

unite! is an easy-to-use online tool that connects you and your organization to the future workforce in your community. Through unite!, you can choose to take part in any number of career exploration activities that you are willing to participate in.

Go to www.ILunite.org to sign up and select any of the activities.

SHORT-TERM ACTIVITIES

CAREER COACH

1+ hrs/week

Respond to student questions and offer advice via a web discussion board.

GUEST SPEAKER

30-60 minutes (per class)

Speak to a group of students & teachers about your career, training and skills, or about general business topics.

MOCK / INFORMATIONAL INTERVIEW

15-60 min. per interview

Help students develop their interviewing skills and provide constructive feedback.

BUSINESS ROUND TABLE

4 hours

Experts discuss trends and industry standards.

COMPETITION JUDGE

1 -8 hours

Help judge student projects and provide constructive feedback.

MEDIUM-TERM ACTIVITIES

SERVICE LEARNING OPPORTUNITY

2-15 hrs

Provide students/job seekers an opportunity to give back to their community by allowing them to participate in a project at your company.

CURRICULUM ADVISOR

1-15 hours

Teachers consult with industry experts about industry trends in order to begin aligning high school curriculum.

PROJECT ADVISOR AND SUPPORT

1-15(may vary)

Provide support to students while they explore real-world problems and challenges.

LONG-TERM ACTIVITIES

COMMITTEE MEMBER

1-40 hours

Participate in a variety of workforce development and education preparatory committees.

COMMITTEE MEMBER ROCKFORD SCHOOLS

24+ hours

Monthly meetings to provide recommendations on building academies.