

## **Rhode Island CTE Snapshot**

National Association of State Directors of Career Technical Education Consortium (NASDCTEc)

# Rhode Island Career Technical Education (CTE) Statistics At-A-Glance:

### **Funding:**

- Perkins Funds Received in FY10: \$6,048,484<sup>i</sup>
- Perkins Funds Received in FY11: \$5,526,718
- Percent change: -8.63%

#### **CTE Student Outcomes Data:**

- CTE students in Rhode Island graduated from high school at a higher rate than the statewide rate in 2009-2010 (90% compared to 76.9%)<sup>ii</sup>
- 95% of secondary CTE students in Rhode Island graduated high school on time<sup>iii</sup>
- Almost 9 out of every 10 secondary CTE students (88%) passed assessments that gauge their level of technical skill attainmentiv

#### **CTE Enrollment Data:**

- ➤ Number of Secondary Students Enrolled in CTE: 45,197°
- ➤ Number of Postsecondary Students Enrolled in CTE: 581<sup>vi</sup>

## CTE: Preparing Rhode Island's Students for Jobs of Today and Jobs of the Future

From today through 2018 in RI:

- → The Business Management and Administration Career Cluster will be the largest in RI.
- → Human Services and Information Technology will be the fastest growing Career Clusters, increasing by 19% each by 2018.
- → In 2018, 41% of all jobs in RI will be found in Business Management and Administration, Hospitality and Tourism, and Marketing, Sales, and Services.
- → In RI by 2018, there will be about 50,000 jobs for those with certificates.

Source: Georgetown Center on Education and the Workforce, 2011.

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http://www.acteonline.org/uploadedFiles/Issues\_and\_Advocacy/files/Perkins\_Cut\_Final.doc

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Association for Career and Technical Education, FY 2011 final appropriations bill: Impact on Perkins funding, 2011.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Rhode Island Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, 2011 Rhode Island State Report Card – High School. <a href="http://www.eride.ri.gov/reportcard/11/StateReportCard.aspx?schCode=00&schType=3">http://www.eride.ri.gov/reportcard/11/StateReportCard.aspx?schCode=00&schType=3</a>

From Rhode Island's Consolidated Annual Report (CAR) for the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act of 2006, 2009-2010.

iv Rhode Island CAR report

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>v</sup> Perkins Collaborative Resource Network (PCRN) for Program and Data Quality website, 2009-2010. http://cte.ed.gov/

vi PCRN website, 2009-2010.