General Information

Available through the U.S. Department of Labor’s Employment and Training Administration H1-B Jobs Accelerator Grant Program, MIIA provides training and paid internships in renewable energy aviation/aerospace, composites/advanced materials, and biotechnology fields.

Participants take part in pre-employment training and paid internships. Internships provide an opportunity to assess skill level, mechanical aptitude and cultural “fit” within a workplace setting prior to formal hire.

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Our Grant Partners...

Make It In America MIIA

Building Maine’s Workforce in Four Industry Sectors:

- Aviation/Aerospace
- Biotechnology
- Composites/Advanced Materials
- Renewable Energy

Workforce Solutions Centers

- A Partner of the CareerCenter Network

This is an Equal Opportunity Program. Auxiliary aids and services are available to individuals with disabilities upon request.

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A Partnership
Providing Support For:

- Paid internships connecting participants with employment opportunities.
- Targeted classroom training activities leading to an industry recognized credential.
- Access to career workshops and peer group meetings known as cohorts.
- Participant job placement and retention assistance.

Targeted Industries:

- Aviation/Aerospace
- Composites/Advanced Materials
- Renewable Energy
- Biotechnology

Internship Candidate Qualifications:

- Maine Resident
- 18 Years of Age or Older
- HS Diploma or GED
- Have related post-secondary training/education or relevant work experience in the target industry
- Unemployed, Underemployed, or current post-secondary college enrollee in or recent graduate of one of the target industries

Employer Eligibility Requirements:

*Internship worksites must be located in one of the following counties and must provide internship opportunities in a MIIA related occupation:*

Cumberland  Sagadahoc  Androscoggin  Kennebec  Lincoln

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