

# Skills Work!® For Women Networking Dinner

## WHAT IS IT?

- Skills Work!® For Women Networking Dinners are inspiring career exploration events highlighting careers in the Skilled Trades & Technologies
- Young women in grades 9 to 12 have the opportunity to meet and network with tradeswomen or mentors from their community
- We are currently seeking enthusiastic women who work or are training in a skilled trade or technology field to act as mentors. A mentor is a woman who works, trains or teaches in a skilled trade or technology field and is willing to share her positive career experiences with the student participants through informal networking activities.
- You have been sent this invitation to attend as a mentor because there is a dinner happening near you and we would like to have you attend! Click [here](#) for a list of locations.

## THE PROGRAM AGENDA

Time	Activity
5:00-5:15	Registration & Mentor Reception
5:15-6:00	Buffet Dinner & Introduction to Networking Competition
6:00-6:25	Marshmallow Tower Challenge
6:25-6:35	Skills Work! What's Out There? Presentation
6:35-8:35	Sector Rotations & Skilled Trades & Technology Relay!  6:35-6:55 - Rotation 1 7:00-7:20 - Rotation 2 7:25-7:45 - Rotation 3 7:50-8:10 - Rotation 4 8:15-8:35 - Rotation 5
8:35-8:45	Closing Remarks/Door Prizes/Evaluations



# Mentor Registration Guide

The Skills Work!® for Women Networking Dinners foster a positive environment in which female high school students have the opportunity to hear several speakers talk about the challenges and rewards of their chosen career path. They also gain valuable experience networking with mentors from their community who provide advice, guidance and inspiration. These young women leave feeling empowered and informed about a variety of career choices available to them, many of them in non-traditional or male-dominated fields. Mentors leave feeling rewarded by the opportunity to inspire the next generation of women as they make choices for their futures, and become a part of the ever-growing network of women in the trades and technologies.

Click [here](#) to see if you fit within the following careers we are hoping to include at our dinner. This list is also included at the end of this document.

## 1. REGISTER ONLINE: [www.skillsontario.com/nd](http://www.skillsontario.com/nd)

If you fit the description of the jobs listed above please complete the online registration by simply filling in the required fields that appear on the form.

Registration is complimentary for mentors, enjoy a delicious buffet dinner on us!

## 2. CONFIRMATION PACKAGE:

A confirmation package will be sent to you with a document entitled *Mentor Preparation and Tips*. This document includes important information regarding your role as a mentor throughout the event, how the sector rotation activity works, as well as sample questions and student comments from previous events.

**\*New this Year:** Mentor Preparation and Tips conference call scheduled for October 21, 2013 and November 11, 2013. More details will be included in your confirmation e-mail.

## 3. ATTEND THE MENTOR RECEPTION & EVENT:

Come to the mentor reception immediately prior to the event and meet other mentors within your panel. This reception also provides an opportunity for mentors to learn basic facts about the program, the evenings agenda, tips for talking with students, and ask any last minute questions.

QUESTIONS? Contact April Albano

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# List of Skilled Trades & Technologies

## INDUSTRIAL

Aircraft Maintenance Engineer  
Bearings Mechanic  
Blacksmith  
Cabinetmaker  
Carperson (Railway)  
CNC Programmer  
Composite Structures Technician (Aircraft)  
Die Design  
Draftsperson Mechanical  
Draftsperson Plastic Mould Design  
Draftsperson Tool & Die Design  
Electric Motor Rewind Mechanic  
Electrical Control (Machine) Builder  
Elevating Device Mechanic  
Facilities Mechanic  
Facilities Technician  
Fitter-Assembler (Motor Assembly)  
Fitter (Structural Steel/Plateworker)  
Fitter Welder  
General Machinist  
Hydraulic/Pneumatic Mechanic  
Industrial Electrician  
Industrial Instrument Mechanic  
Industrial Mechanic Millwright  
Locksmith  
Machine Tool Builder & Integrator  
Mould Design  
Mould or Die Finisher  
Mould Maker  
Optics Technician (Precision Lens & Prism Maker)  
Packaging Machine Mechanic  
Pattern Maker  
Precision Metal Fabricator  
Process Operator (Refinery, Chemical & Liquid Processes)  
Pump Systems Installer  
Roll Grinder/Turner  
Saw Filer/Fitter  
Ski Lift Mechanic  
Surface Blaster  
Surface Mount Assembler  
Tool & Cutter Grinder  
Tool And Die Maker  
Tool And Gauge Inspector  
Tool/Tooling Maker  
Water Meter Installer  
Water Well Driller  
Welder

## CONSTRUCTION

Brick And Stone Mason  
Cement Finisher  
Cement Mason  
Construction Boilermaker  
Construction Craft Worker  
Construction Millwright  
Drywall Applicator  
Drywall Finisher & Plasterer  
Electrician (Construction & Maintenance)  
Electrician (Domestic & Rural)  
Floor Covering Installer  
General Carpenter  
Glazier & Metal Mechanic  
Heat & Frost Insulator  
Heavy Equipment Operator Dozer  
Heavy Equipment Operator Excavator  
Heavy Equipment Operator Tractor Loader Backhoe  
Hoisting Engineer Mobile Crane Operator  
Ironworker  
Lineworker: Construction  
Lineworker: Power  
Native Residential Construction Worker  
Painter and Decorator (Commercial & Residential)  
Painter and Decorator (Industrial)  
Plumber  
Precast Concrete Erector  
Precast Concrete Finisher  
Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Mechanic  
Reinforcing Rodworker  
Restoration Mason  
Roofer  
Sheet Metal Worker  
Sprinkler & Fire Protection Installer  
Steamfitter  
Terrazzo, Tile & Marble Setter



## **SERVICE**

Aboriginal Early Childhood Educator  
Agriculture Dairy Herdsperson  
Agriculture Fruit Grower  
Agriculture Swine Herdsperson  
Appliance Service Technician  
Arborist  
Baker  
Baker/Patissier  
Chef  
Child & Youth Worker  
Cook Assistant Branch 1  
Cook Branch 2  
Early Childhood Educator  
Early Childhood Educator (Inclusion Practices)  
Educational Assistant  
Electronic Service Technician  
Gemsetter/Goldsmith  
Hairstylist  
Horse Groomer  
Horse Harness Maker  
Horticultural Technician  
Information Technology  
Support Analyst Hardware  
Information Technology Support Analyst Help Desk  
Information Technology Support Analyst Network  
Microelectronics Manufacturer  
Native Clothing & Crafts Artisan  
Network Cabling Specialist  
Partsperson (Automotive)  
Pool & Hot Tub/Spa Installer  
Pool & Hot Tub/Spa Service Technician  
Retail Meat Cutter  
Saddlery  
Special Events Coordinator  
Wooden Boat Rebuilder

## **MOTIVE POWER**

Alignment & Brakes Technician  
Auto Body & Collision Damage Repairer  
Auto Body Repairer (Branch 2)  
Automotive Electronic Accessory Technician  
Automotive Glass Technician  
Automotive Painter  
Automotive Service Technician  
Farm Equipment Technician  
Fuel & Electrical Systems Technician  
Heavy Duty Equipment Technician  
Marine Engine Mechanic  
Motorcycle Mechanic  
Powered Lift Truck Technician  
Recreation Vehicle Mechanic  
Small Engine Technician  
Tire, Wheel & Rim Mechanic  
Transmission Technician  
Truck & Coach Technician  
Truck-Trailer Service Technician  
Turf Equipment Technician

## **TECHNOLOGY**

Computer animators  
TV/Video Production  
Internet Web Page Designer  
Graphic Designer  
GIS (Geographic Information Systems) Technicians  
Photographer  
Robotics Technician  
IT Hardware Technician  
IT Network Technician  
Engineering Technician/Technologist

