



Content Preview: Skills Summit 2019

The NSC Skills Summit is around the corner, and it'll be our biggest Summit yet! Want to know what to expect? Whether you're a veteran advocate or going to Capitol Hill for the first time, 2019 will be an important year to engage. The 116th Congress will not only welcome many new members, but also debate and shape many of our key issues, including apprenticeship, postsecondary education, and safety net skills policy. Content highlights include:

- **Election reflections and projections:** Amidst the many divisive issues in the 2018 midterms, skills training quietly emerged as a nonpartisan, commonsense answer to economic anxieties felt by Americans on both sides of the political divide. Be the first to see preliminary results of new public opinion research by NSC that looks at what Republican, Democrat, and independent voters want to hear from presidential candidates on this issue in the next election cycle - nationally and in key swing states.
- **What does the new Congress mean for *moving skills policy*?** Analysts share what to expect and how to make the most of the newly elected members.
- **New White House guidelines for apprenticeship:** Hear from national experts and congressional staff about what this means for programs nationwide.
- **We can't compete if we cut.** The U.S. invests far less in workforce programming than other developed countries. Hear from Hill staff and national appropriations experts on the outlook in the new Congress for increasing critical investments in workforce and education funding and learn how NSC advocates can help policy makers meet business demand and worker need.

The full updated agenda can be found [here](#). Seats are limited, so reserve your spot [here](#) before the holidays!

Hope to see you there!

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