



# NATIONAL SKILLS COALITION

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## Help us advance the national skills agenda

You don't hear much positive news coming out of Washington these days so I thought it was important to write. **Don't be shocked, but Congressional leaders – Democrats and Republicans – are spearheading legislation that advances our Skills for Good Jobs agenda.** We haven't seen much cooperation across political aisles lately – mostly partisan bickering – so this cooperation is quite an accomplishment. **And it's because of advocates like you!**

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[We wouldn't be able to do this work without your help. Please consider donating today to keep the momentum going.](#)

You've heard from us about the JOBS Act, the BUILDS Act, the DREAM Act, the College Transparency Act, and so much more. Our coalition has logged more than 3,000 messages, participated in hundreds of Congressional meetings, and engaged the broader community through policy briefs, newspaper stories, and social media.

They have been working nonstop since inauguration day, and we need your help to keep up the pace. **We must be visible on Capitol Hill during these legislative battles.** [Please donate now to help us mobilize our network around our shared "investing in people" agenda.](#)

When I talk with folks across the country they're disillusioned by the partisan gridlock and angry posturing that is strangling our government. They're fearful that we'll never see progress, and what that means for the future of our country. That's when I tell them that there is hope, and even progress, when you look at what our coalition has accomplished.

**Together we can leverage the power of our coalition to keep our "investing in people" agenda front and center as Congressional leaders make policy decisions that impact the lives of millions of students and workers.** [Please contribute today.](#)

Thanks for your partnership.

Andy Van Kleunen  
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