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CONGRESSIONAL COALITION, THE ASSOCIATION OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE
TRUSTEES, AND THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE FOR FEDERAL POLICY RESEARCH
invite you to attend a

***Breakfast Briefing: Training a
Workforce – What Will Keep America
Working into the 21st Century?***

**Friday, May 9, 2003
10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
2105 Rayburn House Office Building**

Moderator: Representative Danny K. Davis (Illinois)

Presenters:

“America’s Workforce Today & Tomorrow” – John G. Haaga, Director, Domestic Programs,
Population Reference Bureau

“Workforce Investment: the Challenges of a Changing Workforce” -- Anthony Carnevale,
Vice President for Assessment, Equity, & Careers, Educational Testing Service

“The Implementation Perspective - A Report from the Field” – Tony Girifalco, Executive
Vice President, Delaware Valley Industrial Resource Center

By the year 2010, the number of American workers ages 55-65 will increase 52%, while the number ages 35-44 will decrease by 10%. When the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) was passed in 1998, one of the goals was to reform the patchwork workforce policy system. The intention was to create a streamlined “one-stop” system, which would give states greater flexibility to work with local boards to provide better access to job training while ensuring quality and accountability. In the five years since WIA was enacted, have the outcomes been positive? And, what will the changing demographics of America’s workforce mean for business and workers? How must training providers and industry work together to prepare an adequate workforce? As the Congress is poised to consider the reauthorization of WIA, please join us for this lively breakfast discussion of workforce trends, and the needs of workers and businesses in the 21st Century.

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