Hospitality & Retail Workforce Summit

Calling All Lake County Employers, Business Owners, HR Professionals, and Residents!

Join us for a summit dedicated to driving growth, tackling workforce challenges, and strengthening Lake County's hospitality and retail sector.

Event Details



Date: Tuesday, March 11, 2025 Panels: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM



- (Doors Open at 8:30 AM)
- Networking: 11:00 AM 12:00 PM
- Cost: Free of Charge
- Location: Great Wolf Lodge
- 1700 Nations Dr, Gurnee, IL 60031

Registration



Don't miss out on this opportunity! Complete the form by February 21st to secure your spot—walk-ins are also welcome! Link: bit.ly/hospitality_retail_summit



Featured Speakers

Hear from these keynote speakers, along with additional national and local experts in our industry panels.



Michael Jacobson Illinois Hotel & Lodging Association President and CEO www.illinoishotels.org



Sam Toia Illinois Restaurant Association President www.illinoisrestaurants.org

Plus, don't miss insights from panelists representing Great Wolf Lodge, Lake County Health Department, College of Lake County, Lake County Workforce Development, and more!

What to Expect

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Gain valuable industry insights from statewide experts on workforce trends, competitive wages, and retention strategies in hospitality and retail. Discover local hiring, training, and business growth resources while networking with key organizations to foster collaboration and sustainability.

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