

The Pipeline

Connecting Green Jobs Resources in Colorado

~ Newsletter of the *Green Jobs Pipeline for Women Project* ~

Welcome to *The Pipeline*

Innovations and investments in today's Clean Energy Economy are leading to an array of new employment opportunities. The *Green Jobs Pipeline for Women* newsletter provides organizations and individuals with Green Jobs information and resources. [Learn More](#)

Our Mission

Promote the education, training and placement of women throughout the state into the green jobs market.

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Green Jobs Events

Upcoming Career and Job Fairs

Women Job Fair July 22 from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. at Hilton Garden Inn, Denver [Learn More](#)

Colorado Green Jobs and Career Resource Fair Saturday, October 23 from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at Arapahoe Community College [Learn More](#)

Sustainability Roundtables

The Alliance for Sustainable Colorado is conducting a series of Sustainability Roundtables.

The next Roundtable is on **July 22** in Craig. Join us to discuss Green Jobs. [Learn More](#)

Women Build at

News

Registered Apprenticeship Orientation Starts Women on a New Journey

On June 29, the Green Jobs Pipeline for Women and its Coalition partners hosted Green Construction Apprenticeship: What Women Need to Know at the Electrician Training Center in Denver. 40 people were in attendance to learn about Registered Apprenticeships, renewable energies and the path to becoming a Journeyman in the Trades.



Electrical Apprentice Shawna Smith (right) answers Denise LeBouef's questions

A big thank you to organizations who made this event possible: FRESC, Women's Bureau, 9to5 and venue

Green Jobs Resources

Download our handy list of **Green Jobs Resources** [Click Here](#)

Job Announcements

Renewable Energy Technology Faculty at Community College of Aurora. [Learn More](#)

Independent Sales Representative at American Solar Energy Society [Learn More](#)

Bilingual Receptionist at Denver Green Jobs Initiative [Learn More](#)

Four jobs available at **Renewable Choice Energy** [Learn More](#)

- **Director of Sustainability Services**
- **Sustainability Consultant/Engineer**
- **Outside Sales Manager**
- **Chinese-Speaking Energy Auditor**

For a list of job search and

Habitat for Humanity

Hands-on training opportunity for women interested in construction and green building. Sign up for Habitat of Metro Denver's *Women Build*, a home built entirely by women volunteers. Starts September 1! [Learn More](#)

Growing Businesses Small to Tall - a New Radio Wave

On July 23 Green Jobs Pipeline partner, [The Seed](#), and Castle Rock Radio will launch *Growing Businesses Small to Tall*. This new media outlet will allow women business owners, authors, community leaders and nonprofits to share, educate, motivate and inspire others to create change in their lives and in their communities. [Learn More](#)

Networking Opportunities

Attend the informative speaker series of Colorado's most plugged-in Green groups:

- [Women in Sustainable Energy \(WISE\)](#), Aug 10
- [Colorado Renewable Energy Society \(CRES\)](#), July 22

Send us information on your next event. [Email Us](#)

Network...Learn...Promote!

Check out the latest green events in Colorado and post an event of your own. See the Alliance for Sustainable Colorado's [Events Calendar](#). [Link to Calendar](#)

Rosie with Wind Turbines image courtesy of Rogue Design - <http://www.creativeidentity.org>

hosts, the DJEATC.

Wind Education Blows Strong in Sterling

Northeastern Junior College was awarded \$1.3 million by the U.S. Department of Labor to educate students interested in pursuing employment in the wind energy industry. NEJC students enroll in Wind Energy classes now. [Learn More](#)

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Women's PV Training Program Turns 14!

In 2010, **Solar Energy International** welcomed its 14th year of solar electric (PV) training designed specifically for women. SEI's extremely popular workshops have been well attended by women from all over the world looking to gain technical knowledge on how to design and install code compliant solar electric systems. [Leading women solar professionals](#) teach this distinctive women's-only solar training.

PV Workshop alumna Kyra Moore now enjoys a fruitful career in solar. Moore wrote on the SEI blog, "I was blown away with the knowledge, experiences, and expertise in all different fields that was enclosed in one classroom, can you say women-power!" [Learn More](#)



Women assemble a rack for a solar PV system at SEI's Paonia, CO eco-campus. © Solar Energy International

Trainings Coming Down the "Pipe"

Colorado is a leader in Green Jobs training. Below are just some of the trainings during the next several months.

Quintas Renewable Energy offers training in management, wind, weatherization and PV. Classes (some in Spanish!) start in September. [Learn More](#)

Rocky Mountain Education Center offers courses in the environmental and energy fields - LEED, EPA Lead

networking links. [Click Here](#)

Did You Know?

Two large-scale renewable energy companies are expanding and creating jobs in Colorado.

Governor Ritter announced that Vestas Wind Systems and Abound Solar plan new facilities along the Front Range. The expansions will employ approximately 425 people. Shine up your Green resumes and submit them now! [Learn More](#)

Suggest a Resource

We are looking for organizations that provide support services to women in the workforce!

If you provide, or know of an organization that provides the following services:

- Resume greening
- Interviewing tips
- Service providers for green job seekers

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Green Jobs Pipeline for Women is a project of the **Alliance for Sustainable Colorado** and is under contract from the [Department of Labor Women's Bureau](#). The Alliance for Sustainable Colorado's mission is, "Advancing sustainability through collaboration among nonprofit, business, government and education."



Discover the Women's Bureau Green Jobs for Women resources. [Learn More](#)

Thank you to all of the organizations listed in this newsletter for providing information and resources to the **Green Jobs Pipeline for Women** Project.

Renovator, Solar and BPI and others. [Learn More](#)

Crestone Solar School - (Crestone, CO), offers a 4-day Solar Heating Design and Natural Building - Starts July 23. [Learn More](#)

When you enroll in any of these trainings, tell them you heard of them through the Green Jobs Pipeline for Women! Visit the Green Jobs Pipeline's [Education and Training Web Page](#)

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