



*Michael Zizmer,  
Private Wealth Advisor  
LifeWorks Coach & Financial Supporter*

*“Being a mentor in the classes was one of the most rewarding experiences I have ever had. It’s awesome to watch people get out of debt, take care of their families and create a career for themselves. Watching the transformation in the way they feel about themselves is a testimony to the way God feels about us.”*

*Sonya Coleman, LifeWorks Graduate*

*“I was a young single mother, high school dropout and in an abusive relationship. LifeWorks opened up my world in unbelievable ways--they gave me a bridge to a new life path. I’m now a Registered Nurse pursuing my Master’s degree, my oldest son is pharmacist and my younger kids are on track for college. I feel like it’s a miracle.”*



## THE WAY UP.

Founded in 1999, The Jobs Partnership is a faith-based, non-profit 501(c)3 organization headquartered in Orlando, Florida dedicated to building a healthy workforce through the transformation of the chronically underemployed, by empowering them with God’s truth, elevating their workplace abilities and attitudes, and enhancing their employability. The Jobs Partnership’s vision is to strengthen whole communities for generations. We’re able to offer LifeWorks Training, Career Pathways, Resource Fairs, Career Fairs, OnRamps, Job Connection website, educational opportunities, mentorship and other programs and resources, thanks to our valued partnerships with Churches, Volunteers, Employers, Community Resources, Educational Organizations and our generous Financial Supporters in the Florida community.

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**You might feel** that life is moving too fast, or you're just too busy. But you were created to live fully in the moment, to use and grow your talents and gifts by connecting with and serving others who are less fortunate. We invite you to join with our Church Partners and diverse Volunteer teams who are working together to transform the lives of the chronically underemployed men and women who are stalled in their jobs, their lives or both through an innovative, faith-based training course. The course is just the beginning of a life-changing series of opportunities for them. And it's a unique opportunity for talented people like you to integrate faith and work to personally impact working poor families, and even change the course of future generations, right here in our community. **This is what you were made for.**



## A NEW WAY TO TRANSFORM POOR FAMILIES

Across Florida, 45% of households struggle to afford the basic necessities of housing, childcare, food, healthcare and transportation. About two-thirds of these are the 'working poor' or chronically underemployed families.\* The Jobs Partnership provides a proven solution built on the Biblical truth that all people are created and designed by God to work, to be fruitful and to have purpose in their lives. We work together with our Church Partners to provide an innovative, no-cost training course for these men and women, called LifeWorks.

## LW LIFEWORKS TRAINING

LifeWorks is like a boot-camp for life and work, with practical, Biblical teaching that transforms the head and heart. The 12-week course meets for one evening per week, twice per year at regional training sites around Central Florida. The first night of class Students are paired with volunteer Coaches, who serve as their mentor and advocate, helping them develop a Career Pathway and restoring hope in the process. Throughout the course, Students have numerous opportunities to engage with our Community Resource Partners, Educational Partners, Employer Partners and Church Partners. And that's just the beginning. After Graduation, The Jobs Partnership team provides recommendations and referrals to Partners as the Students take action on their customized Career Plan. The goal is to equip them, empower them, and launch them into a career-path opportunity that will lead to a family-sustaining wage as they continue the way forward....The Way Up.



## VOLUNTEER ROLES

When you Volunteer for The Jobs Partnership, you're fulfilling what you were created to do: serve alongside others, care for people, and share your gifts with the community. Opportunities include:

### COACH

Coaches are the lifeblood of the LifeWorks Training, personally encouraging, mentoring and guiding the Students to reach their God-given potential. We train each Coach to walk alongside his or her Students. If you are passionate about career/personal development, have a strong relationship with God, excellent interpersonal skills, and enjoy leading small groups, this may be the role for you.

*Time Commitment: 1 training day + 1 evening/week for 12 weeks*

### SIGNATURE EVENTS

Volunteers assist during 3 signature events conducted throughout the LifeWorks course: Resource Fair, Career Fair and the Graduation. They may help with setup, welcome guests as they arrive, register participants and may also assist with parking.

*Time commitment: 2 hours per event*

### ONE-TIME OPPORTUNITIES

If you have a demanding schedule, a one-time volunteer opportunity may be a good fit for you. Visit our website for details on each of these roles. Options include:

- Instructor
- Interview Coach
- Suited for Success
- Special Projects
- Advisory Committees

*Time commitment: flexible*

### PRAYER TEAM

For hearts to change, for lives to change, the supernatural must take place. The Prayer Support Team offers critical prayer covering for the Jobs Partnership Board, Staff, Volunteers, Students, Partners and Donors.

*Time Commitment: flexible*

**APPLY NOW**

For more information and to apply, visit:

[JobsPartnership.org/volunteers](http://JobsPartnership.org/volunteers)

\*United Way ALICE Study