

# CHIPS for America Workforce Roundtable: Cross-Sector Partnerships

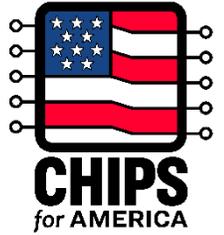
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# CHIPS for America Vision



## Economic Security

The CHIPS Act will strengthen supply chain security and increase economic resilience in critical sectors.



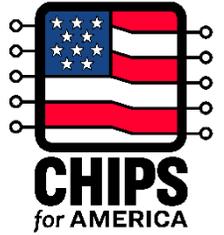
## National Security

The CHIPS Act will ensure that the U.S. can manufacture advanced technologies, including secure chips for the U.S. military.



## Future Innovation

The CHIPS Act will spur innovation, increase competitiveness, and ensure long-term U.S. leadership in the sector.



# Accomplishing these objectives requires:

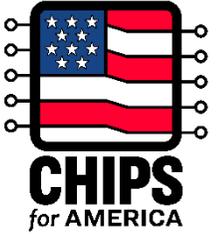
Catalyzing private investment

Protecting taxpayer dollars

Building a skilled and diverse  
workforce

Engaging with U.S. partners  
and allies

Driving economic opportunity  
and inclusive economic growth



# To achieve this vision, the Department is prioritizing applications with workforce plans that...

- 1** **Employ a whole of society approach**—bringing together government, employers, training providers, workforce and economic development organizations, community-based groups, education and training institutions, labor unions and more
- 2** Work with partners to **build a skilled, diverse workforce** that can construct and then operate facilities
- 3** Develop plans that best **meet the needs of their workforce, their region, and their project**

# Strong Partnerships are Critical to Project Success

Partners can help applicants:

Effective workforce investments rely on successful strategic partnerships, and partnerships will be critical to achieve CHIPS program goals.

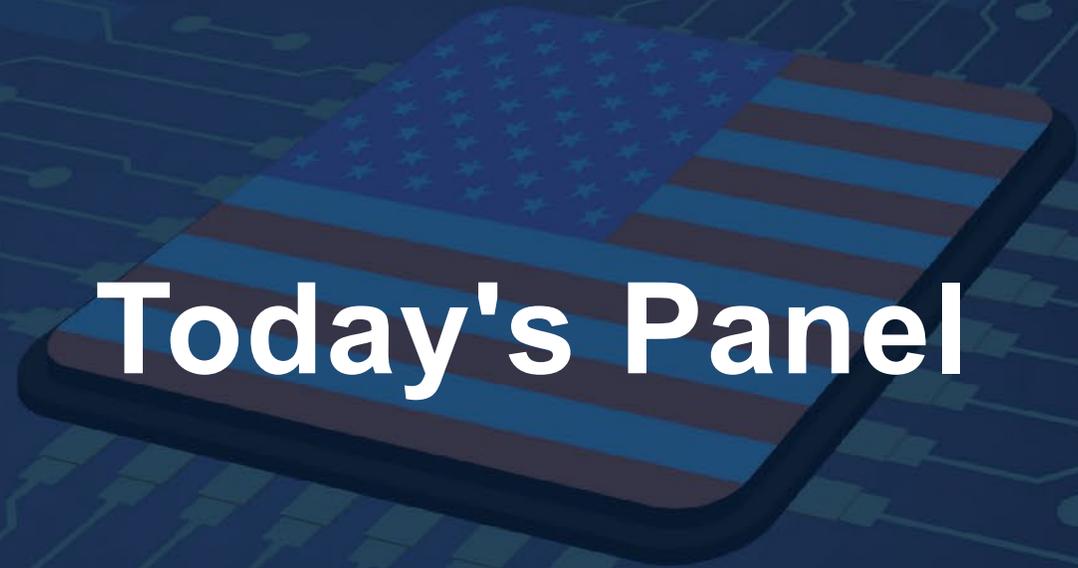
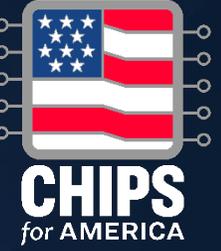
Attract new sources of talent

Increase awareness of opportunities

Provide wraparound supports

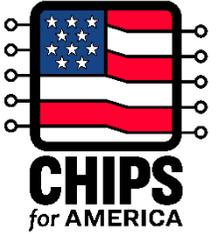
Retain and grow the workforce

Applicants **must secure commitments** from strategic partners and are expected to engage with these partners on an **ongoing basis**.



# Today's Panel

# Panel Speakers



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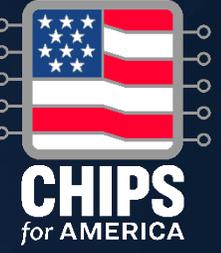


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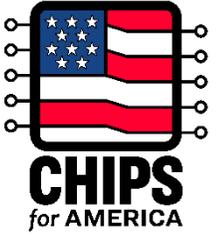


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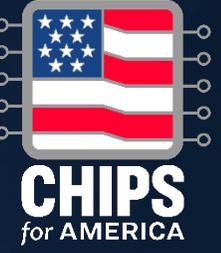


# Next Steps



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- Visit [CHIPS.gov](https://chips.gov) for resources, including:
  - Workforce Development Planning Guide
  - Applicant guides and templates
  - FAQs and fact sheets
- Register for future webinars
- Join our mailing list
- Contact us
  - [askchips@chips.gov](mailto:askchips@chips.gov) – general inquiries
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