



ESSENTIAL SKILLS WEBCAST

MONDAY, JUNE 4

10:00 am – 11:00 am / ESSENTIAL SKILLS – LOOKING AT THE SOFTER ESSENTIAL SKILLS FOR ON THE JOB SUCCESS

Hear about how the nine Essential Skills lead to on the job success. Panellists will share cross-sector insights on how Essential Skills training and development is crucial to being job ready. Learn more valuable Essential Skill advice to boost your career in the skilled trades and technology industries.

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm / SKILLS CANADA NATIONAL COMPETITION: CELEBRITY PANEL

Back by popular demand!

The Skills Canada National Competition Celebrity Panel is your chance to hear from Kate Campbell and Paul LaFrance of HGTV Canada's Decked Out, Disaster Decks and Home to Win as well as Blue Collar CEO™ & Founder of Frescho's (not the grocery store!) Mandy Rennehan. Find out why they decided to pursue a career in the skilled trades, and how problem-solving skills are used in their workplace.

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm / ESSENTIAL SKILLS AS THE FOUNDATION OF LEARNING

The nine Essential Skills are used in every job to varying degrees and at different levels of complexity. They provide the foundation for learning all other skills and enable people to evolve with their jobs and adapt to workplace change. Hear about how the nine Essential Skills are critical for student success especially those looking to enter the workforce in the trade and technology sectors.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5

10:00 am – 11:00 am / SKILLS CANADA NATIONAL COMPETITION: ALUMNI

Hear from Skills Canada past competitors about their experience at the Skills Canada National Competition: why they're here, why they decided to pursue a career in the skilled trades, and how the Essential Skills are used in their workplace and during the competition.

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm / ESSENTIAL SKILLS AND RECRUITMENT

Industry leaders share insights for students and adults looking to enter (or re-enter) the workforce. Learn what foundational skills are needed for success and how Essential Skills training can help address the current skills mismatch in Canada.

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm / ESSENTIAL SKILLS AND THE EVOLVING WORKPLACE

As technology continues to evolve, it's important that all Canadians have the Essential Skills they need to keep up with the changing demands of the 21st century workplace. Hear from employers about how industry workers need to embrace lifelong learning in order to succeed.