

WHEREAS; career development programs fuel the state’s economy by both providing advancement pathways for current employees across Wisconsin and equipping youth with workforce skills to jumpstart their futures; and

WHEREAS; comprehensive career development services are available throughout the state of Wisconsin, including at job centers, partnerships with public libraries, online at JobCenterofWisconsin.com, job fairs at schools, and other community-based organizations; and

WHEREAS; the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development (DWD) operates numerous workforce training programs that provide opportunities for training and employment in high-growth industries, such as youth apprenticeships, registered apprenticeships, certified pre-apprenticeships, and programs serving veterans and individuals with disabilities; and

WHEREAS; as part of a more than \$150 million historic investment, the Workforce Solutions Initiative addresses the state’s workforce needs through the Worker Connection Program and Worker Advancement Initiative, as well as the Workforce Innovation Grant Program that DWD administers in partnership with the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation, and to date, these efforts have served over 34,000 Wisconsinites; and

WHEREAS; today, the state of Wisconsin joins DWD and partners throughout Wisconsin in promoting career development across the state and celebrating its importance to the state’s overall economic prosperity and long-term success;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,  
do hereby proclaim November 2025, as

**NATIONAL CAREER DEVELOPMENT  
MONTH**

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance  
to all our state’s residents.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 31st day of October 2025.

TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:

SARAH GODLEWSKI, Secretary of State