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# Construction Service Workers

## Our New Home

With our ribbon cutting ceremony at the end of September, we have settled into our new home at the Jacobs Center. Close to public transportation, we are even more easily accessible for community members as we work towards bridging the gap! We look forward to engaging with our community members in this new setting and establishing new relationships as we continue to grow so we can better serve the city of San Diego and the surrounding areas populations of underprivileged and underserved. Join us in making a difference!

## OPPORTUNITIES

What a time to be of service to others, consider joining our team!

### We have the following internal positions open:

- Business Development Specialist
- Construction Safety Trainer
- Operations Manager
- Social Media & Digital Marketing Coordinator
- Sr. Proposal Writer/ Manager

Check our open roles out!

<https://www.constructionserviceworkers.com/job-seekers/>

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Coming Events

11/18/2021 - SoCal PP Apprenticeship Fair during National Apprenticeship Week at Jacobs Center, San Diego. Open to the public, join us! Send us an email to: [info@socalpp.com](mailto:info@socalpp.com)

12/16/2021 - Graduation Day for the current cohort of participants. Graduates will be honored and will receive their DIR cards and Certificates of Completion.

*Interested in a partnership or sponsoring one of our events?*

**Contact:** [info@socalpp.com](mailto:info@socalpp.com)

### Program Expansion

The SoCal Pre Apprenticeship Program welcomes its newest qualified individuals:

Intake Coordinator - Sekwona Lawrence  
Case Manager - Mitchell Bradshaw

### New Employee Highlight

**Mitchell "Mitch" Bradshaw**

A United States Navy Veteran, Mitch joined the SoCal Team in late September as Case Manager. Passionate and dedicated to making a difference in the lives of others, Mitch "truly believe[s] that God called [him] to serve this population because [he] is a part of it."

### About SoCal Pre Apprenticeship

SoCal Pre Apprenticeship, a division of CSW Funding LLC, is a registered pre-apprenticeship program charged to: prepare workers for the minimum requirements for entry into an established apprenticeship program, diversify the talent pipeline of skilled workers, & expand opportunities for traditionally underserved communities. For more, visit [SOCALPP.COM](http://SOCALPP.COM)

### Current pre-apprentices: Cohort 2

Currently in week 10, all program participants are on track for graduation. The curriculum scores of the Math portion reflect attendance, participation, & completion of all assignments. Similar has been reported regarding the Life & Career Success curriculum portion. The cohort is moving into the final curriculum portion, Communication, as the 16-week learning curriculum comes to a close.

### Case Manager's Message

I logged into class on week 7, I witnessed all participants had logged in early and were ready for class. I was pleased to see everyone engaged, focused and attentively listening to the instructors. Despite some of the challenges they've had to face, I'm so proud of the progress made by all, from the start of this cohort to now, a little past the midway point. I expect great things from all of them. The SoCal Pre Apprenticeship Program is proof that we achieve more than training for job skills; we train for life and success as well.

### Cohort Participant Highlight

A San Diego native, Polly joined the SoCal Pre Apprenticeship Program to pursue her goal of becoming a certified electrician and eventually begin her own business. She is inspired by the quo "Be a first-rate version of yourself, not a second-rate version of someone else." - Judy Garland