

Chat Transcript for Life After High School

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Thanks for joining us early. We'll get started momentarily. In the meantime, use social media share buttons to invite your friends to this event.

- Elise Brimhall

6:05:40 PM

♥ 2

Hi Beverly - Thank you for your question. KUED and UEN are not providing a certificate for this event.

- EliseB

6:08:32 PM

♥ 1

Is this being recorded in case we want to watch it later?

- Brenda

6:09:10 PM

A new poll has been posted: How did you hear about today's event?

- Elise Brimhall

6:09:14 PM

♥ 1

Hi Brenda - Yes this is being recorded. We will post the link next week at uen.org/americangraduate.

- EliseB

6:10:41 PM

♥ 4

for the poll, I heard about it on uen.edu.

- Susan

6:12:41 PM

♥ 1

also heard about it from UEN.

- JoAnna Hagen

6:12:48 PM

♥ 2

If you click on the poll it will give you options to choose from.

- cdlib

6:12:53 PM

♥ 3

"Welding is the art of fusion." Love it!

- Jenn

6:14:17 PM

is it just me or did the video stop for a second

- Damien

6:14:30 PM

From UEN

♥ 1

- Alicia Payne

6:15:38 PM

Damien - It did. It looks like it's back.

♥ 1

- EliseB

6:16:09 PM

Don't be adraid to try something. That's what I got out of that.

♥ 3

- Susan

6:16:13 PM

Question for the panelist: Where can I find out about these kind of opportunities in Utah?

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- EliseB

6:16:13 PM

thank you just got scared

♥ 2

- Damien

6:17:45 PM

Question from a teacher: How would a student find a business and industry partner like the ones in the video?

♥ 2

- EliseB

6:18:27 PM

I have 2 sons about to graduate from high school, I'd love them to explore trade options.

♥ 3

- Amy S

6:18:35 PM

EliseB: probably freinds or websites

♥ 1

- Damien

6:19:13 PM

Amy - Yes! That's great.

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- EliseB

6:19:18 PM

Damien - great ideas!

♥ 1

- EliseB

6:19:42 PM

they could ask their counselors at the school and they should have an idea of people they could even job shadow.

♥ 1

- Bette

6:19:59 PM

A new poll has been posted: Is this your first OVEE screening event?

- Elise Brimhall

6:20:23 PM

Business partners usually start out as friends or someone that you have worked with previously, I think.

♥ 1
- Alicia Payne

6:20:40 PM

I wonder if you could contact some of the trade schools in the area and they could possibly point you in the right direction of some opportunities.

♥ 1
- Rachelle Haglund

6:20:47 PM

Yes, this is my first OVEE screening

♥ 1
- Alicia Payne

6:21:11 PM

We have trades options at Snow College campuses - Richfield and Ephraim. We would love to have you visit our campuses. <https://www.snow.edu/academics/bat/index.html>

♥ 3
- LaFaun

6:22:25 PM

This part is making me hungry

♥ 6
- Katherine

6:22:41 PM

Me too!

♥ 4
- EliseB

6:22:48 PM

me too

♥ 3
- Rich

6:23:07 PM

Me too! It's dinner time!

♥ 3
- Amy S

6:23:09 PM

5 star? Sounds like a road trip to me!!

♥ 5
- Rachelle Haglund

6:24:06 PM

It's cool how she's talking about how your toolbox grows over time, esp. if you love what you do.

♥ 3
- Jenn

6:24:41 PM

♥ 2

As a child care provider ...love definitely keeps me going too! She's right!

- Amy S

6:25:03 PM

♥ 5

I like how she said that you have to love what you are doing. Teaching does not bring in a lot of money, but it makes my heart full.

- Katherine

6:29:16 PM

♥ 2

I want my kids to see this & how skills can help them make their creative visions real, whether creating a business, a building, a buffet...

- Jenn

6:29:43 PM

♥ 3

Wow! That is crazy, living off the grid

- Alicia Payne

6:30:43 PM

♥ 2

I like how he said not all trades are back breaking.

- Susan

6:30:56 PM

♥ 1

I also have a senior in high school who will be graduating and there are so many amazing opportunities out there, but as was stated in this presentation you have to reach out and ask.

- Nan

6:31:46 PM

that pause tho and the mic skretch

- Damien

6:32:17 PM

♥ 2

Can you put the websites in the comments?

- Susan

6:32:27 PM

♥ 2

Is there a age limit for the trade internships?

- cdlib

6:33:46 PM

♥ 1

My oldest grandchild is in 4th grade. Do you have recommendations on what I could talk with him about in terms of career options?

- Rich

6:34:57 PM

lol bad pause ha ha

♥ 2

- JoAnna Hagen

6:36:22 PM

Damien - Free options include concurrent enrollment through your high school, work based learning, and technical college system.

♥ 3

- EliseB

6:37:04 PM

cdlib - Trade jobs age limit is typically 16 years of age.

♥ 2

- EliseB

6:37:50 PM

EliseB where can i find the free options

♥ 1

- Damien

6:38:11 PM

Websites to learn more: <https://www.schools.utah.gov/cte/pathways>

♥ 2

- EliseB

6:38:23 PM

Some high schoolers and even high school graduates may qualify for scholarships or employer-assisted tuition if going into certain fields.

- Jenn

6:38:32 PM

<http://www.utech.edu/>

♥ 1

- EliseB

6:39:22 PM

Damien - we will have Travis answer your question at the next break

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- EliseB

6:39:39 PM

thank you

♥ 1

- Damien

6:40:02 PM

I felt like the cowboy was talking to me

♥ 7

- Susan

6:42:49 PM

i feel like being a zoo keeper would be really cool

♥ 8

- Damien

6:44:19 PM

♥ 1

I feel like you would need a college diploma to work at GE

- Brenda

6:44:27 PM

♥ 3

It just wows me how smart some people are! Who builds something like that?

- Rachelle Haglund

6:46:20 PM

♥ 5

this looks so cool to be able to print in 3D. Just to think that there are parts out there that are made this way that we hardly ever see.

- Bette

6:46:46 PM

♥ 2

Good question Jenn! My daughter gets mad at me for asking her what she wants to do with her life.

- Susan

6:48:31 PM

♥ 2

i would love to go around the country doing this

- Damien

6:48:36 PM

♥ 1

Passion is important, but when your passion is something that people don't want to pay for, then...my kids don't want to hear about it.

- Jenn

6:49:10 PM

♥ 2

Susan, I used to do this with my 21 yo daughter as well. Now she is following in 2 career paths of mine. Medical Assisting and also daycare. I love being able to see how far she has come in her life from being that little girl that didn't know what she wanted to be.

- Bette

6:50:03 PM

♥ 3

I loved the comment right now you probably have the time but not the money and later on have the money but not the time.

- Nan

6:51:17 PM

♥ 2

Bette I think I have her finally wanting to be in radiology

- Susan

6:51:52 PM

♥ 1

woooooaaah!

- EliseB

6:52:00 PM

Yikes!

♥ 1

- Amy S

6:53:22 PM

"There's not a marked path to where I'm at." True words for so many careers!

♥ 3

- Jenn

6:54:12 PM

Replying to Jenn: I'm currently a high school senior. For me and my parents its understanding what I want to do and my parents assisting and helping research certain things. If your children don't have any idea what they want to do talk to them about what their interested in or what they like doing, how much they want to work, who they want to work with, if they want to travel, etc. Asking simple questions about what they like/want can help narrow down options. Also ask whether they would rather have passion over practicality or visa versa. whats more important to them. Parents should probably be having these conversations in short spurts from 7th grade on.

♥ 9

- Richard A.

6:55:47 PM

Richard - I love these ideas. Asking questions rather than pushing teens in one direction. Help them find their passion!

♥ 5

- EliseB

6:55:59 PM

Richard A - thanks! That's great advice!

♥ 1

- Jenn

6:56:36 PM

Great advice for young people, "You have to look for your own opportunity, no one will give it to you."

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- Alicia Payne

6:57:23 PM

For Travis (and anyone else with ideas) - what resources can parents turn to for helping teens with researching their options and interests?

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- Jenn

6:57:49 PM

Christina - Travis says that many students have to see the profession through the person. Through hands-on experience, and trying things out through internships and experience.

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- EliseB

6:58:16 PM

gold nugget "I've never see a broken crayon you couldn't color with!"

♥ 4

- Rich

6:59:00 PM

♥ 3

too bad there wasn't programs like what these kids were able to do in our education system now. I feel like what we teach our students forces them to go in the directions that other people feel are important and they don't allow the kids the opportunity to find what fits them personally. i feel like its boxed in to fit a certain criteria.

- JoAnna Hagen

6:59:47 PM

♥ 1

Where can older people go to try out trades?

- Susan

7:00:18 PM

♥ 1

I think high schools offer lots of different classes where the kids can find a passion, also through concurrent, college, and trade schools

- Alicia Payne

7:00:39 PM

♥ 1

I think allowing your children at a young age and throughout their growing years to have as many experiences as they can could help them find what their passion is when they are older.

- Rachelle Haglund

7:02:45 PM

♥ 2

Replying to Susan, the system of technical colleges are a great place to start. For adults who are not sure what they want to do or need to brush up on basic skills, adult education is a great option.

- Danielle

7:03:04 PM

♥ 2

JoAnna, I think the career exploration course in middle school is meant to help.

- Jenn

7:03:36 PM

♥ 2

Travis, what are your thoughts on taking online courses for a trade profession?

- Bette

7:05:28 PM

♥ 2

I liked that you didn't focus on just learning a trade. Pursuing a passion has worked for many of these people. I felt like many also stressed that it took time and commitment to realize their dreams.

- MotherMary

7:06:00 PM

cdlib: Sorry for your audio issue. check your internet connection.

- Elise Brimhall

7:06:11 PM

so im in 9th grade going to 10th where can i go to get started on exploring my career choices

♥ 1

- Damien

7:06:21 PM

thank you!

- Bette

7:06:48 PM

Damien, have you visited www.utahfutures.org?

♥ 3

- Jenn

7:07:18 PM

thank you very much

♥ 2

- Damien

7:07:27 PM

Damien ive used <https://asvabprogram.com/> Utah Futures is also a very good resource

♥ 1

- Richard A.

7:08:04 PM

i like to play basketball how do i keep playing

♥ 1

- Kristen

7:08:19 PM

thank you very much for putting this on

- Josh & Erica

7:08:41 PM

what do you mean by that Kristen?

- Richard A.

7:08:41 PM

A new poll has been posted: What impact has today's event had on you? Choose one that most applies.

- Elise Brimhall

7:08:44 PM

GLITCH ha ha

- JoAnna Hagen

7:09:22 PM

ball is life

- Kristen

7:09:48 PM

♥ 2

Thank you for participating in today's discussion. We invite you to stay connected with us at uen.org/amgrad. A special thank you to our panelist Travis Cook. And our partners KUED, UEN and American Graduate: Getting to Work, a public media initiative made possible by the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

- Elise Brimhall

7:10:06 PM

♥ 1

Kristen - checkout club teams through your county rec centers

- EliseB

7:10:20 PM

♥ 4

Kristen, I recently heard a talk by a famous rapper now education advocate (Darren McDaniels) who tells kids who love basketball to look at all the careers that surround the game. Whether you keep playing or not, building a career where maybe you're the team doctor/lawyer/reporter/accountant or whatever can help you keep accessing what you enjoy.

- Jenn

7:10:48 PM

♥ 2

Thanks! This was cool!

- Jenn

7:11:38 PM

thank you for putting this informational presentation together and sharing.

- Bette