

SPEAKER INFORMATION

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Shana Peschek is executive director of the Machinists Institute. She is leading the institute's vision to build a better future for aerospace, manufacturing, and machinist workers across Washington state through dedication to excellence in recruitment, education and training.

The institute runs programs to support multiple levels of education and training including pre-employment, registered apprenticeship, certifications, and more.

In her previous role, Shana spent 11 years as a leader supporting building and construction education and training programs across the state. She has served on the National Skills Coalition Work-based Learning Advisory Board and Tradeswomen Task Force and as a member of several statewide association boards, K20 advisory boards, and workforce-focused committees.

Outside of work, Shana enjoys hiking, backpacking and mountain biking with her husband and three sons and spending time with her five grandchildren.