

Private Career Schools Play a Vital Role in Infrastructure

Congress is debating a \$1 trillion bipartisan infrastructure bill, including more than \$500 billion in new spending on transportation, broadband, and utility systems. To carry out this work, America will depend upon private career school graduates. The following data show that we can't Build Back Better without our sector.

Key Findings

Share of two-year, one-year, and less than one-year undergraduate certificates conferred by private career institutions in 2019:

- **Transportation and Materials Moving:** Nearly half (**46.6%**) of all **Transportation and Materials Moving** certificates were conferred by private career institutions, including **45.9%** of **Ground Transportation** certificates and **93.3%** of **Marine Transportation** certificates

Share of associate degrees conferred by private career institutions in 2019:

- One-third (**33%**) of all **Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician** associate degrees were conferred by private career institutions

Additional fields of study where private career institutions accounted for more than two-thirds of 2019 certificate graduates

