



# PATHFINDERS: 2010 Youth Workforce Development Conference

*presented jointly by YouthWorks, Inc. and Urban Youth Action*

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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **Pathfinders Youth Conference and Career Fair Help Area Youth Build a Career Roadmap for Their Future.**

YouthWorks, Inc and Urban Youth Action join forces for the fifth year to present an all-day career exploration experience for 150 highly motivated high school students. At stake is the potential of individual lives and the entire Western Pennsylvania region. A generous gift from Allegheny County Department of Human Services and support from August Wilson Center for African American Culture makes this event possible.

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**PLEASE CONSIDER COVERING EVENT – GREAT PHOTO OPS!**

**Date:** Thursday, April 22, 2010

**Time:** 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM (registration from 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM)

**Location:** August Wilson Center for African American Culture

- Registration:** FREE (ages 14 -25) **RSVP no later than April 9, 2010**  
Due to limited registration capacity, youth must be connected to a participating school or partnering organization and schools and organizations may register up to 10 youth. Also, youth must be accompanied by an adult chaperone from the school or organization.
- Career Fair:** Following the Pathfinders Conference, youth are welcome to attend the Career Fair sponsored jointly by YouthLINK, CareerLink, YouthWorks, Urban Youth Action and Eastside Neighborhood Employment Center and held at the Omni William Penn Hotel from 1:00 – 4:30 PM. The Career Fair is free. For more information about the Career Fair – call: 412.390.2441.
- Imagine Week:** Pathfinders Conference and Career Fair are part of [Imagine Career Week](#), a coordinated series of events that focuses on preparing our region's young people for 21st century careers. The week brings together young people, parents, educators, employers, and youth serving agencies who are focused on career education.

Thursday, April 22, 2010 • August Wilson Center • Downtown Pittsburgh  
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