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To: Chief Elected Officials
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cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Alice Sweeney, Director
MassHire Department of Career Services

Date: October 18, 2019

Subject: **HubSpot Workshop - Breaking Barriers: First-Gens in Tech Event**

Purpose: To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators and other workforce development partners of an invitation to [HubSpot's](#) 4th Annual Breaking Barriers: First-Gens in Tech event.

Background: First-Gens in Tech is a free daylong workshop for those interested in learning more about the opportunities in Boston's technology industry. Attendees will grow their networks, learn how they can prepare themselves for jobs in tech, and leave with resources to help equip them for future applications, interviews, and beyond.

The event will be held on **Friday, November 8** from **10 am – 3 pm** at the HubSpot headquarters in Cambridge, MA. The link to register is [here](#). The agenda will include:

- A panel of first-gen leaders from the Boston area tech industry
- Networking opportunities over breakfast and lunch
- An end-of-day org fair to learn about different roles and how to apply for them
- Free headshots and resume reviews

Between the dialogue, networking opportunities, and resources provided, this event will empower attendees to take the next step towards a future in tech. Please encourage your network to share the details so that interested students and adults can participate. Please register at firstgens2019.eventbrite.com.

Action

Required: Please share with staff, partners and customers as appropriate.

Effective: Immediately

Inquiries: If you have any questions, need more details or have any comments, please feel free to contact HubSpots Melissa Obleada, at MObleada@hubspot.com.