



**State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
Office of the Secretary of State**

Fee: \$35.00

Division Of Business Services
148 W. River Street
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**Non-Profit Corporation
Articles of Incorporation**

(Chapter 7-6-34 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended)

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is Skills for Rhode Island's Future

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is ☒ Perpetual ☐

ARTICLE III

The specific purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

Skills for Rhode Island's Future unites the State of Rhode Island's businesses, workforce development partners, and educational institutions around a shared goal of making the State of Rhode Island the most attractive location in the nation for employers seeking skilled labor to drive their business growth. The Corporation works to close the skills gap between current and anticipated business hiring needs and the skills of the available workforce. Leveraging public-private partnerships, the Corporation partners with high quality education providers and business partners to offer training for in-demand careers.

ARTICLE IV

Provisions, if any, not inconsistent with the law, which the incorporators elect to set forth in these articles of incorporation for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation are:

NOT APPLICABLE

ARTICLE V

The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

No. and Street: 30 EXCHANGE TERRACE

City or Town: PROVIDENCE

State: RI

Zip: 02903

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is NINA PANDE

ARTICLE VI

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is 3 and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Title	Individual Name	Address
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	First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
DIRECTOR	WILLIAM F. HATFIELD	100 WESTMINSTER STREET PROVIDENCE, RI 02903 USA
DIRECTOR	MARIE LYNCH	191 NORTH WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606 USA
DIRECTOR	MUARA DUNN	75 EASTERN POINT ROAD GROTON, CT 06340 USA

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
INCORPORATOR	NINA K. PANDE	30 EXCHANGE TERRACE PROVIDENCE, RI 02903 USA

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 06/20/2016

(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Signed this 14 Day of June, 2016 at 10:23:54 PM by the incorporator(s). *This electronic signature of the individual or individuals signing this instrument constitutes the affirmation or acknowledgement of the signatory, under penalties of perjury, that this instrument is that individual's act and deed or the act and deed of the corporation, and that the facts stated herein are true, as of the date of the electronic filing, in compliance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 7-6.*

Enter signature(s) below.

NINA PANDE, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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