



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

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Division Of Business Services
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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 Rhode Island Association for Career and Technical Education

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is Perpetual

ARTICLE III

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

THE SPECIFIC PURPOSES OF THE ORGANIZATION ARE:

- TO BUILD AND MAINTAIN ACTIVE PARTICIPATION, LEADERSHIP AND ADVOCACY IN CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION.
- TO PROVIDE SUPPORT TO DISTRICTS AND COMMUNITIES IN PROMOTING CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION.
- TO PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR OPEN FORUMS IN ORDER TO NETWORK, DISCUSS TOPICS THAT ARE RELEVANT TO CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION, AND UNIFY THESE INTERESTS STATEWIDE.
- TO COLLABORATE WITH OTHER STATES TO CONTINUE TO MOVE CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION FORWARD INTO THE FUTURE.
- TO ENCOURAGE, SUPPORT AND ADVOCATE FOR THE CONTINUED GROWTH, IMPROVEMENT AND PROMOTION OF CTE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES.
- TO HAVE AND POSSESS ALL OF THE RIGHTS, POWERS AND PRIVILEGES OF CORPORATIONS BY COMMON LAW, TO SUE AND BE SUED, TO BORROW MONEY AND SECURE THE PAYMENT OF THE SAME BY NOTES, BONDS AND MORTGAGES UPON PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY, AND TO RENT, LEASE, PURCHASE, HOLD, SELL AND CONVEY SUCH PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY AS MAY BE NECESSARY AND PROPER FOR THE PURPOSE OF ERECTING BUILDINGS AND FOR OTHER PROPER OBJECTS OF SUCH CORPORATION TO RECEIVE DUES AND DONATIONS FOR CARRYING OUT THE OBJECTS AFORESAID.

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:

ARTICLE V

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

No. and Street: 400 EAST AVENUE
City or Town: WARWICK, RI State: RI Zip: 02886

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is JOSHUA M. KLEMP

ARTICLE VI

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is 4 and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
DIRECTOR	LYNNE BEDARD	137 ANAN WADE RD. NORTH SITUATE, RI 02857 USA
DIRECTOR	GERRY AUTH	459 SWITCH RD. WOOD RIVER JCT., RI 02894 USA
DIRECTOR	JOSHUA KLEMP	400 EAST AVENUE WARWICK, RI 02886 USA
DIRECTOR	SUSAN VOTTO	50 JENKES HILL RD. LINCOLN, RI 02865 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	JOSHUA M KLEMP	400 EAST AVENUE WARWICK, RI, RI 02886 USA

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 8/29/2018
(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Signed this 29 Day of August, 2018 at 2:20:25 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.
JOSHUA M. KLEMP

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Nellie M. Gorbea, *Secretary of State*

I, NELLIE M. GORBEA, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island
and Providence Plantations, hereby certify that this document, duly executed in
accordance with the provisions of Title 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as
amended, has been filed in this office on this day:

August 29, 2018 02:21 PM

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Nellie M. Gorbea". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Nellie M. Gorbea
Secretary of State

