Introductions of the panelists – Sherry Joseph-Dutton, Facilitator

1. Teresa Gonzalez, Director of the TAACT/TRAMCON Grant

* Partnerships which are complimentary in nature
* Partnerships that provide win/win situations to both entities and meet each other’s needs
* Partners that are informed and resourceful.
* Present Base Camp

1. Lucia Soria, Owner/President of RAMTECH Construction

* Partners that can contribute to the program by bringing in other prospective partners.
* Partners that have a philosophy that aligns with that of the college and/or a genuine interest or connection with the college.
* Partners that inform and engage GED students with career presentations and various other activities.

1. Jennifer Bravo, New Student Center Director, Kendall Campus

* Higher education partnerships which provide GED students with a seamless transition from non-credit to credit
* Senior Advisor assignments
* College terminology
* The need for ongoing adult ed. training of Student Services Staff and having specific contact people on both sides of the partnership.

1. Nicky Garcia-Salazar, Adult Education Program Manager

* Utilization of Adult Education staff to sustain partnerships – Career Readiness Advisors and student navigation
* Internal Partners
* Collaboration with Community Based Agencies (Referrals, funding, etc.)

Q & As