

LEDA names Director of Workforce Development

Lafayette, LA— Ryan LaGrange has been named Director of Workforce Development for the Lafayette Economic Development Authority (LEDA). In this role he is responsible for promoting workforce development programs to employers including those administered by the Louisiana Department of Labor, the Lafayette Workforce Investment Board, and Louisiana Economic Development. He also coordinates LEDA's annual job fair, maintains LEDA's online job listings, and provides jobseeker assistance to clients.

LaGrange has more than seven years of experience assisting businesses with workforce development services while working for the Louisiana Department of Labor. For four years, he worked directly with the Incumbent Worker Training Program (IWTP) in developing, approving, and maintaining, state IWTP grants. He is a graduate of UL Lafayette with a degree in Business Administration-Marketing.