



We are pleased to ANNOUNCE the **9-month Accelerated Training Program at The Sierra Group Academy.**

Applications for our July 8th quarter are now being accepted for consumers in need of training to secure part-time or full-time employment in one of these integrated and competitive employment fields:

- Customer Service
- Call Center
- Bill or Account Collection
- Credit Checker
- Inside Sales
- Counter Sales
- Counter and Rental Clerk
- Accounts Payable or Receivable Clerk
- Administrative Assistant
- Receptionist

WHAT: A 9-Month Training Program, Start to Finish

WHERE: The Sierra Group Academy, 714 Market Street, Suite 302, Philadelphia, PA (accessible to all SEPTA services - <http://www.septa.org/maps/system/>)

WHEN: Program Starts Every Calendar Quarter. The next start date is July 8th (Assessments are currently being scheduled)

The Sierra Group Academy is a Program of The Sierra Group Foundation, a 501 © 3 non-profit (aka Workplace Technology Foundation) committed to driving up employment for Americans with Disabilities, including Veterans.
<http://www.thesierragroupacademy.org>

HOW: Referrals for Tour and/or Assessment now being accepted. Please contact Admissions Coordinator Colleen Stover to schedule your consumer – 215.634.2000 ext 132 or 215-634-2000 ext. 132.

WHY: The Sierra Group Academy (formerly owned by Liberty Resources) has been training and placing regional consumers with disabilities since 2001 . (under Liberty's prior ownership), and since July 2011 as The Sierra Group Academy.

In the 36-months since The Sierra Group Foundation secured the program, The Academy has a:

- New attitude of being Outcome-Focused
- New computers at every work station
- New AT (Livescribe, Join.me, JAWS, SensusAccess, Provelt, Natural Reader, etc.)
- New leadership & enhanced staff
- New Business Relationships with large & small companies and, not-for-profits, and regional OFCCP contractor companies.
- New internship and placement staff

What a difference 36 months can make!

Due to growth in labor market demand, and counselor input and requests for an outcome-based *short program*, we are pleased to ANNOUNCE AND OFFER the **Accelerated Program at The Academy** - A 9-Month Training Program, Start to Finish!

ACCELERATED PROGRAM SUMMARY

During three quarters of classes, consumers will gain market ready computer and keyboarding skills, update their business writing and communication skills, gain a certificate in either Customer Service, Quickbooks 2014, or Sales Training (through our Community College Ed2Go partnership), and gain real world experience by interning with one of our 30+ regional Internship partners.

Job placement assistance will include a professionally done resume, job leads and ongoing enrollment in our Job Club *is included* until placement occurs.

For a more detailed discussion about the Accelerated Academy Program contact Janet Fiore, Academy President directly! Your feedback led us to start this Accelerated Program – we're eager to hear your questions!
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