

Building Careers Together: Jewel-Osco and Triton College Partnership

For more than 126 years, shoppers have been choosing Jewel-Osco for its fresh groceries and affordable prices. And, for more than 45 of those years, a partnership with Triton College continues to help Jewel-Osco recruit and train its employees and deliver on its promise to customers.

“Triton College has provided nationally recognized professors and instructors for our Loss Prevention Academy, which is recognized as one of the highest rated retail security training programs in the state of Illinois,” said Emil Cairo, Jewel-Osco Loss Prevention Director.

“Our collaboration with the [Triton College Continuing Education](#) and Corporate Partnerships and Academic Outreach Department has been instrumental in achieving our goal of having the best trained and professional Security Loss Prevention personnel in the retail industry,” Cairo added.

Triton students and alumni also join the Jewel-Osco team, starting or enhancing their careers after attending a Triton College-hosted career fair, pre-employment opportunity, or apprenticeship program.

“Career fairs are a strategic way to bring all of our stakeholders together,” said Lorena Gasca, [Career Services](#) Director at Triton. “Area employers are able to connect with a talented pool of individuals which include students, alumni and community members.”

Gasca added that, at Triton, “our goal is to become the trusted source of talent for our area companies.” Triton College’s next career fair takes place October 1.

It’s a trust the Jewel-Osco team values. “We consider ourselves extremely lucky to have such a dedicated and professional partner” in Triton College, Cairo said, “and look forward to growing our relationship in the future.”

To learn more about corporate training options for businesses or organizations, contact Laura Fisher, Triton’s Director of Corporate Partnerships and Academic Outreach, at 708-456-0300 Ext. 3768 or laurafisher@triton.edu.