

## EXAMPLE #3:

### CSU DOMINGUEZ HILLS WORKFORCE INTEGRATION NETWORK

The [California State University \(CSU\) Dominguez Hills Workforce Integration Network](#) (CSUDH-WIN) is on a mission to close the digital divide and improve digital inclusion of marginalized communities through four components, from providing Broadband access and equipment installation to community training and workforce readiness.

**Effectively engaging and communicating with community-based organization members is mission critical for CSUDH-WIN.**

To strengthen collaboration and leadership, CSUDH-WIN partnered with Participate to build the **Toro Impact community of practice** to bring together students, interns, faculty, community-based organizations and their patrons.

Within this digital community:

- **Students can** move through learning pathways on topics like project management, data analytics and marketing to digitally upskill for workforce readiness.
- **Student interns can** connect and collaborate with community organizations.
- **Community organization members can** access digital literacy workshops; collaborate to co-create guidelines to improve digital equity; and coordinate digital equipment device distribution events for their patrons.



To **motivate engagement, celebrate accomplishments** and **certify learning**, the Toro Impact community of practice relies on a structure of digital badges and verifiable credentials for each stakeholder group.

