

GOVERNOR'S

WORKFORCE SUMMIT 2024

*St. John – Friday, October 11, 2024 * 9 AM – 1:30 PM
The Cleone H. Creque Legislative Conference Room*

*Sun, Sand, and Success: Strategies for Work Excellence in the US Virgin
Islands*

SUMMIT AGENDA AT A GLANCE

9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Registration
9:30 AM – 9:45 AM	Welcome and a brief overview of the Summit
9:45 AM – 10:45 AM	Remarks
10:55 AM – 11:45 AM	Session One
11:45 AM – 12:25 PM	Session Two
12:35 PM – 1:00 PM	Session Three
1:00 PM – 1:10 PM	Closing Remarks
1:10 PM – 1:30 PM	Lunch

PROGRAM DETAILS

10:55 AM – 11:35 AM SESSION ONE

1. Panel Discussion: The Future of Work in a Connected World

This panel will explore how the future of work is being shaped by an increasingly connected world, where digital technologies, global networks, and shifting cultural norms are transforming the workplace. The discussion will focus on the opportunities and challenges of this new landscape, highlighting strategies for organizations and workers to thrive in a connected, digital-first environment.

11:45 AM – 12:25 AM SESSION TWO

2. Panel Discussion: Building Resilient Workforces: Strategies for Local Communities

This panel will explore strategies for building resilient workforces in communities, where unique challenges such as geographic location, economic vulnerability, and environmental risks require innovative and sustainable approaches. The discussion will focus on how island communities can develop robust workforce strategies that promote adaptability, economic diversity, and long-term sustainability.

12:35 AM – 1:00 PM SESSION THREE

3. Panel Discussion: Navigating the Future: Opportunities and Challenges in the Maritime Industry and Blue Economy

This panel will explore the growing significance of the marine industry and the blue economy as critical components of sustainable economic development. The discussion will focus on the opportunities and challenges within these sectors, highlighting strategies for workforce development, environmental stewardship, and economic growth.

1:00 PM – 1:10 PM

CLOSING REMARKS

1:10 PM – 1:30 PM

LUNCH