

## **Career Development around the World**

Students work hard to graduate college  
Seeking a job that uses their knowledge  
Applying to internships and co-ops galore  
An enriching experience where students explore  
Their interests, ranging from science to writing  
Getting experience from a business that is most inviting

Money is often a barrier to learn  
At age 16 children begin to earn  
Minimum wage is unable to cover college expenses  
So a life burdened by college debt commences  
Affordable higher education should be a human right  
Community college classes available day and night

Opportunities for women to become involved in STEAM  
Starting from elementary school, supporting their dream  
To become scientists, engineers, mathematicians too  
Diminish the wage gap in specialized fields they pursue  
These women become role models for the next generation  
Inspiring STEM in young women from every nation

Local businesses can reach out to build student connections  
Increasing work opportunities and nudging them in the right direction  
Companies that celebrate diversity and are inclusive  
Result in better decision making, creating an environment that is conducive  
To rising corporate ranks and creative thinking  
Often able to stabilize a business that is sinking

Future jobs will be heavily influenced by technology  
Robots assisting us in everything from food delivery to biology  
A productivity shift as robots automate our menial chores  
Building and programming these robots opens new career doors  
The businesses of the future will have technological integration  
With more job openings in every corporation

