

# MADICO MADE Workforce Business Spotlight: The Commercial Bank

The Madison County Chamber of Commerce understands that a skilled workforce is the foundation for a thriving economy. Between being home to a top ranked K-12 school system and being situated in close proximity to colleges and universities, Madison County proudly serves as a talent pipeline for local and regional business & industry. The Work-Based Learning (WBL) Program at Madison County High School/The Broad River College and Career Academy is the great connector between the school system and local business & industry. With a mission of “providing students with the opportunity to gain relevant job skills & valued work experience through internships while preparing for tomorrow’s workforce,” the program’s role in developing a “MADICO MADE Workforce” for our economy cannot be understated.

The Chamber’s Workforce Development & Education Committee would like to recognize a Chamber member that is also a partner in the WBL program- The Commercial Bank. With locations in Danielsville and Colbert, The Commercial Bank is a member of the Chamber at

the platinum level and is integral in providing key programming for members and the community. The Chamber is especially appreciative of TCB’s commitment to workforce development, as they continually sponsor the MADICO MADE 20/20 Vision Scholarship Fund at the \$500 level and host student interns from the Madison County High School WBL Program. One of those students is past WBL Student of the Month, Ms. Madi Fortson. Madi will be graduating from MCHS this May and has greatly benefitted from her time in the WBL program with TCB.

Madi writes, “Being part of the WBL program prepared me for real life. It taught me the RIGHT way to find a job, keep a job and grow in a career. I enjoy working for The Commercial Bank and am grateful for their partnership with the WBL program.”

Georgia Power, a platinum level member of the Chamber, graciously supports the Chamber’s efforts in recognizing Chamber members that go above and beyond to grow a MADICO MADE Workforce.

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