

Looking for a new career with great earning potential?

CareerWorks offers a **free** training opportunity
UMASS DONAHUE INSTITUTE

Machine Operator Skills Training (M.O.S.T.)

New England M.O.S.T. is a unique, fast-track process that develops “basically trained” computer numerical control (CNC) machine operators in a fraction of the time of traditional training methods. The free program is directed at “non-traditional” workers with little or no manufacturing experience, who will be recruited and screened by CareerWorks, the Brockton area’s One-Stop Career Center. Gearing the program toward non-traditional workers reflects the reality that the decline in manufacturing over the last 10 to 15 years has left fewer people with these skills in the workforce.

In the past, it took a year or longer to develop a machine operator, and up to twice as long to develop a machinist. The M.O.S.T. process develops a basically trained CNC operator in 10 weeks. The process is built around a two-phase curriculum.

Phase one employs an intensely focused curriculum with practical skills, theory, and hands-on instruction. It takes two weeks (80

hours) of training to complete. Phase one of the training cycle, starting in June for the Brockton area, will be conducted at Southeastern Technical Institute in South Easton. The curriculum is computer based with simulated and hands-on modules. Each module contains a series of tests to measure each student’s comprehension of the curriculum.

Phase two consists of eight weeks of On-the-Job-Training (OJT) with participating companies. This curriculum compliments phase one and allows the new operator trainee to apply the skills taught in the class room on the shop floor. The OJT process can be customized to suit a company’s unique circumstances.

The OJT process is mentor based, structured and has a pre-planned series of objectives with appropriate points of measure to ensure a trainee is achieving the skill levels desired and is on track with the program. At the end of eight weeks of OJT, the new operators are able to independently operate the CNC machines for which they were trained.



GRADUATES WILL BE ELIGIBLE FOR FULL TIME JOBS

REQUIREMENTS:

- Complete an application
- Complete a skills assessment
- Have some mechanical aptitude
- Must have transportation
- Pass drug screen
- Demonstrate employability

In cooperation with the Massachusetts Manufacturing Extension Partnership and Southeastern Technical Institute

Screening will be on Monday, June 4. Space is limited. For more information:

Call 508-513-3476

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