

ADVANCED MANUFACTURING TRAINING

Funding is currently available for training in *intermediate* and *advanced level manufacturing skills*. Topic areas include: **Leadership, Staff Development & Work Readiness, Production/Process Methodologies, Innovation & New Product Development, Technical & Engineering Skills, Industrial Maintenance, and Sustainability & Environment**. These training funds are provided through grants from the *Colorado Department of Labor and Employment* and the *National Institute of Standards and Technology/ Manufacturing Extension Partnership*.

Training programs are delivered through a strategic partnership of providers comprised of Colorado Association for Manufacturing and Technology (CAMT), Colorado State University–Pueblo, Pueblo Community College’s Economic & Workforce Development Division and the Pueblo Workforce Center.

Criteria:

Eligible companies must be in the manufacturing industry or a supporting industry (i.e., manufacturing supplier).

Companies must be located in at least one of the following counties: Baca, Bent, Chaffee, Crowley, Custer, Fremont, Kiowa, Otero, Park, Prowers and Pueblo. Companies in El Paso and Teller Counties are also eligible for NIST/MEP Programs.

Companies must utilize funding within an established period of time agreed upon with providers.

Applications will be reviewed and training approved based upon company’s request. Future applications may be solicited based upon funds availability. Grant funding is available for a limited period of time.

Funding Requirements:

For **NIST/MEP** training (CAMT courses), employers must provide the following additional information *prior* to training:

- Number of Employees
- Employer SIC/NAICS #
- Cost of Goods Sold
- Annual Sales

For **CDLE** training (PWFC and PCC courses), all participants must provide the following information *prior* to training:

- Signed Participant Application
- Affidavit of Immigration Status
- Copy of State ID/Driver’s License
- Copy of Social Security Card
- Copy of DD-214 if a veteran
- All eligible males must be registered with Selected Service (verified by Workforce Center)

Application Submission Deadline	Notification to Employers
Thursday, September 15, 2011	Friday, September 23, 2011

Submit completed applications to:

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For specific information regarding course descriptions, contact the following training providers:

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ADVANCED MANUFACTURING TRAINING APPLICATION

Please complete the following information:

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION 9/15/11

COMPANY INFORMATION:

Company Name:

Street Address:

City:

State:

Zip Code:

County:

Company Website (if available):

Company Grant Contact Name:

Title:

Phone:

Email:

COMPANY PROFILE:

Please provide a brief description of the products and/or services your company manufactures.

TRAINING REQUEST INFORMATION:

Complete course listings available at:

<http://camt.com/content/advanced-manufacturing-training>

Or www.pueblocc.edu/manufacturing

After reviewing course listings, provide a brief summary of the training proposal including estimate of hours and number of employees who will be participating as well as a preferred timeframe for training delivery.

List in Priority Order	Course	Number of Hours (Estimate)	Number of Employees	Projected Start Date	Projected End Date
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					

TRAINING EVALUATION: Please answer the following questions in 100 words or less.

How will this training impact your business profitability and competitiveness?

How will this training increase the capabilities and efficiencies of your employees?

How does this training fit into your overall company's training plan?

Does your company have any other training resources available to supplement grant funding?