



# MANUFACTURING MATTERS

## Production Associate Training Program Funding available for qualified candidates

5 Weeks, 4 hours per day

Training Provided by: Ivy Tech Community College

Connersville – Ivy Tech Facility  
March 15 – April 14<sup>th</sup>; M-F  
8:30 – 12:30 p.m.

OR

Richmond – Ivy Tech McDaniel Hall  
March 15 – April 14<sup>th</sup>; M-F  
1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Increase your skill level and learn about two of the most important aspects of manufacturing: safety and quality practices/measurement. You will take certification assessments in these two areas, earn an OSHA 10 card, and take part in **Decision Dynamics** - a soft skill learning model that employers demand. Receive assistance with preparing for job selection and creating a career path. And, earn academic credit!

### Certifications in Safety, Quality Practices & Measurement, and OSHA 10

**Safety:** The number one priority for all manufacturers. Learn how to identify unsafe work conditions, perform emergency drills, train personnel on equipment safety, perform safety inspections, provide safety orientations to employees, and utilize safety-enhancing workplace practices. All this and more!

**Quality Practices & Measurement:** Gain more education when you learn to check calibration and data collection equipment, inspect materials, record process outcomes and trends, use common measurement systems, and participate in internal quality audits.

**OSHA 10 General Industry:** As an added bonus, earn your OSHA 10 card. This helps you demonstrate increased awareness on recognizing and preventing hazards in a manufacturing setting.

#### Candidate Requirements:

- Candidates need to score 4's in WorkKeys tests (testing through Ivy Tech or WorkOne)
- Candidates need to have a high school diploma or be close to achieving their GED/HSE
- Candidates need to pass a drug test and submit to random class drug testing during training
- Candidates must have an interest in manufacturing
- Candidates must commit to class schedule and attend every class
- Candidates must know how to use a computer and apply online at [www.manufacturingmatters.info](http://www.manufacturingmatters.info)

And then get ready for employment opportunities! Local manufacturing partners are ready for graduates!

Average wage at Placement: \$11.03    Highest wage at Placement: \$16  
Highest reported long term / retention wage: \$19 per hour