

## General Overview:

Moraine Park Technical College is combating the skilled worker shortage by launching manufacturing skills academies in a series of 15-week boot camps. In July 2012, Governor Scott Walker announced a Wisconsin Workforce Partnership Grant from the Wisconsin Covenant Foundation, Inc. An additional Department of Labor TAACCCT Grant was also awarded in October 2012. Using the grants, informational and testing sessions are being held on a revolving basis on all MPTC campuses. The College is using the grants to provide specific training necessary to create job opportunities at partnering businesses including: Amerequip Corporation, Brenner Tank, John Crane Orion, and Mid-States Aluminum Corporation, and several other area partners. The boot camps will provide essential skills to last a lifetime.

Informational and testing sessions will be held on all Moraine Park Technical College campuses.

Each session will include business partner information, job placement opportunities, entrance requirements, Each session also includes TABE and mechanical aptitude testing, program fees and CNC machinist and welding boot camp schedules.

Attend a **FREE** information/testing session. Visit us online for a listing of upcoming boot camp information/testing sessions at: [morainepark.edu/bootcamp](http://morainepark.edu/bootcamp)

## Qualifications:

Basic requirements include: people who are currently unemployed, people not currently employed as a CNC machinist or welder, or people employed in a field unrelated to CNC or welding. Additionally, participants cannot be current employees of any of the covenant grant partner companies.

## Selection Criteria:

- TABE testing scores in reading and math at a minimum of level 10
- Mechanical Aptitude Testing
- Employer interviews and screenings

## CNC machinist courses and academic credits:

• Basic Programming	3
• Mold and Die Print Reading	2
• Occupational Math 1	2
• Team Building and Problem Solving	3
• CNC Machining Center Operation	2
• Turning Center Operation	2
• CNC Internship	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>

## Welding courses and academic credits:

• Intro to Welding Processes	4
• Print Reading	2
• Occupational Math 1	2
• Team Building and Problem Solving	3
• Welding Internship	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>

## Employer Internships and Job Opportunities:

- 72 hours of internship during the 15-week boot camp.
- Opportunities for paid internships.
- Upon successful completion of the 15-week boot camp, interns may be eligible for permanent hire.

## Criteria for success:

- A grade of "C" or better in each course
- 98% attendance rate in class and internship

## Fees:

\$500 fee payable in full at orientation  
75% of the fee will be reimbursed upon successful completion

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## Boot Camp Schedules Include:

- Applicant Testing
- Employer interviews and screenings
- Student class orientations and fee payment sessions
- Daily 8-hour classes
- Weekly 8-hour internships
- Completion celebration

Please visit our website for more details and to sign up for an upcoming boot camp:

[morainepark.edu/bootcamp](http://morainepark.edu/bootcamp)



Questions:

Contact [communityed@morainepark.edu](mailto:communityed@morainepark.edu)

or call:

**920-929-2117**

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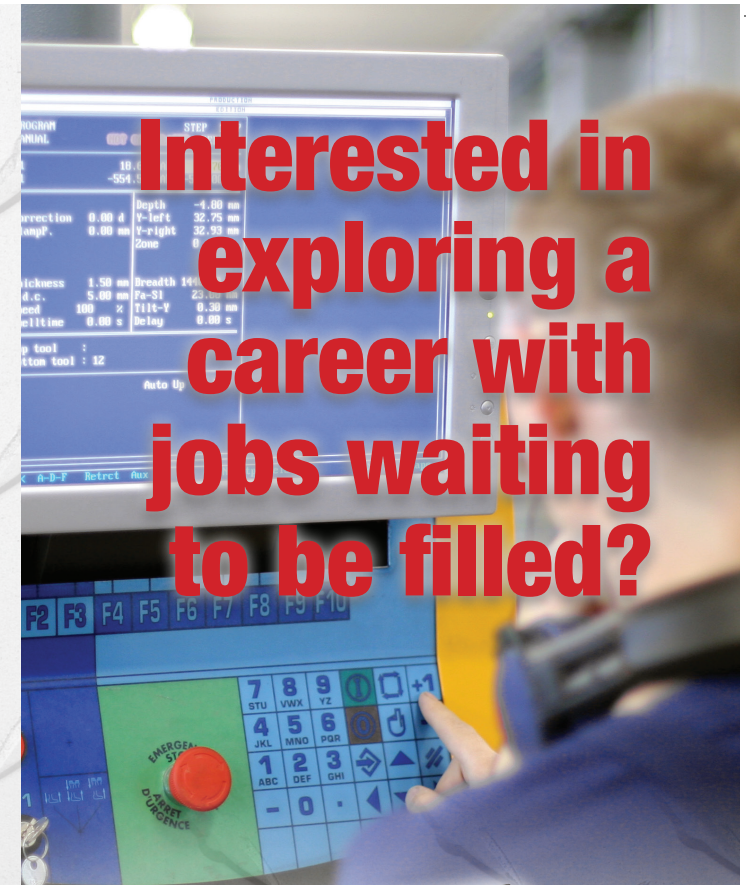
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The U.S. Department of Labor's Employment and Training Administration has funded 100% of the Welding Boot Camp project equaling \$647,000.00. This is an equal opportunity program; individuals with disabilities may request auxiliary aids and services by calling 711 or 800-947-6644 Voice/TTY.

Moraine Park Technical College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability or age in employment, admissions or its programs or activities. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the College's nondiscrimination policies: Equal Opportunity Officer, Moraine Park Technical College, 235 North National Avenue, PO Box 1940, Fond du Lac, WI 54936-1940, 920-924-6459 or 920-924-3232.



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