

Ready to make a Difference?

What is MSSC?

MSSC is an industry-led training, assessment and certification system focused on the core skills and knowledge needed by the nation's production and logistics workers. The nationwide MSSC System offers both entry-level and incumbent workers the opportunity to demonstrate that they have mastered the skills increasingly needed in the high-growth, technology-intensive jobs of the 21st century.

The MSSC certification tools can be used by:

- Incumbent worker
- Community college students
- High school students
- Career changers
- Dislocated workers

"The Manufacturing Skill Standards have been developed and refined for more than ten years by U.S. manufacturers as the foundation skills required for further personal development. Having a team that is certified to these standards is a key element in our global competitiveness."



Ronald Bullock
Chairman of the Board
Illinois Manufacturers' Association



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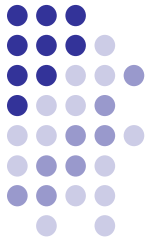


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HOW DOES MSSC BENEFIT ME?

- Offers the only national, industry recognized foundational skill certifications for production workers
- Improves career advancement opportunities and earnings by obtaining high performance skills through MSSC training
- Improves job security through certification of proven skill-sets
- Provides nationally portable Certified Production Technician (CPT) credentials offering flexibility to work successfully in all manufacturing sectors and all production occupations
- Trains employees to meet industry standards, resulting in productive, certified workers.

Assessment

MSSC assessment will cover core understanding of the key work activities and basic technical knowledge and skills needed in high-performance manufacturing.

FOUR KEY modules are critical to build the core knowledge and skills necessary in advanced manufacturing and are part of the MSSC standards:

1. Safety
2. Quality Practices & Measurement
3. Processes & Production
4. Maintenance Awareness

MSSC assessments also embody academic, employability and workplace skills. Due to the rigor of its assessments and related courses, MSSC strongly recommends that individuals wishing to take its courses and assessments be at the 9th grade math and 10th grade English levels.

What is FAST Track training?



The state of the art MSSC courses will be **FAST Track** courses taught through online, computer-based simulations of actual production applications. Each

FAST Track course can be completed within 15–18 hours. There will be one course for each of the four modules and an assessment will follow each of the modules upon completion.

Become part of something greater...

Join these major companies who utilize the MSSC program in order to raise the bar in the field of manufacturing: *(partial list)*

Artic Cat
Baxter Healthcare
Caterpillar
Dow Chemical
Harley-Davidson
Lockheed Martin
Masterlock
Milwaukee Gear
Bison Gear & Engineering
Ford
Pratt & Whitney
Tropicana

