

# **CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT IN INDUSTRIAL AUTOMATION**

# Credit Status:

Credit

# **Program Award:**

Certificate of Achievement (18+ units)

Effective Term: Fall 2019

# Program Title

Certificate of Achievement in Industrial Automation

Program Goal:

CTE

Secondary Program Goal CTE

# **Catalog Description:**

This certificate prepares students for advanced level employment in the fields of industrial automation, industrial machine repair, industrial electrician, medical engineer, and food service machine technicians. Students completing this certificate will acquire employment skills in the area of electricity, motor controls and programmable motor drives, programmable logic controllers, human machine interface programming, and advanced instrumentation design and repair.

# Career and Transfer Opportunities:

# **Career Opportunities**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be prepared for employment in the following fields: Industrial Automation technician, industrial maintenance technician, industrial machine operator, industrial electrician, hospital engineer, and food service machine technician.

# **Program Outcomes:**

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- · Design, and troubleshoot an advanced industrial automation electrical circuit with a multi-meter to industrial standards.
- Read a schematic, repair and maintain the mechanical, hydraulic, and pneumatic circuits found in a system of machines that comprise an automated process.
- Design, program, troubleshoot, and interface both programmable logic controllers (PLC), and variable frequency drives (VFD), and HMI's in an automated process.
- · Weld with GTAW to perform purge welds in stainless tubing.
- · Identify, interpret and make repairs on instrumentation sensors, pumps, and recording equipment.
- · Possess the skill set to purchase the components of an automated system as needed.

# Requirements

Code	Title	Units
REQUIRED CERTIFICATE COUR	27	
ITEC 276	Adv Prog Logic Controllers	3
ITEC 282	Fundamentals Process Control	4
ITEC 283	Instrumentation 1	4
ITEC 284	Instrumentation 2	4
ITEC 285	Data Transmission/Comm	4
ITEC 286	Human-Machine Interfacing	4
ITEC 287	Advanced Automation Project	4
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TOTAL		27



The Certificate of Achievement requirements include completion of the certificate courses with a "C" or better grade in each course. Required and support courses may be substituted with the approval of the Industry & Technology Division Chair.

Units for Degree Major or Area of Emphasis (Min):

27

Units for Degree Major or Area of Emphasis (Max):

27

Total Units for Degree (Min):

27

Total Units for Degree (Max):

27

#### TOP Code:

094500 - \* Industrial Systems Technology and Maintenance

#### **Enrollment and Completer Projection:**

Course Number Course Title	Required / Electives	Annual Number of Sections (Yr 1)	Annual Enrollment Total (Yr 1)	Annual Number of Sections (Yr 2)	Annual Enrollment Total (Yr 2)
ITEC 282 Fundamentals Process Control	Required	1	20	1	22
ITEC 283 Instrumentation 1	Required	1	20	1	22
ITEC 284 Instrumentation 2	Required	1	20	1	22
ITEC 285 Data Transmission/ Comm	Required	1	20	1	22
ITEC 286 Human-Machine Interfacing	Required	1	20	1	22
ITEC 287 Advanced Automation Project	Required	1	20	1	22
ITEC 276 Advanced Programmable Logic	Required	1	20	1	22

Controllers

#### **Enrollment Projections:**

22

#### Place of Program in Curriculum/Similar Programs:

The program is in the Industry and Technology Division, and is a unique certificate of achievement program.

#### Similar Programs at other colleges in Service Area:

There are no equivalent programs in our service area.

#### Master Planning:

This program is in direct response to multiple local industry partner requests to immediately address higher skilled workforce needs. These occupations represent higher earnings than industrial mechanics and greater job stability. Implementation would support the COS Master Plan's Goal I, Increased enrollment, and Goal III, Academic Programs...that match...demands of ongoing changes in the workforce.

#### **Curriculum Committee Approval Date:**

Academic Senate Approval Date:

**District Governing Board Approval Date:** 

State Program Control Number: