



TECHNICAL CERTIFICATION

Comprehensive Training Program

Prepare for SME's Certified Manufacturing Technologist (CMfgT) exam and/or Certified Manufacturing Engineer (CMfgE) with online classes from Tooling U-SME. It's quality manufacturing content developed by industry experts, presented in an engaging and interactive format for maximum effectiveness.

Classes are self-paced, typically taking 60 minutes to complete. They are conveniently accessible anytime, anywhere on desktops and laptops, and on tablets and phones with the Tooling U-SME app.

Certified Manufacturing Technologist (CMfgT)

The CMfgT benefits both new and experienced manufacturing engineers who don't have other industry credentials. The CMfgT recognizes and validates individuals' understanding of the fundamentals of manufacturing. Pursuing a CMfgT certification requires a minimum of four years of combined manufacturing-related education and/or work experience.

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Certified Manufacturing Engineer (CMfgE)

The CMfgE is ideal for individuals who have advanced manufacturing engineering experience, who are in a leadership position, or who support manufacturing practices at a manufacturing organization.

Pursuing a CMfgE credential requires a minimum of eight years of combined manufacturing-related education and work experience (a minimum of four years must be work experience). A current Certified Manufacturing Technologist (CMfgT) credential with seven years combined manufacturing education and work experience also qualifies.

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TECHNICAL CERTIFICATION CLASSES

Complete Class List



Manufacturing Foundations

- Units of Measurement
- Algebra Fundamentals
- Geometry: Lines and Angles
- Geometry: Triangles
- Geometry: Circles and Polygons
- Trigonometry: The Pythagorean Theorem
- Trigonometry: Sine, Cosine, Tangent
- Statistics
- Concepts of Calculus
- Electrical Units
- Introduction to Circuits
- AC Fundamentals
- Series Circuit Calculations
- Parallel Circuit Calculations
- Blueprint Reading
- Forces of Machines
- Production System Design and Development
- Personal Protective Equipment
- SDS and Hazard Communication
- Bloodborne Pathogens
- Flammable/Combustible Liquids
- Ergonomics
- Hand and Power Tool Safety
- Manufacturing Management

Manufacturing Process Application

- Manufacturing Process Applications: Part I
- Manufacturing Process Applications: Part II
- Intro to Assembly
- Introduction to Physical Properties
- Introduction to Mechanical Properties
- Introduction to Metals
- Introduction to Plastics
- Introduction to Ceramics
- Introduction to Composites
- Polymer Composite Processes
- Classification of Steel
- Essentials of Heat Treatment of Steel
- Ferrous Metals
- Nonferrous Metals
- Thermoplastics
- Thermosets
- Cutting Processes
- Overview of Machine Tools
- Basic Cutting Theory
- Introduction to Welding Processes

Design & Development

- Introduction to Additive Manufacturing
- The Basic Additive Manufacturing Process
- Applied and Engineering Sciences
- Introduction to CAD and CAM for Machining
- The Forces of Fluid Power
- Introduction to Hydraulic Components
- Introduction to Pneumatic Components
- Introduction to GD&T
- 3D Laser Scanners
- Power Transmission Components
- Lathe Tool Geometry
- Mill Tool Geometry
- Drill Tool Geometry
- Basics of Siemens PLCs
- Product Design and Development
- Process Design and Development
- Equipment/Tool Design and Development
- Quality and Customer Service
- Fabrication Process
- Fixture Design Basics
- Introduction to Workholding

Digital Enterprise

- Total Productive Maintenance
- Approaches to Maintenance
- Industrial Network Integration
- Robot Sensors
- Cybersecurity for Manufacturing Basics
- Cybersecurity for Manufacturing:
 - Malware Overview
- Introduction to the Industrial Internet of Things
- Data Collection Fundamentals
- Cybersecurity for Manufacturing: Hacking
- Cybersecurity for Manufacturing:
 - Wireless Networks
- Data Collection: Inventory and Maintenance
- Introduction to Digital Twin
- Introduction to Digital Thread
- Introduction to Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence
- Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence Applications

Automated Systems & Controls

- Introduction to CNC Machines
- Introduction to PLCs
- Quality Overview
- Introduction to Robotics
- Robot Safety
- Robot Control Systems
- Introduction to Digital Networks
- Introduction to Digital Enterprise Strategy

Quality

- Basic Measurement
- Nondestructive Testing
- Troubleshooting
- Total Quality Management Overview
- Six Sigma Goals and Tools
- ISO 9001: 2015 Review
- Conducting an Internal Audit

Continuous Improvement

- 5S Overview
- Cell Design and Pull Systems
- SPC Overview
- Process Flow Charting
- Strategies for Setup Reduction
- Value Stream Mapping: The Current State
- Value Stream Mapping: The Future State
- Developing a Lean Culture
- Continuous Process Improvement:
 - Managing Flow
- Continuous Process Improvement:
 - Identifying and Eliminating Waste
- Management Tools: Product and Process Design
- Transforming Lean into Business Results
- Measuring Lean Systems

Business Acumen

- Managing the Additive Manufacturing Supply Chain
- Intro to Supply Chain Management
- Data and Design Management for Digital Enterprises
- Personal Effectiveness
- Essentials of Leadership
- Essentials of Communication
- Basics of Manufacturing Costs
- Conflict Resolution Principles
- Conflict Resolution for Different Groups