

*Get the experience you need today to start a new career tomorrow!*



**The Manufacturing Academy** is a new 10-week program at Catawba Valley Community College. It is designed to prepare students for a career in the manufacturing industry. Companies are looking for qualified job candidates who demonstrate a commitment to develop the skills necessary for a career in manufacturing.

Training includes manufacturing fundamentals, problem solving, teamwork and communication, lean manufacturing, math and measurements. In addition, students will complete the OSHA 10 course requirements. Students will tour manufacturing sites as well as multiple opportunities to interact with local employer representatives.

**Local companies involved in creating and supporting the Manufacturing Academy include:**

AdvancePierre Foods	Punker, Inc.
Bernhardt Furniture Company	Roll-Tech Molding Products, LLC
Century Furniture	RPM Wood Finishes Group
CommScope Inc.	Sarstedt
Digipixart Inc.	Sherrill Furniture
Full Metal Chicken	Shurtape
Geiger International	Steele Rubber Products
GKN Driveline	Sutter Street, Williams
HSM	Sonoma
Kellex	Target
Lee Industries	Technibilt
Lexington Home Brands	Turbotec
McKinley Leather	United Beverages of NC
Medium Rare Strategy	Vanguard Furniture
Performance Foodservice	WestRock
Roma IFH	ZF Chassis Components
Plastic Packaging	

*Schedule*

**February 6 – April 5, 2017**  
**Monday - Thursday | 5:30 – 8:30 p.m.**

**Did you know that...**

- the majority of manufacturing jobs are skilled positions?
- the Greater Hickory Metro Area is the eighth largest manufacturing MSA in the United States, and the largest in the Carolinas?
- there are currently over 3,000 open manufacturing jobs in the Greater Hickory Metro Area?
- the program content was developed by 25 local companies; and it is designed to teach core knowledge most desired by manufacturers?

*Scholarships Available*

**Over 98% Job Placement After Completion**

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