

## PHILADELPHIA APPRENTICESHIP READINESS PROGRAM

Building Trades Apprenticeship Readiness Programs (ARP's) are designed to prepare young people and transitioning adults to enter and succeed in registered apprenticeship programs, which are gateways to good middle-class jobs in the US construction industry. Building Trades ARPs are sponsored by State and Local Building Trades Councils, Training Coordinators and Joint Apprenticeship Training Committees (JATCs) in partnership with community groups, construction owners and contractors, government agencies and schools.

The goals of the Building Trades ARPs are to increase the number of qualified candidates for apprenticeship across all crafts; to increase the diversity of apprenticeship candidates by recruiting women, communities of color, veterans and out of school youth; and to increase the retention rate among apprentices by providing them with a deeper understanding of both the industry and the role of craft unions in construction.

The educational foundation for the Building Trades ARPs is the Multi-Craft Core Curriculum (MC3), a standardized, comprehensive, 120-hour construction curriculum designed to help young people and transitioning adults choose and succeed in an apprenticeship program that is appropriate for them. In 2012, the US Department of Labor recognized the MC3 with its Registered Apprenticeship Innovator and Trailblazer Award.

### **Class Dates:**

- Group 1: April 29, 2019 – May 22, 2019 (8:00 AM – 4:30 PM)
- Group 2: June 24, 2019 – July 19, 2019 (8:00 AM – 4:30 PM)

### **Class Location:**

- Insulators LU14 Training Center – 2014 Hornig Rd - Philadelphia PA. 19116

### **Topics Covered:**

- Leadership, Communication, Industry Awareness, Labor History, Safety/OSHA, Green Construction, Drawings/Blueprints, Construction Math, Basic Tools & Materials, Visits to several area apprenticeship schools to meet program staff and hear about each craft and how to apply.

### **Benefits:**

- Transportation stipends, set of beginner tools, assistance with applications, get to meet the leaders in charge of each building trades apprenticeship program.

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**TO REGISTER, CONTACT THE PROGRAM COORDINATOR BELOW:**

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