

Green Jobs ACADEMY





Excellent Electrical Pre-ApprenticeshipTraining - Veterans ONLY- 2nd Offering

Due to the success of our 1st Program (Cohort 1), Veterans Green Jobs and Bucks County Community College are pleased to announce that applications are currently being accepted for the 2nd Program (Cohort 2) of an exciting opportunity for US Military Veterans interested in electrical and solar training.

This program, in association with the Independent Electrical Contractors (IEC-Chesapeake), will prepare 16 veterans to take advantage of career pathways through programs focused on Electrical Pre-Apprenticeship with an introduction to Solar PV basics.

Veterans will receive:

- Pre-apprenticeship preparation for a four year electrical apprenticeship program
- Certification in OSHA 10, First Aid and CPR
- Opportunity to sit for the North American Board of Certified Energy Practitioners (NABCEP) Entry Level Exam
- Placement in an ALL-Veterans training group
- 12 weeks of training including: electrical, Solar PV, sustainability and "hands-on" internships
- Job search assistance

Eligibility: Veterans who are residents of Pennsylvania with their own housing and transportation

Where: Bucks County Community College's Green Jobs Academy located in the Bridge Business Center, Bristol, PA

Application Deadline: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2010

Program Begins: MONDAY, JANUARY 10, 2011

Future programs in the areas of environmental remediation and site reclamation are being scheduled for 2011.

Course funding assistance is available for eligible veterans. To begin the application process, please call **215-788-3594** or email greenjobsacademy@bucks.edu.

Veterans Green Jobs (VGJ) is a national 501c3 non-profit nonpartisan organization providing successful transition pathways for military veterans to become civilian leaders in the critical job sectors that protect and restore our energy, our environment, and our economic security. Veterans Green Jobs integrates comprehensive veteran support and leadership development programs with state-of-the-art education and training in high opportunity green job fields—energy efficiency, energy retrofitting, renewable energy, and environmental conservation and restoration.

The Bucks County Community College Green Jobs Academy is an industry-driven public-private partnership providing training opportunities for jobs in the green economy.

