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# UAW-LETC/TOYOTA T-TEN ADVANCED

# AUTOMOTIVE TRAINING NEWSLETTER

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## SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- **UAW HAS A 98.2% PLACEMENT RATE**
- **6-MONTH EARNING WAGE OF \$502/WEEK**
- **UAW'S OVERALL PROGRAM RATING ON THE 2008-2009 VTRC IS 92.2%**
- **CJCC'S NEW MONITORING, MENTORING AND MODELING PROGRAM HELPS UAW STUDENTS GAIN GREATER COMMUNITY AWARENESS.**

## Famous Quotes

*"The best confidence builder is experience."*

**Unknown Author**



## DOL OFFICE OF APPRENTICESHIP RECOGNIZES UAW

### HYBRID TRAINING PROGRAM

The United State Department of Labor, Office of Apprenticeship, recently recognized the UAW Advanced Training Program's Automotive and Hybrid Technologies Programs as full apprenticeships.



Philip Castillo

**Apprenticeship** is a system of training, offered to a new generation of trainees, that involves the development of practical real-world skills to the point where they are considered journeyman technicians. Theoretical education and skills application are involved in the learning process. Students that attend the UAW/Toyota T-TEN Advanced Automotive Program will receive apprenticeship credits for all of the classes they pass once they fully complete the

The system of apprenticeship was first developed in the Middle Ages and came to be supervised by craft guilds and governments. A master craftsman would employ young people as an inexpensive form of labor in exchange for formal training in the craft. Most apprentices were males, but female apprentices were found in a number of crafts associated with embroidery, silk-weaving etc... Apprentices would live in the master craftsman's household. Most apprentices aspired to become master craftsmen themselves upon completion of their contract (usually a term of seven years), but some would spend time as a journeyman and a significant proportion would acquire their own workshop.

Subsequent governmental regulation and the licensing of education polytechnics and vocational programs formalized the details of apprenticeship.

Your students, will add one major level of program recognition to their resume by completing the UAW Apprenticeship Program. Others UAW Program Certifications available include: ASE Certification, Toyota and AAMCO Certification.

Our first Apprenticeship Completers include: **Matt Young, Westover JCC; Philip Castillo, Clearfield JCC and; Anthony Olaya, Northlands JCC.**

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## UAW GRADUATE HAS LONG-TERM SUCCESS

Ken Claessen graduated from the UAW Program sixteen years ago. Since his graduation, he has worked as an ASE Certified Master Technician at TAS Good-year in Ogden Utah, Today, Ken owns a new home near work and he has 8 cars of various makes and models. Ken came to Job Corps from a small town in Montana.

As a high school drop out, with limited experience, Ken needed to change his life. This is why he selected Clearfield Job Corps Center and the UAW Program. The payoff for Ken has been a great job in a career he dearly loves. Today Ken averages \$65,000 per year as a flat-rate technician. When asked about his Job Corps experience, Ken had this to say, "UAW changed

my life! The training was great! I met good friends, and I would recommend Job Corps to anyone who wants to work hard and stay focused" We are very proud of Ken's success and we are happy our program made such a difference in his life.

**Your students may have a similar experience if they choose to transfer for Advanced Automotive Training.**

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