

Valencia College Continuing Education

Valencia's Professional Continuing Education division offers a variety of accelerated skills programs that help people start new (in demand) careers. With a large number of Baby Boomers retiring over the next 14 years, there is currently an unprecedented skill shortage in the workplace.

Valencia's accelerated skills programs are designed to teach students specific skills that help students gain employment in fields such as construction, 911 telecommunications, private security and manufacturing.

Fall 2016 Program Schedule:

Basic Construction Program – Future Dates to be Scheduled Soon

Prepares students for high demand positions in the construction field. Starting wages - \$12.00 per hour or higher (Overtime is available)

Dates: Oct. 11 – Nov. 14, 2016 Times: 730am to 430pm Fee: \$2,800 Location: Osceola Campus *funding for tuition may be available to eligible students Please call Carnard Johnson at 407-582-8210

Public Safety Telecommunicator Program – (911 Operator) – Future Dates to be Scheduled Soon

Prepares students to sit for the state certification required for this position. Starting wages - \$14.40 per hour or higher (Overtime is available) Must be willing to work shift work, midnights, weekends, and holidays. Must have a clean background.

Dates: Oct. 10, 2016 to Nov. 18, 2016 Monday through Friday Times: 8am to 5pm Location: The School of Public Safety (8600 Valencia College Lane, Orlando, FL 32825) Fee: \$ 1,780 *funding for tuition may be available to eligible students Please call Joanna Shannon at 407-582-8242

Private Security Officer

Prepares students for an entry level position in private security and to sit for the Class D license exam. Must have a clean background. Starting wages average \$11.00 per hour and there is a big demand during the holiday season.

Dates: Nov. 7 – Nov. 18, 2016 (Monday – Friday, 80 hours total) Times: 8am to 5pm Fee: \$475 Location: The School of Public Safety (8600 Valencia College Lane, Orlando, FL 32825) Please call Wes Tindal at 407-582-8107

Advanced Manufacturing Program

Prepares students for a variety of high demand positions within the field of manufacturing. (CNC Technician, Electronic Board Assemble, Welding, Quality, and Logistics)

Dates: Jan. 23, 2017 – April, 2017 Times: 730am to 230pm – Monday through Thursday Fee: vary per program Location: Osceola County 1099 Shady Lane, Kissimmee, FL Please call Chris LeGoullon at 407-582-8227