

***General Building Contractors Association
Course Schedule***

S P R I N G 2009

G B C A/AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL ESTIMATORS (ASPE)

Course No.	Course Title	Location(s)	Day(s)	Time(s)	Starting Date
B001	Blue Print Reading	MCFA	M	6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	1/26
B002	Contract Documents	MCFA	T	6:00 - 9:00 p.m.	1/27
B003	Basic Construction Scheduling	MCFA	W	6:00 - 9:00 p.m.	1/28
P010	Excavation & Site Work	MCFA	TH	6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	1/29

Montgomery County Fire Academy is located at 1175 Conshohocken Road, Conshohocken, PA. Phone: (610-278-3500)
Registration is now open. Please mail registration to: GBCA, 36 South 18th Street, P.O. Box 15959, Philadelphia, PA 19103, Attention: Joann Piazza, fax at(215) 568-3115 or E-MAIL: jpiazza@gbca.net.

DREXEL UNIVERSITY

Class Schedule for PACA Training Centers

Course No.	Course Title	Location(s)	Day(s)	Time(s)	Starting Date
CMGT162	Bldg. Matls. & Constr.. Methods II	Carpenters, T.C.	T	6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	3/31
CMGT364	Estimating II	Steam Fitters	M	6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	3/30

Students wishing to register for classes at PACA Training Centers must obtain permission to register from the GBCA prior to registering with the Training Center . Check dates for classes they are subject to change.

COURSES HELD AT DREXEL CAMPUS

Course No.	Course Title	Location(s)	Day(s)	Time(s)	Starting Date
CMGT 163	Bldg. Mtls. & Constr. Methods III	Main Campus	T	6:00 - 8:50 p.m.	3/31
CMGT 262	Building Codes	Main Campus	T	6:00 – 8:50 p.m.	3/31
CMGT 263	Understanding Const. Drawings	Main Campus	TH	6:00 - 8:50 p.m.	4/2
CMGT 264	Const. Mgmt of Field Operations	Main Campus	W	6:00 - 8:50 p.m.	4/1
CMGT 364	Estimating II	Main Campus	M	6:00 - 8:50 p.m.	3/30
CMGT 465	Marketing Const. Services	Main Campus	W	6:00 – 8:50 p.m.	4/1
CMGT 467	Techniques of Project Control	Main Campus	M	6:00 - 8:50 p.m.	3/30

Registration is now open at the Main Campus, Goodwin College of Evening Studies 3001 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104. Phone: 215-895-2162. Classes begin March 30, 2009. Check dates for classes they are subject to change. COURSES AT DREXEL’S MAIN CAMPUS ARE NOT FULLY REIMBURSED.

STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO PAY UP FRONT FOR ALL DREXEL COURSES. UPON PROOF OF SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF COURSE (S) GBCA WILL REIMBURSE THE STUDENT.

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA

Course No.	Course Title	Location(s)	Day(s)	Time(s)	Starting Date
CRN14007	Intro to Design & Construction	Main Campus	T	6:00 - 9:00 p.m.	1/20
CRN14011	CAD Basics	Main Campus	M/W	6:00 - 9:00 p.m.	1/26/1/21
CRN14661	Construction Cost Estimating	Main Campus	W	6:00 - 10:00 p.m.	1/21
CRN14660	Constr. Management & Scheduling	Main Campus	M	6:00 - 9:00 p.m.	1/26

*Registration is now open. Students, who have taken Community College courses before, register at the College, 1700 Spring Garden Street, Philadelphia, PA. (Room W1-1). Contact **Anthony Palimore @215-751-8418 for registration.** Also check dates for classes they are subject to change. Classes start January 20, 2009.*

ENGINEERS CLUB OF PHILADELPHIA

Course No.	Course Title	Location(s)	Day(s)	Time(s)	Starting Date
CO-1	The 2006 International Building Code		W	6:00 - 8:30 p.m.	3/19
C-O3	Construction Project Management		W	6:00 - 8:30 p.m.	3/31
C-O4	Construction Cost Estimating		T	6:00 - 8:30 p.m.	4/7
EL-1	Fundamentals of Instrumentation & Control		T	6:30 - 8:30 p.m.	3/17
EL-3	Fiber Optics & Networking Wiring		W	6:30 - 8:30 p.m.	3/18
EN-1	The Coming Energy Crisis		W	6:30 - 8:30 p.m.	3/18
FP-1	Sprinkler Systems Basics		M	7:00 - 9:00 p.m.	3/16
FP-3	Smoke Management		M	7:00 - 9:00 p.m.	3/16
ME-1	Heating & Ventilation		W	6:30 - 8:30 p.m.	3/18

*Registration information & classroom location can be obtained by calling **Diane Conway, at (215) 985-5701**, also check dates for classes they are subject to change. The Engineers Club of Philadelphia is located at 215 South 16th Street, Suite 36, Philadelphia, PA 19102.*

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY

Course No.	Course Title	Location(s)	Day(s)	Time(s)	Starting Date
CRN006903	Constr. Contracts & Specs.	Center City Campus	M	6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	1/26
CRN076136	Structural Analysis	Main Campus	T	4:30 – 7:30 p.m.	1/20
CRN055877	Constr. Plan & Scheduling	Main Campus	TH	6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	1/22
CNR077800	Applied Hydraulics	Main Campus	M	5:00 – 7:30 p.m.	1/26
CRN071670	Steel & Wood Structures	Main Campus	W	4:40 – 7:30 p.m.	1/21

Registration is now open. Also check dates for classes they are subject to change. Contact Continuing Education @ (215) 204-7814 with any problems. Please register at Temple –1810 Liacouras Walk, Ste. 101, Philadelphia, PA 19122. Classes start January 20, 2009.

PENN STATE UNIVERSITY

Schedule No.	Course Title	Location(s)	Day(s)	Time(s)	Starting Date
311067	CAD I	Abington	W	6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	2/11
311076	CAD II	Abington	W	6:00 - 900 p.m.	4/15
311148	Project Initiation & Planning	Abington	M	6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	1/26
311157	Project Scheduling & Integration	Abington	M	6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	3/23
311166	Project Costing & Control	Abington	M	6:00 - 9:00 p.m.	5/11
-	Conflict Resol. for Project Mgrs.	Abington	TH	6:00 - 9:00 p.m.	1/15

Registration is now open. Penn State Abington-Ogontz Campus is located at 1600 Woodland Road, Abington, PA 19001. Phone in registration 215-881-7389 Monday - Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.; Friday until 4:30 p.m. Faxing a registration 215-881-7317. Contact Heather Smith with any questions 215-881-7300, also check dates for classes they are subject to change.

Important: When registering with Penn State, please attach a photocopy of your completed registration form.

DELAWARE TECHNICAL & COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Course No.	Course Title	Location(s)	Day(s)	Time(s)	Starting Date
AET11125124	Cont. Blueprint Reading	Georgetown Campus	W	5:30 – 9:30 p.m.	1/14
AET11155054	Cont. Blueprint Reading	Stanton Campus	W	6:30 – 10:20 p.m.	1/14
AET11165164	Cont. Blueprint Reading	Dover Campus	W	6:00 - 9:50 p.m.	1/14
AET13525124	Cont. Mat’ls & Methods	Georgetown Campus	M	5:30 – 9:30 p.m.	1/26
AET13555054	Cont. Mat’ls & Methods	Stanton Campus	M	6:30 - 10:20 p.m.	1/26
AET23265163	Contracts/Specifications	Dover Campus	W	6:00 - 8:50 p.m.	1/14
AET23425123	Cost Estimating/Planning	Georgetown Campus	TH	5:30 - 8:30 p.m.	1/15
AET23465163	Cost Estimating/Planning	Dover Campus	M	6:00 - 8:50 p.m.	1/26
AET23525123	Adv Cost Est/Planning	Georgetown Campus	T	5:30 - 8:30 p.m.	1/20
AET23555053	Adv Cost Est/Planning	Stanton Campus	TH	7:30 – 10:20 p.m.	1/22
CET14455054	Surveying Principles	Stanton Campus	T/TH	5:00 – 8:30 p.m.	1/20/15
CMT12555053	Const. Project Admin.	Stanton Campus	T	6:30 – 9:30 p.m.	1/20
CMT24255053	Computer Apps. For Cont.	Stanton Campus	M	6:00 - 10:00 p.m.	1/26

*Registration information contact **Ella- Stanton Campus, 302-454-3906, Karla- Georgetown Campus 302-855-1669, Anne – Dover Campus 302-739-3737**. Also check dates for classes they are subject to change. Classes start January 14, 2009. **GBCA only pays Delaware resident tuition.***

GBCA 2009 Construction and Training Information

- Sponsorship - These construction education courses are made available to you through the Industry Advancement Program (IAP) and administered by the General Building Contractors Association (GBCA).
- Eligibility - All employees (both salaried and hourly wage earners) of firms contributing to the IAP program of GBCA or employed by member firms are eligible to apply for enrollment in these courses. The IAP program is made available on behalf of some 700 contributing firms engaged in commercial, industrial and institutional building. Contributions are based upon hours worked by carpenters, cement masons, and laborers.
- Availability - The number of students accepted for course funding at each educational institution is limited, students will be accepted for course funding in the sequence of receipt of application. Since funds for the program are limited, those applying after the maximum course allocations have been reached must wait until the following semester to re-apply.
- Course Funding - **The GBCA will provide funding of tuition cost for approved courses. All premium tuition for out-of-state & out-of-county students or any other tuition increasing reason, will be the responsibility of the individual registrant. The student is responsible for payment of any registration, general, laboratory, or other fees assessed by the educational institution. Textbook costs are the responsibility of the student.**
- Maximum Number of Courses - Any one student is limited to a maximum funding of two courses in any one semester and six courses in any one calendar year. There is no limit on courses offered at the GBCA/ASPE training facility.
- Application Supply complete information requested on the application form attached. Mail as soon as possible. If you wish to attend more Procedure - than one course, be certain that you sign up for only one course per evening, up to a maximum of two (2) courses total.
- Registration/Drop **Mail your application form as soon as possible. If eligible, you will receive a letter of acceptance by return mail . Since all Procedure - enrollment is limited to available space; applications will be placed on a list for the course selected on a first-come, first-served basis. It is the Students responsibility to contact the appropriate educational institution and register.**
- Do not apply for enrollment in a course unless you feel reasonably certain that you can complete it, since there are usually more applicants than available space. If you are accepted in a course and find later that you cannot attend, please notify GBCA's Education and Training Department immediately. All students who do not attend the first two classes will be dropped and will be ineligible for GBCA sponsorship for a period of one year.
- If you attend classes and find you cannot continue, please notify GBCA's Education and Training Department immediately and follow the drop procedure listed pertaining to your particular school. Otherwise, a failing grade will automatically be forward to you and your employer at the end of the semester. Any student who does not follow the proper drop procedure will be ineligible for GBCA sponsorship for a period of one year.
- Course Substitutions - No course substitutions will be permitted for any reason. Applications shall request only those courses at the schools indicated in GBCA's roster of approved courses. Substitutions of similar courses at other schools will be not accepted.

**REGISTRATION FORM
GBCA CONSTRUCTION
EDUCATION COURSES – SPRING, 2009**

(This form may be duplicated)

**Complete all information and return to:
GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION
36 South 18th Street, P.O. Box 15959, Philadelphia, PA 19103
Phone: (215) 568-7015 Fax: (215) 568-3115
E-MAIL jpiazza@gbca.net**

PLEASE PRINT

FOR DREXEL COURSES PLEASE SPECIFY MAIN CAMPUS OR UNION HALL

Course #1 _____ Course Title _____ School _____

Course #2 _____ Course Title _____ School _____

Name _____ Social Security # _____

Address _____ Date Of Birth _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone # _____

E-Mail Address Required

Position/Job Title _____

Current Employer _____ Address _____ Last Date of Employment _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone# (very important) _____

Previous Employer _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone# _____ Last Date of Employment _____

**** By signing this registration form you will have authorized GBCA to obtain an official copy of your grades at the Page 7 end of the semester.**



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

TO: ALL STUDENTS:

**FROM: MICHAEL MAGEE
DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION**

SUBJECT: SPRING 2009 COURSE SCHEDULE

Please make sure you read the enclosed “Construction and Training Information” material carefully. It is extremely important that you follow the established procedures for registering for the courses. Should you fail to do so you may be ineligible for tuition reimbursement. Also please bear in mind that the number of students accepted for course funding is limited and consequently we advise you to apply as early as possible.

It is of the utmost importance that you pre-register with the GBCA before you start taking the course. Should you fail to do so, and have not received approval from the GBCA to take a course, you will be ineligible for tuition reimbursement. Please complete the registration form attached at the back of this package and either fax or mail it to GBCA.

Also please note, that in cases where the educational institution has a “sliding scale” of payments (i.e. different tuition costs levied on students) depending upon where the student lives, the GBCA will only reimburse the student for the “basic” cost of the course. Please feel free to contact Joann Piazza at GBCA should you have any questions on these procedures.

We urge you to confirm the day and time of individual courses with the particular educational institution in question. It is also the responsibility of the student to register at the appropriate educational institution after receiving permission to do so from GBCA.