

Congratulations on your acceptance to Vermont State University. We are looking forward to you joining us!

Our program provides students with the skills required to thrive in the fast-paced contracting business. We have a long track record of 100% placement rates and higher than average starting salaries. Our program is big, our classes are small.

The first year of the program students learn about:

- Commercial and Residential Construction
- Drafting, print reading, CAD
- Electrical and mechanical systems
- Math and Physics

During the summer after the first year, we assist students in obtaining a paid internship in the industry.

In the second year, students acquire the management skills needed for supervisory positions in the building industry. These skills include:

- Construction Project Management
- Building, Electrical, Mechanical, and Excavation Estimating
- Surveying and Construction Layout
- Small Business Management
- Basic Structural Design

We offer a “2+2” arrangement, where students can head out into the workforce after two years with an Associate in Applied Science or return for a Bachelor’s Degree in Construction Management.

The BS degree offers depth and advanced study in Construction Management, including advanced estimating, construction law, and negotiations.

We would be happy to visit with you if you come to campus.

Sincerely,

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Required Computer Information

Computers are the toolbox of Construction Managers. Due to our emphasis on mobility, cooperative projects, and paperless construction management, we require students to have a laptop PC. Software, including Microsoft Office, Bluebeam, and AutoCAD are available to students for little or no cost after they arrive on campus. Electronic copies of textbooks and materials are available to help reduce textbook costs. Software provided by the Construction Management Department is not available for Apple products. The minimum specifications for a laptop can be found at www.vermontstate.edu/next-steps.

If you intend to purchase a laptop using Financial Aid or loans, please email the financial aid office to discuss your options; financialaid@vermontstate.edu or 800.965.8790.