



	INDUSTRY CERTIFICATION	ACADEMIC PROGRAM OF STUDY	JOB AND WAGES
ADVANCED LEVEL	<p>Certificates and Degrees have been approved by local industry advisories, skills panels and CCCCCO</p>	<p>+ A.A./ A.S. Degree/ Transfer + Advanced Level Certificate</p> <p><u>Biotechnology/Bioprocessing Awards</u></p> <p>AA/AS: ~60 units including GE, Biotech Skill Builder Basic and Advanced courses</p> <p>Certificate of Achievement: ~18 units with General Chemistry, General Biology, Algebra and Skill Builder Basic and Advanced</p>	<p><i>Advanced Level Employment</i></p> <p>Research Assistant or Associate Production Technician</p> <p>Degree: ~\$44,000-\$55,000* Certificate: ~\$26,000-\$43,000*</p> <p><small>*Source is Wage Tracker (http://datamart.cccco.edu/Outcomes/College_Wage_Tracker.aspx)</small></p>
MID LEVEL	<p>Mid level 'local' Certificates approved by local industry advisories, skills panels and CCCCCO</p>	<p>+ Mid Level Certificate</p> <p>Local Certificates: 8-12 Units with Skill Builder Basic and Skill Builder Advanced classes (a broad set of advanced skills for prepared students with at least 96 hours of hands-on)</p>	<p><i>Intermediate Level Employment</i></p> <p>Manufacturing Technician Laboratory Technician Quality Control Technician</p> <p>Mid-Level Local Certificate: ~\$15-\$20 per hour</p>
ENTRY LEVEL	<p>'Skill Builder' Basic classes approved by the Academic Senate of each college</p>	<p>+ Entry Level Certificate None</p> <p>Skill Builder Basic classes provide foundational employment skills</p>	<p><i>Entry Level Employment</i></p> <p>Glass Washing Technician Packaging Technician Laboratory Assistant</p> <p>~\$10-\$17 per hour</p>
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