

If you are looking for a career in Construction or a Skilled Trade the training below may be of interest to you.

1. Organization providing the training:

Marine Trades Industry Partnership - This is a partnership of the Marine Trades Association of Maryland and its member companies across Maryland.

2. Physical location training occurs:

On-the-job training is available all over Maryland.

MTAM offers on-the-job training in various locations across Maryland, conveniently situated near the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries. We collaborate with our members to connect interns with marine trades companies that are close to their homes.

3. Description of the training offered:

The boating industry offers diverse career opportunities, from engine mechanics and composite material repair, to electronics installation and sailboat rigging. Whether you're interested in all aspects of boating or specialize in a particular skill, there's a job for you. You can work for a full-service marina to gain industry knowledge or a specialized service company to develop expertise.

4. Trainees have the opportunity to earn the following industry-recognized certifications:

There are many industry-recognized certifications in the marine trades, but you usually need to have some experience in the field before you can get one. Companies are often willing to pay for training to help their employees learn new skills. Chesapeake College and Cecil College in Maryland also offer marine tech certification programs.

5. Am I eligible?

A strong work ethic is usually the top priority for this program. But beyond that, different skills have their own requirements. Most eligible candidates should have good eye-hand coordination, be able to work in confined or awkward spaces (like in an engine room or under a boat) and able to work in varying weather conditions, both indoor and outdoors.

6. What is the application process?

Applying for an internship is a breeze! Simply head over to www.mtam.org/careers/skilled-trades/ and fill out the online application. Someone from MTAM will be in touch with you soon to provide more details and kickstart the placement process.

7. How much can I expect to earn if I complete this program and obtain employment?

Most interns start out making the minimum wage, but that usually goes up by 25% once you become a full-time employee. In the marine industry, pay is based on how much experience and skills you have, which you gain as you work.

8. How much do I have to pay for this program?

Applying for the on-the-job training program is completely FREE.

9. Where can I find more information about this program?

To learn more about this program, visit www.mtam.org/careers/skilled-trades.