

TECHNICAL TRAINING FOR MODERN INDUSTRY

The nation's greatest asset is not in its reserve of natural resources but in the occupational and technical competency of its workers and in the potential productivity of its youth. Changing conditions of employment, technology and productive practices have created problems of displacement, unemployment and insecurity for unskilled workers and a dearth of persons trained in newly required skills. The growing need to overcome these and attendant social and economic problems has prompted an unprecedented expansion of technical and vocational education facilities and programs in Canada, the object of which is to prepare youth for entry into skilled and specialized employment and to provide for the adult the opportunity of increasing proficiency in his chosen field.



The co-ordinated manpower development and education programs include training at all levels below professional—the operator, the apprentice, the skilled worker, the craftsman and the technician—in all occupational fields in primary, secondary, service and commercial industries.



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