Climate and Energy Control (HVAC)
Academic Year 2019

Program Description
The Climate & Energy Control Technologies program is a sequence of courses that prepares students for careers in the air conditioning industry. Learning opportunities develop academic, occupational and professional knowledge and skills required for job acquisition, retention and advancement. The program emphasizes a combination of air conditioning theory and practical application necessary for successful employment. Program graduates receive the qualifications of an air conditioning technician.


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*Appointments to see Admissions and Advising are not required, but recommended. Tuesdays and Thursdays are walk-in only. Monday, Wednesday and Fridays appointment only. Exception: January and August are peak times and appointment times are not saved for students. All visitors in those months are served on a walk-in basis only.

Climate and Energy Control Program Contact:
Climate and Energy Control is located at the:
City Center Campus
301 S. Grove
Wichita, KS

1.) Apply for admissions
2.) Meet with an admissions counselor
3.) Meet with an advisor.

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<th>Type of Degree/Certificate</th>
<th>Day/Evening</th>
<th>Length Based on Average Rate of Completion</th>
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* Class schedules and availability are subject to change. For the latest information, please visit: http://wsutech.edu/air-conditioning-technology/.
**Costs are approximate and subject to change. Costs include tuition and student fees (books and digital device not included in amount).
***Length in AAS depends on placement in math/English course work and timing of the enrollment. Talk to your advisor for details.

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This program is accredited by HLC and Kansas Board of Regents.
More information at: http://wsutech.edu/get-started/

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Frequently Asked Questions:

Q. What wage can an Air Conditioning Technician expect?

A. According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics (2017), National mean wage ranged from $29,120-$75,330 annually or $14.00-$36.33 hourly. State of Kansas mean average for individuals in this field are approximately $42,890-$49,160 annually. State of Kansas range of income not available, only the mean average. Please note that new techs do not normally start at the average; that is usually what they earn mid-career.

Q. When can I start the Climate and Energy Control Technology program?

A. The CECT program offers starting points in the fall, spring, and summer semesters. Students can begin classes in August or January General Education classes for this degree may also begin in March and October.

Q. What are the employment opportunities for graduates from WSU Tech’s HVAC program?

A. Employers frequently contact WSU Tech seeking our graduates. Graduates with the best chance of immediate employment typically have a valid driver’s license and no felony convictions.

Q. Are tools required for this program?

A. Yes, this program requires tools. WSU Tech partners with Snap-on to offer tool packages to students. The CECT tool kits cost approximately $837.00, which will automatically be charged to students’ accounts during the first week of class. If students wish to opt out of Snap On tool package, then they need to have purchased their tools out of pocket from a vendor of their choice BEFORE to the first day of class.

Q. Is there a dress code for this program?

A. Yes, students will wear a work shirt, the cost of which is included in their student fees. Students are also expected to wear jeans or long pants (no shorts), and closed toe/closed heel shoes with slip resistant soles.

Q. Where will my classes be held?

A. Your Climate and Energy Control Technology courses will be held at the Grove campus at 301 S. Grove, along with your Admissions Counselor and Academic Advisor. All other offices are at The NCAT Campus and Southside Education Center (Business Office, Financial Aid, Testing Center, Bookstore, etc.)

Questions for instructors?

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