Eastern WV Community & Technical College Master Course Record

Course Prefix and Number: WFWD 102
Course Title: Welding Intermediate Skills
Recommended Transcript Title: Welding Intermediate Skills
Date Approved/Revised: 09/21/15
Credit Hours: 4
Contact hours per week (Based on 15 week term): 6.5
Lecture: 2 hrs./week
Lab: 4.5 hrs./week
Prerequisite: WFWD 101 or permission of the instructor
Corequisite:
Pre/Corequisite:
Grading Mode: Credit/No Credit
Catalog Description: Welding intermediate skills is designed to provide students with an
understanding of welding symbols and the ability to read and interpret welding detail
drawings. Students will be introduced to gas metal arc welding (GMAW), flux core arc
welding (FCAW) and gas tungsten arc welding (GTAW). The students will receive
lecture and many hours of hands on welding instruction. The materials presented are
suitable for students who already have basic welding skills, as well as, experienced
welders wishing to increase their proficiencies. This course is American Welding
Society (AWS) certification eligible.
Course Outcomes: Students will:
• Discuss safety procedures and personal protective equipment utilized in the
welding industry
Demonstrate safe GMAW techniques
Demonstrate safe FCAW techniques
Demonstrate safe GTAW techniques
Understand welding symbols and drawings
• Demonstrate an ability to both draw and read welding layout drawings
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Implementation Cycle: Fall/Spring
Role in College Curriculum: (Check all that apply)
General Education Core (Specify category)
Technical Core (Specify Program)
Restricted Elective (Specify Program)
General Elective
Workforce Education
Other (Please specify)
Course Fee: None
Instructor's Qualifications: Should have industrial welding certifications and/or 5 years
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of welding experience. A CWI (Certified Welding Inspector) certification is preferred. **Expanded Course Description** (provides details regarding major course concepts, target audience, delivery format, etc.) Welding intermediate skills is designed to provide students with an understanding of welding symbols and the ability to read and interpret welding detail drawings. Students will be introduced to gas metal arc welding (GMAW), flux core arc welding (FCAW) and gas tungsten arc welding (GTAW). The students will receive lecture and many hours of hands on welding instruction. The materials presented are suitable for students who already have basic welding skills, as well as, experienced welders wishing to increase their proficiencies. Welding certifications can be obtained by gaining knowledge thru classroom activities, and by becoming proficient with actual welding techniques. This course is designed to help students obtain American Welding Society (AWS) approved welding certifications, and is aligned with NCCER 29201-15 (1863) course outcomes.

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