

Plastics Sector Training: An Integrated Strategy

Today's changing employment environment makes a company's success dependent upon having a fully participating workforce. This worldwide movement towards a more knowledgeable workforce compliments the existing competitive business climate. A well trained employee is a value added component to a company, improving its performance within the international marketplace.

The Canadian Plastics Training Centre (CPTC) has designed its learning strategy to directly address productivity improvement. Training is practical, up to date and flexible. Education and training solutions maximize an



employees knowledge of plastics processing and plastics technology.

Ultimately, the success of the CPTC will be measurable through the business improvements of the CPTC customers. For the employer, this will mean increased productivity. For the student, this translates into more sophisticated understanding and more marketable skills.

# Credited Learning Solutions

The CPTC recognizes that the participant's previous experience should link with and count towards the completion of nationally recognized certificates and diplomas. To this end, the CPTC training is modular with each module linked with the Plastics Operator Certificate and Plastics Engineering Diploma Programs.



Prior plastic experience is assessed and credited to ensure that training is focused on particular needs. Participants, from the beginning, will see their training as part of a greater investment in life long learning.

**Canadian Plastics Training Centre** 

## **Practical** Learning

Hands-on technical instruction is the cornerstone of the CPTC. Participants will be taught on the latest production equipment. Participants are placed in the operator role, the student is taken through a carefully supervised series of procedures aimed at maximizing the understanding of plastics processing.



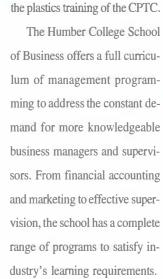
- Injection Molding
- Blow Molding
- Blown Film
- Extrusion

anced with classroom instruction in basic theory. The theory is practical and designed to be used in the workplace.



process technologies:

Shop floor training is balwill be better served through the CPTC's close association with the Humber College Technology Division and School of Business. Humber's Technology Divi-



The Role of

**Humber College** 

Industry's training demands

sion provides a broad range of

expertise and related program-

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aided design (CAD), mathemat-

ics and robotics all compliment

"FOR THE PEOPLE WHO WORK HOUR TO HOUR SETTING UP MACHINES AND OVERSEEING PRODUCTION, THE CANADIAN PLASTICS TRAINING CENTRE SERVES A PREVIOUSLY NEGLECTED AREA,"

SAYS BRIAN FOX, PRESIDENT OF BP WINDOW AND DOOR PRODUCTS AND A MEMBER OF THE CENTRE'S JOINT STEERING COMMITTEE.

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### **National Networking is an** Advantage

Through links with other technical colleges across the country, the CPTC will provide needs assessment, productivity consultation and technical training. Custom development of training programs will compliment the full range of standardized technical programming at CPTC.



### **Productive** Partnership is a **boost to CPTC**

The CPTC is a co-operative partnership between Humber College of Applied Arts and Technology, the Society of the Plastics Industry of Canada (SPI), the Ontario Federation of

Labour and the Canadian federal and Ontario provincial governments. Thanks to the firm financial and technical experience extended by these partners, the CPTC maintains a strong, emerging position within academic and plastics circles.

Actively supported by leading companies in the plastics industry, the CPTC has developed a national network of technical

expertise. Company personnel participate on the CPTC Joint Steering and Curriculum Advisory Committees, guiding curriculum and advising on future trends in the industry. Manufacturers, both domestic and international, have supplied the latest plastics equipment, machinery and resource material.







#### Our Service Guarantee

The CPTC's first priority is to serve you, the customer. We are committed to providing the learning services and support to meet the customer's specific needs. It is our goal to meet your service objectives while continuing to improve our service on an ongoing basis. If you are not completely satisfied with your return on investment, let us know immediately. We guarantee your complete satisfaction.



#### Thanks to Industry Support

The CPTC is grateful to all members of the Joint Steering and Advisory Committees who remain committed to the development of the centre.

Key equipment suppliers include world leaders in the design and manufacturing of plastics equipment in the industry. Partners dedicated to the Centre's success include:

- Berg Chilling Systems Inc.
- Du Pont Canada Inc.
- Dukane Corporation
- Engel Canada Inc.
- Gammaflux L.P.
- Hoover Canada
- Husky Injection Molding Systems
- Lung Meng Machinery

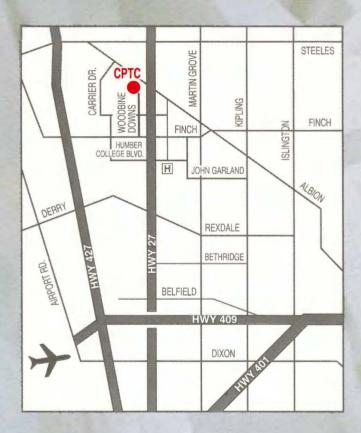




- Master Unit Die
- Mould-tek Industries Inc.
- Novacor Chemicals Ltd.
- Ontario Heater & Supply
- Company
   ITW Plastiglide
- T.G. Branden Corporation
- Top Grade Machining Ltd.
- Unique Mould Makers Ltd.
- Pétromont Inc.
- IPEX Inc.

Co-operation with industry ensures the
focus is always
maintained on
the practical
needs of the industry and those
who work in it.





Located 10 minutes from Pearson International Airport in Toronto, the Canadian Plastics Training Centre is centrally located to serve the industry. For more information, please contact the Business Development Manager at the CPTC,

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