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Associated Training Services
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HISTORY & OWNERSHIP

ATS began its history when Robert Klabacka started The National Institute for Concrete Construction (N.I.C.C) in 1959 making us one of America's oldest and largest heavy equipment, crane operator and truck driver training schools. Robert later passed the reins onto his sons who to this day maintain the same high standards and superior quality people have come to expect from Associated Training Services.

The Early Years



Our Facilities



Instructional Staff



In 1959, Robert Klabacka started the National Institute for Concrete Construction.

What Makes ATS Different?

- Large variety and volume of equipment – over 75 pieces
- Training that correlates to real life experience
- Experienced, professional instructors
- Nationally recognized credentials
- Stability – in business for 60 years
- Easy tuition financing programs
- Affordable school-owned housing

National Credentials

NCCCO Certification

Upon successful completion of the Crane or Rigger/Signalperson testing, students are certified by the National Commission for the Certification of Crane Operators (NCCCO). Certification of crane operators and rigger/signalperson qualification is now required by OSHA.

Financial Assistance

Career Loans

Career loans can be used to pay for tuition, housing, and other training expenses. Applicants should submit an application online at www.Operator-School.com. Upon submitting your application, one of the School's representatives will contact you via telephone. You can also call one of our Admissions Counselors who will help you complete the application over the phone by calling toll free (800) 383-7364.

Veteran & Military Benefits

GI Bill® is a registered trademark of the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). More information about education benefits offered by VA is available at the official U.S. government Web site at <https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill>.

Post 9/11 GI Bill®: Qualified veterans can receive tuition assistance. These benefits may also provide additional living expenses directly to the veteran while in School.

Veterans Vocational Rehabilitation: Applicant may be qualified if injured or disabled while in the military.

Guard and Reserve Members: Veterans may be eligible for GI Bill®. Members may qualify for state military education benefits.

Housing Vouchers for Qualified Veterans: Associated Training Services offers all eligible veterans a housing voucher which can be redeemed at the school's housing facility for the full cost of housing in a double occupancy room for the complete length of the student's training period. To qualify, the veteran must have been honorably discharged from the military and submit their form DD214 to the school. This voucher has a value of between \$120 and \$2,520 depending on the length of the student's training. This voucher can only be used for the School's housing facility and cannot be redeemed for cash.

State and Federal Grants

Our students may also qualify for these state or federal grants:

Job Service/Workforce Development	Agricultural Worker Grants
Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act	Vocational Rehabilitation
Trade Adjustment Act (TAA)	Tribal Education Grants
Displaced Worker Grants	Migrant Worker Grants



Employment Opportunities

Heavy equipment operators, mobile crane operators, and truck drivers have always been some of the most stable and well paying occupations in America. People depend on these skilled professionals for much of what it takes to build and maintain our highways, roads, bridges, buildings, housing and public lands.

Career Services

ATS provides the tools, resources, and assistance that are invaluable in making the dream of being a heavy equipment operator, crane operator, or commercial truck driver a reality. Our Career Services personnel have over 50 years of experience helping people find jobs in the following industries:

- Road & Bridge Construction
- Public & Private Utilities
- Sewer & Water Works
- Oil, Gas & Energy Industries
- City, County, State, & Federal Governments
- Commercial & Residential Construction
- Mining, Sand & Gravel
- Forestry & Public Land Management

ATS provides its students and graduates with the following services designed to help our customers find employment:

Employment Assistance

ATS works personally with each student during training and then provides each student with a list of potential employers in their local area. Many graduates will go to work for the company they have targeted all along.

Employer Database

All ATS graduates are provided access to our Job Leads Database which contains the name and contact information for thousands of employers nationally. The Career Services Department continually adds new potential employers throughout the country and enters them into this database.

Career Services Website

All ATS graduates have free unlimited access to www.TotalResourcesNetwork.com website. This website allows students to post their resume which may be viewed by prospective employers, and allows prospective employers to post their job openings which are searchable by ATS graduates.

Soft Skills Training

While in school, students will receive training in skills essential to finding a job. These skills include employment application procedures, interviewing techniques, networking methods, and more. ATS personnel have years of industry experience, many as foreman, superintendents, and small business owners. They know what it takes to find a job and they pass on the valuable lessons they've learned both working and hiring in the industry.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS: FEBRUARY 2021

Crane and Tower Operators

2022 MEDIAN PAY: \$68,040 per year | \$32.71 per hour

Construction Equipment Operators

2022 MEDIAN PAY: \$62,180 per year | \$29.89 per hour

Over 60 years, 50 acres, 75 pieces of equipment, and 50 personnel on hand.

HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATION

The Heavy Equipment Training Programs are comprehensive, industry developed and nationally recognized curricula. Students are taught heavy equipment operation using a variety of heavy equipment and in a classroom setting.

These programs are designed to give students the fundamental skills and knowledge needed to operate many different types of heavy equipment and obtain employment in many different industries.



Heavy Equipment Training Program – I

3 weeks: \$7,995

- Backhoes
- Skid Steers
- Wheel Loaders
- Rough-Terrain Forklifts
- Off-Road Dump Trucks

Additional information covered during the training includes:

- Heavy Equipment Safety
- Grades
- Site Layout

Heavy Equipment Training Program – II

Prerequisite: Heavy Equipment - I

3 weeks: \$7,000

- Scrapers
- Excavators
- Bulldozers
- Motor Graders

Additional information covered during the training includes:

- Interpreting Civil Drawings
- Site Work
- Dozer Laser
- Loading and Transporting
- First Aid & Basic CPR

Class-A Commercial Drivers License (CDL)

3 weeks: \$3,795

- Pre-Trip Inspection
- Class-A CDL Road Test
- Behind the Wheel Training

Information subject to change without notice.

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SCAN TO VIEW VIDEO

CRANE OPERATION & RIGGER/SIGNALPERSON

ATS offers crane operator and rigger/signalperson training designed to help the student pass the written and practical exams administered by the National Commission for the Certification of Crane Operators (NCCCO) TM. NCCCO certification meets or exceeds Federal OSHA requirements for crane operation, riggers, and signalpersons.



Mobile Crane Operations – I

3 weeks: \$7,995

- Fixed Cab (small hydraulic) Mobile Cranes
- Swing Cab (large hydraulic) Mobile Cranes
- Upon successful completion of NCCCO written and practical exams, certification will be issued by National Commission for Certification of Crane Operators (NCCCO)

Mobile Crane Operations – II

Prerequisite: Mobile Crane - I
3 weeks: \$7,000

- Articulated Boom Cranes
- Lattice Boom Cranes
- Upon successful completion of NCCCO written and practical exams, certification will be issued by National Commission for Certification of Crane Operators (NCCCO)

Tower Crane & Digger Derrick

3 weeks: \$7,000

- Self Erecting Tower Cranes
- Digger Derricks
- Upon successful completion of NCCCO written and practical exams, certification will be issued by National Commission for Certification of Crane Operators (NCCCO)

Rigger/Signalperson Certification

1 week: \$2,000

Exceeds OSHA qualification standard for rigger and signalperson requirements

- Includes written and practical training and testing
- Upon successful completion of NCCCO written and practical exams, certification will be issued by National Commission for Certification of Crane Operators (NCCCO)



Associated Training Services fully endorses the national certification program offered by the National Commission for the Certification of Crane Operators (NCCCO) TM, and will prepare candidates for the NCCCO certification examinations.

Financial assistance, school-owned housing, and nationwide employment assistance.

Housing Facilities Are Available

ATS DORMITORY

650 Schiller Street
Sun Prairie, WI 53590

Check in from 3:00 pm to 10:00 pm the day before class.

The ATS dormitory is located at Hwy 151 (exit 102) and Hwy 19. Proceed east on Hwy 19, turn left at Burger King (Schiller Street). The dormitory is at the end of the street. Associated Training Services is located approximately 5 miles North on Hwy 151 at exit 108.

The school offers financial assistance to cover the cost of your housing at our dormitory. If you need housing, we will reserve a dormitory room to cover your total length of training. The dormitory is easy walking distance to restaurants, grocery stores and shopping centers. The dormitory provides 62 rooms that include cable TV, internet access, air conditioning, microwaves, refrigerators, and laundry facilities.

CLASS CALENDAR

HEAVY EQUIPMENT, CRANE OPERATION, RIGGER/SIGNALING

Monday, June 19, 2023	Monday, April 15, 2024
Monday, July 10, 2023	Monday, May 6, 2024
Monday, July 31, 2023	Tuesday, May 28, 2024
Monday, August 21, 2023	Monday, June 17, 2024
Monday, September 11, 2023	Monday, July 8, 2024
Monday, October 2, 2023	Monday, July 29, 2024
Monday, October 23, 2023	Monday, August 19, 2024
Monday, November 13, 2023	Monday, September 9, 2024
Monday, December 4, 2023	Monday, September 30, 2024
Tuesday, January 2, 2024	Monday, October 21, 2024
Monday, January 22, 2024	Monday, November 11, 2024
Monday, February 12, 2024	Monday, December 2, 2024
Monday, March 4, 2024	
Monday, March 25, 2024	



EMPLOYER PAID SPECIALIZED TRAINING

National Credentials

- National credentials ensures you are receiving quality, industry recognized training.

Competitive Pricing

- Over fifty years in a family owned business ensures you are getting the very best value.



Your Site or Ours

- ATS instructors will travel to your site to train and test your employees on your equipment.
- ATS offers training at our location every three weeks.

Customized Curricula

- ATS will customize the length and content of the curriculum to meet your specific training needs.

Customized Training Offerings:

- Mobile Cranes
- Lattice Boom Cranes
- Articulated Boom Cranes
- Tower Cranes
- Digger Derricks
- Overhead Cranes
- Rigging
- Signalperson
- Heavy Equipment Skills & Safety
- Lift Director
- Crane Inspector



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