

Students...
are **challenged** by
the **rigor** and **engaged**
by the **relevance.**



They will **start careers, build earning prospects**
and be **positioned** to become the country's next
leaders and **entrepreneurs.**



– U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
2012 REPORT: INVESTING IN AMERICA'S FUTURE



START YOUR SUCCESS STORY

Each year more than 2,500 students graduate from MATC degree and diploma programs. Their success as they build careers (86% of the class of 2012 degree graduates are employed) proves the tremendous value of an MATC education. Local employers rely on our graduates. Our students learn by doing, and you will receive hands-on career preparation on new technologies.

MATC'S BEST STUDENT RESOURCES ARE OUR FACULTY MEMBERS

- They are experts in their academic fields and accessible to their students.
- The average classroom/lab student-to-teacher ratio is 18:1.
- Smaller class sizes mean more individual attention, and student success.

18:1

We are a dynamic, diverse learning environment that makes a positive difference. I invite you to be among the next class of MATC success stories.

Michael L. Burke, Ph.D.

President

MATC OFFERS 170 CAREER-CENTERED PROGRAMS IN THESE AREAS:

AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND NATURAL RESOURCES

- ARCHITECTURE AND CONSTRUCTION • ARTS, AUDIO AND VISUAL COMMUNICATIONS • BUSINESS, MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION • EDUCATION AND TRAINING • FINANCE • HEALTH SCIENCES • HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM • INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY • LAW, PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY • MANUFACTURING • MARKETING SALES AND SERVICE • SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS • TRANSPORTATION, DISTRIBUTION AND LOGISTICS • TRANSFER PROGRAMS TO FOUR-YEAR UNIVERSITIES

Bachelor's degree graduates average **\$26,600 in student loan debt** – that's a mandatory monthly repayment of \$306 (unsubsidized loan) or \$262 (subsidized loan) for 10 years.

DETAILS AT: DIRECT.ED.GOV/CALC.HTML

BACHELOR'S DEGREE
\$44,900
average starting salary

Associate degree graduates earn an average of **\$400,000 more** in a lifetime than high school graduates.

– U.S. CENSUS BUREAU

ASSOCIATE DEGREE
\$37,200
average starting salary

TECHNICAL DIPLOMA
\$30,150
average starting salary

JOB
\$11/hr
average starting wage
High school graduate

MATC
\$4,140
TUITION
30 CREDITS
(1 YEAR)

MATC
\$9,100
TUITION
66 CREDITS
(2 YEARS)

MATC
\$11,400
TUITION
64 CREDITS
(2 YEARS)
UNIVERSITY TRANSFER
(+2 YEARS)
at the college of your choice

\$38,000
AVERAGE PUBLIC, IN-STATE TUITION (4 YEARS)
\$108,500
AVERAGE PRIVATE TUITION (4 YEARS)

4 YEARS

3 YEARS

2 YEARS

1 YEAR

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FOUR-YEAR COLLEGE/
University



Many high school graduates start at a two-year college. Research shows completing the first two years at MATC leads to **SUCCESS** at a four-year college/university.



86% of 2012 MATC associate degree graduates were **employed within six months** of graduation.



MATC offers **22 PROGRAMS** with starting salaries over **\$40,000**.

COMMITMENT TO YOUR SUCCESS



“MATC’s four-year college transfer classes prepared me exceedingly well to start my bachelor’s degree program at UW-Milwaukee.”

– **Josh Sarnowski**,
former MATC Liberal Arts
and Sciences student
currently enrolled at UWM

PROMOTING STUDENT SUCCESS

Student services at our four campuses are included with your tuition and will support you throughout your MATC academic journey and beyond:

- ✓ Career planning
- ✓ Counseling
- ✓ Academic advising
- ✓ An active student life (professional organizations, clubs and sports)
- ✓ Multicultural services
- ✓ Academic support centers (writing, math, science, technology and tutoring support)
- ✓ Library with extensive digital-based research and reference materials
- ✓ Student accommodation services
- ✓ Student and graduate employment services

TECHNICAL SKILLS:

MUST-HAVES IN THE NEW ECONOMY

Virtually all careers require technical skills. Employers expect their new employees to have a working knowledge, or better, of today’s technologies. MATC is the leader in technical skills training for 170 career areas.

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**HANDS-ON, QUALITY EDUCATION FROM INSTRUCTORS
WHO ARE EXPERTS IN THEIR FIELDS.**





HIGH QUALITY

REAL-WORLD EXPERIENCE USING LATEST TECHNOLOGIES

97%

97% OF MATC GRADUATES ARE VERY SATISFIED/SATISFIED WITH THEIR MATC EDUCATION AND TRAINING.

Source: July 2013 MATC Graduate Employment Report

HOT CAREERS, 100% JOB PLACEMENT

Many MATC programs have employment placement rates of 85%, 90% and 100% of their graduates. MATC graduates also earn competitive starting salaries. See Grad Report: <http://tinyurl.com/nawaolx>

MOST COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES ACROSS THE U.S., INCLUDING THE UW SYSTEM AND MARQUETTE, ACCEPT MATC FOUR-YEAR COLLEGE TRANSFER CREDITS

Start your bachelor's degree at MATC: Earn your Associate in Arts or Associate in Science degree in two years (or less), then enter the four-year college or university as a junior.

THOUSANDS OF FOUR-YEAR COLLEGE GRADUATES ENROLL AT MATC

Nearly 4,000 students with bachelor's degrees enroll at MATC each year, seeking to gain technical skills to increase their employment options. Earning an MATC degree or diploma provides targeted, technical career skills, providing students with a competitive edge sought by local employers.

“We rely on **MATC graduates**. The college is a **fantastic resource for talented graduates**. I am amazed at how well MATC keeps up with changes in our industry.”

– **Ron Trilling**, co-owner and partner, Milwaukee-based **Media Dynamics**

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MATC OFFERS 85 ASSOCIATE DEGREES AND 52 TECHNICAL DIPLOMA PROGRAMS.



CONVENIENT

CLOSE TO HOME



FOUR FULL-SERVICE CAMPUSES

With four campus locations throughout the metropolitan area, one is near your home. You can start and complete many programs at a campus that is most convenient for you. We offer an exceptional education at a great value and we are in your neighborhood.

WE'RE ONLINE TOO

Many programs are entirely or partially online, and we offer hundreds of online courses, including more than 50 in Liberal Arts and Sciences/four-year college transfer.

TOUR MATC'S STATE-OF-THE-ART LABS AND FACILITIES

Visiting MATC can help you decide if hands-on, career-centered education works for you. To visit our innovative classrooms and labs arrange a tour through <http://tinyurl.com/pgt8myj>

WANT MORE INFORMATION?

MATC.EDU/LEARNMORE

“My son made a **great choice**. He is gaining innovative skills for a **rewarding career**. MATC is high quality, close to home, **convenient** and **affordable**.”

– **Ann Flick**, mother of current MATC Automotive Technology student Brian Flick

 **MILWAUKEE AREA *Technical College***



Downtown Milwaukee Campus
700 West State Street
414-297-MATC



Mequon Campus
5555 West Highland Road
262-238-2200



Oak Creek Campus
6665 South Howell Avenue
414-571-4500



West Allis Campus
1200 South 71st Street
414-456-5500



AFFORDABILITY

FULL-TIME TUITION (12 CREDITS)



“MATC was my **first-choice college** option to reach my professional goals. I have limited college funds and this two-year program will get me to my career faster.”

– **Santana Henderson**,
MATC Surgical
Technology student



SAVE THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS

Compare full-time tuition (12 credits):

- MATC associate degree or technical diploma program: \$1,656
- MATC four-year college transfer associate degree: \$2,174
- Four-year public college/university: \$4,200
- Four-year private college/university: \$12,000

BOTTOM LINE: MATC is the region’s most affordable college education option. Through our four-year college transfer programs, students can complete the first two years of a four-year degree at MATC, making a baccalaureate degree more affordable. MATC graduates typically have much less student debt than four-year college graduates.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS are awarded each year to MATC students by the MATC Foundation.

More than 70% of MATC students receive financial aid, grants and scholarships to help finance their education.



\$37,200

Average annual starting salary for MATC associate degree graduates. Associate degrees are designed to be completed in two years of full-time study.

\$30,150

Average annual starting salary of MATC technical diploma graduates. Most technical diplomas are designed to be completed in one year of full-time study.

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97% OF MATC GRADUATES LIVE AND WORK IN WISCONSIN, MOST LIVE IN THE MILWAUKEE AREA.



HOW TO

APPLY FOR ADMISSION

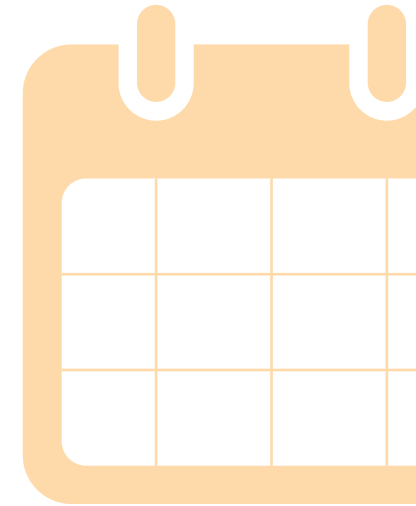


HOW TO . . . APPLY TO MATC

- Use the application at matc.edu/student/Admissions/index.cfm
- Click on Step 1: Apply for Admission (You will need to know which degree or diploma program you want to enroll in)

APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID

- Apply at fafsa.ed.gov as soon as possible
- MATC associate degrees and technical diploma programs are financial aid eligible (Use school code: 003866)
- MATC Financial Aid Office receives your Student Aid Report (SAR) information directly from the U.S. Department of Education
- More information: <http://tinyurl.com/ndwxp2p>



FALL SEMESTER

- Starts late August
- Apply mid-April (or) October 1 of your senior year
- Program application deadline is typically mid-August

SPRING SEMESTER

- Starts late January
- Apply starting October 1
- Program application deadline is typically mid-December

“Thanks to my instructors and all that I learned in the program, I am well prepared for a **career**. I have a desire to learn more, and I have found my career calling.”

– Breeanne Glavan-Johnson (left)
2013 Baking and Pastry Arts program graduate

UNDECIDED ABOUT A CAREER?

Not a problem. With 170 affordable program options, MATC is a smart place to start. Our Career Counseling staff is here to help.

Complete the Wisconsin Technical College System Career Interest Questionnaire to learn which careers match your interests. <http://tinyurl.com/q674xuf>

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MOST STUDENTS ATTEND MATC TO PREPARE FOR A JOB, TO MAKE A CAREER CHANGE OR TO PREPARE FOR FUTURE EDUCATION.





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Downtown Milwaukee
700 West State Street

Mequon
5565 West Highland Road

Oak Creek
6665 South Howell Avenue

West Allis
1200 South 71st Street

For more information: matc.edu or 414-297-MATC

MATC is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, Commission on Institutions of Higher Education, the national standard in accrediting colleges and schools for distinction in academics and student services.

MATC is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Institution and complies with all requirements of the Americans With Disabilities Act.