



CAD-CAM Certificate Program Career / Transfer / Internship Information

Career Options and Potential Earnings:

- CAD Operator / AutoCAD Technician
 - Entry Level: \$32,000 \$37,000
 - Average for New Jersey (all experience levels): \$57,204
- Drafters
 - Entry Level: \$33,000-\$38,000
 - Average for New Jersey (all experience levels)
 - Architectural/Civil Drafter: \$54,260
 - Electrical/Electronics Drafter: \$64,600
 - Mechanical Drafter: \$66,160
 - Other Drafters: \$56,800

*Specific qualifications vary by employer; some employers accept a certificate and some require the Associate degree.

Supplementing the Associate's degree with appropriate certifications may result in salary increases.

Source: Payscale.com (2016); Occupational Handbook Employment Statistics (2015).

Potential Employers:

- Manufacturing companies S&S Manufacturing Co., Beumer
- Construction companies K. Hovnanian Companies, Empire City Iron Works
- Architectural/Engineer firms Zampolin & Associates, Urban Architecture

Transfer Options:

- Kean University
- Rutgers University New Brunswick
- Rutgers University Newark
- Montclair State University
- Fairleigh Dickinson University
- Or explore your preferred transfer institution requirements using the New Jersey Transfer website at https://www.njtransfer.org/

Internship Options:

- Search for internships in your chosen field here: <u>http://www.internships.com/</u>
- Or stop by the Union County College Student Services Center.