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May, 2017

The Pacific NW Heating Cooling Association Serving Oregon and SW Washington

May 3rd @ NW College of Construction NATE CEU Training



7.0 CEU Credits



Rick Streacker

There are always a lot of questions about NATE certification. For any of your technicians who have a NATE certification, this is not a one-time deal. NATE requires that each person participate in ongoing training to maintain their certification. NATE requires 16 CEU hours every two years, in order to keep the certification active. The May 2nd session will give attendees 7 NATE CEU hours of credit toward their requirements

There are two ways to recertify. The first is the least expensive method and is the subject of our May 3rd training day:

1. Complete 16 continuing education hours (CEU) in your specialty and apply for recertification before your certification lapses.

Submit an application for recertification and any copies of certificates from courses that are not on your record, this includes non-recognized courses. You can check your record via your login at www.myNATE.org.

To receive credit for non-recognized courses, NATE requires you to provide a Certificate of Attendance from the training

provider, including your name, class hours, contact information and course description with your application. NATE has created a NATE Continuing Education Hours Attendance Form for the training provider to complete and sign for you if a standard Certificate of Attendance is not provided.

2. Or the more expensive route, retake your specialty exam before your certification lapses.

As you did before, contact a testing organization to schedule your testing. By taking your NATE Certification Specialty Test you will be recertified for another full certification period. As long as your certification has not expired you do not have to retake the core exam.

Taking the first option, ORACCA offers a Technician Training Day, Tuesday, May 2, 2017, at the NW College of Construction., 8111 NE Holman St, Portland, OR 97218. This session runs from 7:30AM to 3:00PM, with lunch provided by Thermal Supply. Have your dispatcher plan your technician's day starting with training at NWCC.

Our presenter, Rick Streacker, National Training Manager for Packard. will cover a wide range of subjects, starting with *basic electricity*. He'll work from there to motors, sizing, matching horse power, capacitors and proper diagnosing of problems.

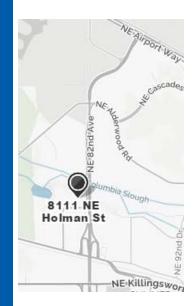


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What?

NATE CEU Technician Training for 2017

When?

7:30AM, May 2nd. at NW College of Construction 8111 NE Holman St. Portland, OR. 97218



Oregon Air Conditioning Contractors Association

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Registration Form May 2nd Training Day Return the completed form and make check payable to:

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NATE Test, May 17, 2017, NW Natural, Portland, OR.

Brazing Certification Test, June 16, 2017, PCC @ Swan Island Facilty

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EDUCATION/ APPRENTICESHIP TRADE SHOW/ PROMOTION A. January 5 Utility Program Roundtable w/ ETO, PGE, NWN, etc. NATE CEU

Planning Ahead

- A January 19 Codes Update@NW Natural, Sherwood NATE CEU (1.0)
- B. February 2 Honeywell @ MarHy NATE CEU (1.0)
- C. March 9- GENSCO Presentation @ NW Coll. of Constr. NATE CEU (1.0)
- D. April 6 Mfg. Reps Presentation @ NW Natural, Sherwood-NATE CEU (1.0)
- D April 20 Codes Update@PGE Wilsonville NATE CEU (1.0)
- E. May 2 Thermal Training Day @ NW Coll. of Constr. NATE CEU (7.0)
- F. June 1 Johnson Air Presentation @ Johnson Air- NATE CEU (1.0)
- G. July 17 Golf Tournamnet Oregon City Golf Course
- G July 20 Codes Update@NW Natural, Sherwood NATE CEU (1.0)
- H. August No Meeting
- I. Sept. 7 ETO Presentation @ NW Coll. of Constr. NATE CEU (1.0)
- J. Sept 9 Shoot Out Canby Rod & Gun Club
- K. Oct. 5 Thermal Presentation @ NW Coll. of Constr. NATE CEU (1.0)
- K October 19 Codes Update@NW Natural, Sherwood NATE CEU (1.0)
- L. Nov. 2 Johnstone Presentation @ NW Coll. of Constr. NATE CEU (1.0)
- M. Dec. 7 Xmas Party @ Lennox

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