



A Food Processing Skills Canada Premier Program

# STAC

Skills Training Atlantic Canada

Future Proofing the Food and Beverage Processing Workforce In Atlantic Canada.

## JUST THE FACTS



### Skills Training Atlantic Canada

(STAC) is a new program developed by Food Processing Skills Canada and partners to advance skills training in Atlantic Canada's food and beverage manufacturing workforce.

### The program has three training streams:

1. New Hires & Seasonal Workers
2. Frontline Workers
3. Supervisors

Food and beverage manufacturers and related businesses in Nova Scotia, PEI, New Brunswick, and Newfoundland & Labrador are eligible to apply.

The first cohort for Supervisor training begins on **January 18, 2021**. Cohorts for New Hires & Seasonal Workers and Frontline Workers will follow shortly after.

Interested in learning more? Email [dmcgowan@fpssc-ctac.com](mailto:dmcgowan@fpssc-ctac.com)

Interested in registering your company? [Pre-register here.](#)

### How does the program work?

- STAC provides comprehensive, online training to strengthen employee teams in Atlantic Canada, all at **NO COST**.
- Canada's Learning & Recognition Framework guides competency-based training and is validated as the industry's learning pathway.
- The STAC program will transform your workforce into confident digital learners through a blended learning approach that includes; onboarding, regular check-ins, goal-driven content, coaching, gamification and self-directed technical and social learning.
- Training is available for up to 20 participants per company.
- Curriculum includes courses in;
  - Essential skills such as *Numeracy* and *Working with Others*
  - Food Safety and technical and such as *Quality Assurance* and *Sanitation*
  - Operational and leadership skills including *Supervise Employee Performance* and *Monitoring Budget*
  - Emotional intelligence skills such as *Adaptability* and *Empathy* featuring the **Acahkos Program**. *The Acahkos Program is a goal-driven learning experience to build emotional intelligence and leadership development skills using coaching touchpoints.*
- Curriculum is aligned to 3 levels of the Framework requiring 55-70 hours to complete.
  - Workplace Essentials
  - Level 1 Foundations
  - Level 3 Supervisors
- Participant graduation packages and microcredentialling promise skilled employees. Employer participation guarantees an improved company culture with a commitment to continuous learning.



Food Processing Skills Canada (FPSC) is the food and beverage manufacturing industry's workforce development organization. As a non-profit, located in Ottawa with representatives across Canada, we support food and beverage manufacturing businesses from coast to coast in developing skilled and professional employees and workplace environments.

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