



Articulation Agreement between
HVAC Excellence And
The United Association For
**Advanced Placement in an
HVACR Apprenticeship Program**

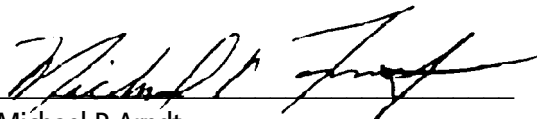
Administered by a Local Union of the United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Industry of the United States and Canada (UA).

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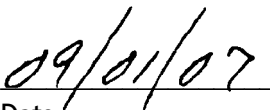
This agreement between the UA and HVAC Excellence is effective on August 24, 2007 and continues in force unless otherwise notified in writing and canceled by either party. This articulation agreement establishes advanced placement in a local union's HVACR apprenticeship program for applicants who have met all of the requirements as outlined below.

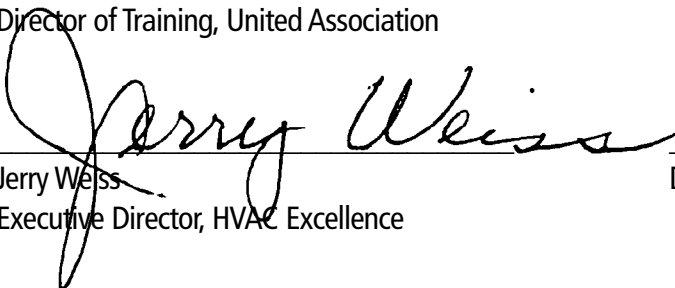
1. The UA apprentice program applicant must have completed a full time HVAC Excellence accredited program and pass a series of HVAC Excellence Employment Ready certification exams, and that the Institution's HVACR program is in good standing with and accredited by HVAC Excellence for a minimum of five years.
2. Applicants to the UA Apprentice program must have completed an HVAC program at the accredited institution within one year of UA apprentice application.
3. The UA applicant must have had a C average or better AND have a satisfactory grade on six HVAC Excellence Employment Ready examinations. The six examinations that must have a satisfactory achieved score are: Electrical, Air Conditioning, Electric Heat, Light Commercial Air Conditioning, Light Commercial Refrigeration, and one of three Heating Exams. (Gas, Oil, or Heat Pumps)
4. The UA apprentice applicant will be granted, at a minimum one year's credit and start their UA training in the second year of HVACR apprenticeship.
5. The Local Union's training director may require the apprentice to complete the program's required safety courses, such as OSHA 10, or History courses such as UA Heritage, in addition to the regular advanced placement requirements.

It is the Apprentice applicant's responsibility to provide all documentation as required for this advanced placement.

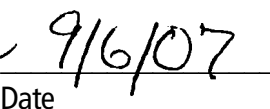


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