

Advanced Manufacturing Career Pathways/Advanced Manufacturing Technician 5th North American Conference

May 14-16, 2018 (Reception/Registration on the evening of May 14)

**St. Philip's College-Southwest Campus and Southwest Legacy High School
San Antonio, Texas**

Hosted by AMCP Partners:

*TX FAME-Alamo Chapter / Alamo Colleges District/St. Phillip's College-Southwest Campus/ and
the TOYOTA North American Production Support Center (NAPSC)*



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PURPOSE/OUTCOMES

- Develop Program Leaders for local and national success.
- Go-and-See benchmarking of the host program.
- Highlight, recognize, and develop AMT Students.
- Training for key AMCP/AMT activities and initiatives.
- Sharing of best practices from all programs.
- Securing a common national vision and path.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

AMT Key Stakeholders:

- Members of FAME (employer collaborative), including company management, AMT program leaders, etc.
- 4 or more AMT students (recommend two 2nd year and two 1st year) from each program.
- AMB students who have embarked on the next phase of their development and educational growth.
- Administration and faculty from the local AMT College Partner.
- Individuals as selected by local employers.
- Other attendees with a value-added interest (government/economic development/education/researchers/ etc.).

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:

- **NEW ACTIVITY:** AMT Skilled Competition! (Details will be provided in a subsequent communication)
- **TX Workforce Summit**, optional but powerful event on Monday before the conference.
- **Welcome Reception** on May 14.
- **Future Direction and Development** of FAME and the AMT Program.
- **The Parade of Programs!** Presentations by the attending teams of each AMT program, reporting the status, practices, and highlights of their local programs.
- **Go-and See Benchmarking** of the TX FAME/Alamo chapter's College Partner, offering a close-up assessment of their program, the Advanced Manufacturing Center, students, faculty, and signature AMT practices.
- **Best Practice Highlights.** Selected presentations from the best practices nationally.
- **College Partner Round Table** for attendees from the AMT College Partners.
- Updates on **AMB (Business)** and **AME (Engineering)** programs.
- **Diversity session** on recruiting and strengthening retention and success in the AMT Program.
- **Employer networking** for attendees from the collaborating FAME companies in the AMT and AMB Programs.
- Learn about **Alamo Academies** and **Southwest Legacy High School** – two high school AMT feeder programs.
- **San Antonio Fun!** Organized activities to enjoy the unique offerings of San Antonio, including the **Alamo**, the nationally famous **Riverwalk**, and **dinner on a boat** on the gorgeous Riverwalk canals.
- *More coming! Look for future announcements!*



CONFERENCE Information/Registration - www.fame-usa.com/conference2018



ACTION

- **Select your attendees and indicate interest now at the conference link. Seating is limited.**
- **Please ensure that AMT students attend. This is a key development activity for them.**
- **Direct questions to:**
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 - Pooja Tripathi – Bexar County (San Antonio) Economic Development** (edsi@bexar.org)
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