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FACILITIES OPERATIONS & MANAGEMENT

Become an in-demand professional in the facilities operations field

About the career

Facility management professionals ensure those working in buildings and those using buildings are in a safe, comfortable, and healthy environment. They are also tasked with operating facilities effectively and efficiently.

They are able to manage maintenance priorities and communicate and collaborate with those who own, use, and repair the facility. They understand the basics of building systems, from electrical to heating and cooling, as well as how to manage assets and services crucial to the operation of the facility.

Most importantly, they are able to handle day-to-day building operations and think strategically, so that space, asset, and energy usage are optimized.

The degree

- ▶ Dunwoody offers an **Associate of Applied Science** degree in Facilities Operations & Management
- ▶ The program takes **four semesters** to complete
- ▶ Classes are offered in the **evening**

Key topics

The program's curriculum is designed to give you both the technical and soft skills needed to succeed in the position.

Topics include:

- Building systems and operations
- Stakeholder relationships and communications
- Preventative and predictive maintenance

Dunwoody's approach

You will use the Dunwoody campus as a living laboratory, which provides experience with old, new, and modern spaces, including a recently remodeled Welcome Center and Learning Commons. Coursework combines lecture and lab and will introduce you to technologies used in modern facilities management—from electrical and HVAC systems to all the various software systems used for facility monitoring and management.

Sustainability

Sustainability is not only the right thing to do — but energy savings also cut down on operating costs. Because of its importance to the industry, Dunwoody has worked the concept of sustainability into all of its classes.

Accreditation information

Dunwoody's program has been designed consistent with the International Facilities Management Association's Facilities Management Accreditation Commission associate degree program standards and is planning to seek program accreditation.

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