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Appendix – Program Announcements & Promotional Materials

Calendar Year 2012, Quarter 1

January 1, 2012 – March 31, 2012

Program Title:

Efficiency Training Program (ETP)
NH Department of Resources and Economic Development (DRED) and
Lakes Region Community College (LRCC), Laconia, NH and
Plymouth Area Renewable Energy Initiative (PAREI), Plymouth, NH

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From: Constant Contact <support@constantcontact.com>
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To: Andrew Duncan
Subject: Your email BPI Envelope & Analyst Courses // Conference Season has been sent

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Dear Andy Duncan,

Your email, named All, Feb. 2: EP Course, Schedule & Confs, was sent on 02/02/2012 around 7:40 PM EST.

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Subject: BPI Envelope & Analyst Courses // Conference Season

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Hi Andy

We WILL be having an **Envelope Professional** 4-day course starting March 1. And there is still time to sign up for the Feb. 9 **Building Analyst** course. Both courses offer BPI certification testing, and both have a **Fast-Track** option for experienced energy auditors. Updates and more information on [LRCC ETP Training Calendar](#).

Building Analyst Energy Auditor with BPI Certification

Six Days: Feb. 9, 10, 16, 17, 23 & 24

Field review day Feb. 27. Optional BPI field exams start Feb. 28

Concord, NH

\$700 course & \$375 for optional BPI exams

Envelope Professional with BPI Certification

Four Days: Mar. 1, 2, 8 & 9 Optional BPI field exams start Mar. 13

Concord, NH

\$400 course & \$375 for optional BPI exams

Fast-Track BPI Building Analyst Certification

&

Fast-Track BPI Envelope Professional Certification

A certification-only option for experienced energy auditors who are already familiar with BPI knowledge areas.

Infrared for Weatherization and Energy Audits

Two Days: March 15 & 16 Laconia, NH
\$400 Eligible for BPI CEUs.

To register or for more information reply to this email, call Lakes Region Community College at 603-524-3207 x6629, or visit the Efficiency Training Program on the web at <http://www.lrcc.edu/energy/training>

More **PAREI Housewarming** volunteer workshops and mentoring **field experiences** events coming up as well. Contact [Zak Brohinsky](#) for more information.

Spring workshops and courses will be available soon!

Conference Season!

Several excellent conferences coming up, most eligible for BPI CEUs. Click on titles for links:

[Better Buildings by Design](#)

Feb. 8 & 9 Burlington, VT \$300 by Efficiency Vermont
Retrofit / new construction, residential / commercial. Excellent line-up.

[Building Energy 2012](#)

Mar. 6, 7 & 8 Boston, MA \$595 by Northeast Sustainable Energy Assn.
A big conference and trade show with many sustainable energy tracks.

[ACI National Home Performance Conference 2012](#)

Mar. 26, 27, 28, 29 & 30 Baltimore, MD \$875
THE national conference for the home energy performance field. First time on the east coast in several years. Worth a special trip.

[Local Energy Solutions Conference](#)

Mar. 31 Penacook, NH \$30 by the NH Local Energy Working Group
Fourth annual conference for all involved in NH sustainable energy at the local level.
Great speakers and inspiration; bargain registration.

[Button Up New Hampshire](#)

Winter - Spring 2012 workshops throughout NH communities FREE
Introductory Button Up 101 and in-depth Button Up 201 free energy saving workshops aimed at homeowners. Tips for DIY'ers and for working with energy professionals.
Curriculum developed in part by LRCC.

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Your email, named Alumni- Jobs, BlwrDoor LES tix, was sent on 03/28/2012 around 6:50 PM EDT.

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Hi Andy

Several job openings, a used blower door for sale, and free conference tickets. Read on...

Free Ticket Offer for March 31 Local Energy Solutions Conference

A limited number of passes are available to NH residents to attend the 4th Annual Local Energy Solutions Conference who have **not** attended a LES Conference in the past. Tickets are available on a first come-first served basis.

The NH Division of Economic Development would like to invite you and your friends to attend the [Local Energy Solutions Conference](#) Saturday, March 31st in Penacook, NH (just north of Concord near I-93).

This is a great networking and learning opportunity. See the conference web site for a full program. Contact Karen.cramton@dred.state.nh.us to reserve a free pass -- www.nheconomy.com

Minneapolis Blower Door for Sale

Minneapolis Blower Door for sale. Includes DG-700 w/hoses and mounting bracket, fan, door frame and panel and brief case. Asking price is \$1,800. Contact James Drolet, jamesdrolet@gmail.com.

Energy Auditor / Project Manager Position at Turn Cycle Solutions

Turn Cycle Solutions seeks an qualified individual to conduct BPI level energy audits of residential homes; produce reporting/modeling in TREAT software; provide photos of field findings and reporting data; and process documentation with utility programs. Requires punctual arrival and departure from site, and tidy appearance.

The individual will also act as a Project Manager: Work with owner to produce estimates for energy reduction work; review of time sheets and subcontractor invoicing; onsite overview of projects; installation of certain energy reduction measures. Carpentry experience helpful.

Position is 25-40 hours/week based in Nashua, NH. Contact mike@turncyclesolutions.com for complete job description and application process.

Renewable Energy Program Administrator at NH Electric Co-op

Abilities & Skills: Must be able to communicate program energy efficiency information effectively during phone and field conversations with members, sub-contractors and other utility personnel. Able to recommend energy efficiency improvements and demonstrate the use and benefits of various renewable energy technologies when appropriate is desired. Demonstrated ability to manage programs and/or projects within budget and time constraints. Must have effective written, oral and presentation skills. Must possess and exhibit effective leadership skills and be results oriented .

Job Knowledge: Must have working knowledge of renewable energy technologies and systems. Must have a working knowledge of generally accepted practices in conducting energy usage analysis. Knowledge of state and local building and safety codes preferred. Must have a working knowledge of building science technologies and installment of energy efficient measures .

Education and Experience: Bachelor's degree in Engineering or Environmental Science or equivalent education and experience required. Minimum of 5 years experience in developing and implementing renewable energy programs. Experience with the installation, inspection and monitoring of renewable energy systems strongly desired.

See www.nhec.com/careers for a full posting. Listing was posted March 9, 2012 and will be open until filled.

 Visit the Efficiency Training Program on the web at
<http://www.lrcc.edu/energy/training>
 Andy Duncan, tel. 603-524-3207 x6629.

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From: Max Brown
Sent: Thursday, March 29, 2012 9:46 AM
Subject: LRCC Energy Services Receives Donation

3/29/12

For Immediate Release; contact, Max Brown; Lakes Region Community College, Laconia, 524-3207

Photo: Lakes Region Community College (LRCC) Building Performance Institute (BPI) Adjunct Professor, Dr. Andy Duncan (Bow- foreground), explains how to use the Retro-Tec Duct Blaster to LRCC Energy Services Technology (EST) students, left to right, Tyler Slantz (Keene), Ryan Phinney (Meredith), Sean Donohue (Meredith), and Roy Pierce (Woodstock). A Duct Blaster is used to measure and find leakage from hot air ducts. Such leakage is often responsible for significant heat loss and extra expense to building owners.

The students are pictured with Duncan in LRCC's EST program's new energy simulator room. The Retro Tec Duct Blaster was generously donated to the EST program by the Retro-Tec company. The combination of simulator and equipment, like the Duct Blaster and Blower Door Testers, allows students to get hands-on experience in diagnosing heat loss issues in buildings.

LRCC's EST Program offers a 2-year Associate of Arts Degree in Energy Services Technology, the only such degree offered in Northern New England. The Program also offers BPI certification courses, as well as courses in photovoltaic (solar electric) installation leading to North American Board of Certified Energy Practitioners (NABCEP) Certification. For more information on EST learning opportunities contact LRCC EST Professor, Wes Golomb (Deerfield- not pictured), at (603) 524-3207 x6763.

(Photo taken by Wes Golomb)

About LRCC: Lakes Region Community College is a fully accredited, comprehensive community college located in the Lakes Region of New Hampshire that serves over 1,200 students annually. LRCC offers 23 associate degree programs including Nursing, Fire Technology, Energy Services, Media Arts, Culinary Arts, Automotive, and Marine Technology, as well as short-term certificate programs. In addition, LRCC provides a strong background in Liberal Arts for students who choose to do their first two years at a community college and then transfer to a four-year college or university for a baccalaureate degree. LRCC is part of the Community College System of New Hampshire.



TRAINING OVERVIEW

Help reduce homeowners' energy costs while doing a job you enjoy with Lakes Region Community College's **Weatherization Installer Technician** course. This hands-on course certifies students to become weatherization installer technicians with the opportunity for careers in energy performance contracting.

In this class, you will learn:

• How to install air sealing improvements in homes

• How to implement other energy efficiency techniques in buildings, including duct sealing, densepack insulation and mechanical ventilation

• An overview of insulation and air sealing principles, diagnostics tests and safety considerations



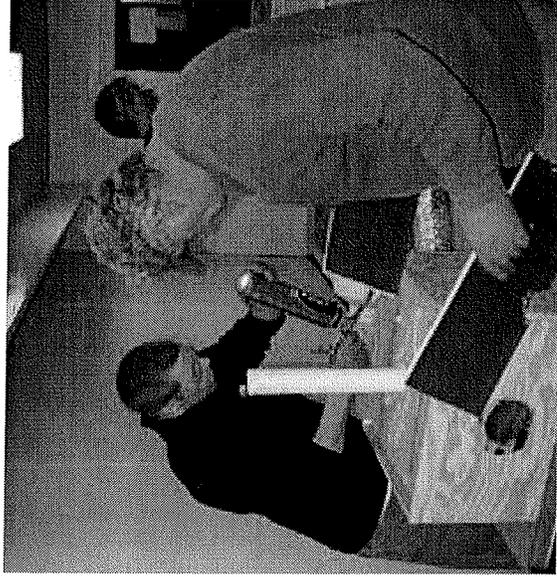
CERTIFICATION

BUILDING PERFORMANCE INSTITUTE CERTIFICATION

Students successfully completing this course will be eligible to take the optional Building Performance Institute's (BPI) "Residential Building Envelope Whole House Air Leakage Control Installer" (RBE-WH-ALCI) certification, which will be offered after the end of the course.



AFFILIATE ORGANIZATION



This Efficiency Training Program course is offered in conjunction with the NH Division of Economic Development and the Plymouth Area Renewable Energy Initiative. Funding from NH PUC's Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reduction Fund enables the course to be offered at substantially discounted tuition.

INFORMATION

FOUR DAYS—Thursdays & Fridays, January 26 & 27 and February 2 & 3
BPI ALCI Certification Tests start February 7 8:00 A.M.—4:00 P.M. in Plymouth, NH

EXPERT INSTRUCTORS. Limited class size. Course prerequisites include basic carpentry skills and ability to work in attics.

DISCOUNTED TUITION of \$700 includes all materials and safety gear. Optional BPI "Air Sealing Controller Installer" certification testing fee \$300.

FOR MORE INFORMATION



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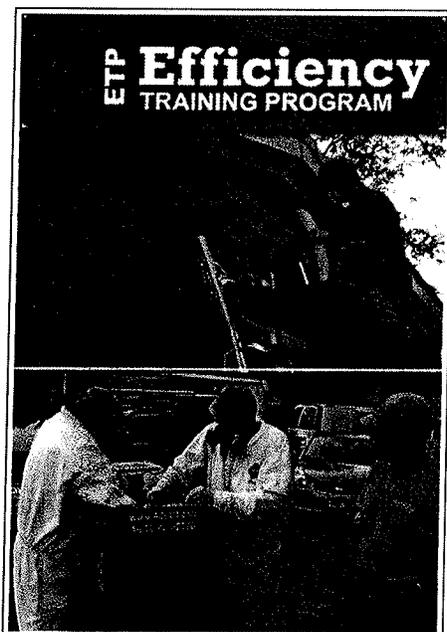


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Efficiency Training Program



In partnership with the Lakes Region Community College, the Plymouth Area Renewable Energy Initiative are working on providing on-the-ground experience for students, contractors, homeowners and New Hampshire residents in the field of energy efficiency. The goal of the Efficiency Training Program is to coordinate Installer Trainings, Short Term Courses, Housewarmings, Field Experiences, a regional Energy Equipment Rental Program and Demos. As the "green job" movement makes headway across the country, the Plymouth area is working tirelessly to provide residents and businesses the necessary tools to invest in itself.

Installer Trainings

The Lakes Region Community College and Plymouth Area Renewable Energy Initiative have collaborated to provide contractors, students, and building trades people opportunities to gain hands-on experience in the energy efficiency and weatherization field. Tools and techniques learned in these courses will allow professionals to market themselves to a wider clientele by providing more detailed, energy specific services.

Upcoming Training Schedule:

Weatherization Installer Technician –
January 26 & 27, February 2 & 3, 2012
Plymouth, New Hampshire

Building Analyst – February 9, 10, 16, 17, 23, 24, 2012
9:00am – 4:00pm at the Conservation Center, Concord, New Hampshire

Past Trainings:

Weatherization Installer Technician – November 10 & 11, 17 & 18, 2011, Plymouth, New Hampshire

Manufactured Housing Weatherization – September 15 & 16, 22 & 23, 2011, Plymouth, New Hampshire

Short Term Courses/Housewarmings

As a way to increase homeowner knowledge and awareness of energy issues and ways to reduce costs, Plymouth Area Renewable Energy Initiative has created several hands-on experiences for neighbors and friends to help each other. These types of introductory level courses are called Housewarmings and any homeowner or interested individual can be part.

PAREI is also working on creating several short (1/2 to full day) trainings as a way to streamline and inform all parties involved in the energy efficiency/weatherization field from homeowner to contractor to building supply store.

Upcoming Schedule:

Corey & Lisette Swartz Housewarming
Campton, New Hampshire
Early February 2012 – stay tuned for exact date!

Pat & Miranda Sutton Housewarming
Campton, New Hampshire

Mid- to late-February 2012 – stay tuned for exact date!

Energy Services Related Field Experiences

The Plymouth Area Renewable Energy Initiative is offering Field Experiences to help individuals increase their experience with conducting Energy Audits and Energy Efficiency Related Services. Contractors, Building Supply Stores, Homeowners are encouraged to sign up and (1) job shadow and/or (2) assist a BPI certified Energy Auditor. Each month PAREI Energy Auditors conduct several Energy Audits and other Energy Related Services and would like to open these opportunities up to interested individuals. Each opportunity is open to one (1) person unless otherwise mentioned and is based on a first-come first-serve basis.

Fill out the Energy Services Field Experience Sign Up sheet and email to zak@plymouthenergy.org so we can connect **you** with a professional Energy Auditor. Also, [tell us what you want to learn](#) and we make it happen!

Field Experiences Schedule:

Tamworth, New Hampshire

January 23rd, 2012 @ 9:00am

Energy Equipment Rental Program & Demos

Contractors, Property Managers, Hardware Store Employees, and DIY Homeowners can now take advantage of a great energy cost saving opportunity at [Rand's Hardware](#) through the [Energy Equipment Rental Program](#). This program will (1) help you get into the residential and business efficiency and weatherization field, (2) give you an ability to capitalize on business and homeowner requests for lower energy costs, and (3) reduce start-up costs.

This Efficiency Training Program course is offered in conjunction with the NH Division of Economic Development and the Plymouth Area Renewable Energy Initiative