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Lacombe, LA.— NORTHSHORE TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE OFFERS FULL-TUITION SCHOLARSHIP FOR MACHINE TOOL TECHNOLOGY

Lacombe, LA.—Northshore Technical Community College is accepting applications from Louisiana residents in the college’s five-parish service area (St. Tammany, Washington, St. Helena, Tangipahoa and Livingston) for full-tuition scholarships for Machine Tool Technology. The Machine Tool Technology Program prepares students to make parts from metals and plastics using lathes, mills, drill presses, grinders and hand tools for future employment in a global economy.

“The Workforce Machine Tool Technology scholarship fund provides scholarships to assist students who will enroll full-time in NTCC’s Machine Tool Technology program,” said **Dr. Jim Carlson, Vice-Chancellor for Strategic Initiatives**. “The recipient is selected by Northshore Technical Community College’s Scholarship Selection Committee. Applicants must have a high school diploma or successfully completed the HiSet exam, but they are not required to submit ACT or SAT scores.”

Additionally, students who apply for the scholarship must have a completed Free Application Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) on file at time of application, with Northshore Technical Community College’s School Code: 006756. Recipients of the scholarship must be registered full-time and declare a major in the Machine Tool Technology program at Northshore Technical Community College’s Sullivan Campus in Bogalusa, LA. **Applications are due by May 31, 2021**; however, qualified applicants will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

“At the end of each semester, Northshore Technical Community College will verify the student’s progress in the program to determine whether the student is eligible to receive the scholarship the following semester,” added Carlson. “Upon graduation, Northshore Technical Community College will request information from the scholarship recipient regarding certification testing outcomes and initial employment information.”

The scholarships are made possible through the Louisiana Community and Technical College System 2020 Rapid Response Grant. Scholarship details and the online application are available on the NTCC website at <https://www.northshorecollege.edu/financial-aid/scholarships>.

About Northshore Technical Community College

Northshore Technical Community College (NTCC) is a comprehensive college with a rich history of providing workforce training and academic pathways to universities across the state of Louisiana. Beyond the traditional classroom and workforce training opportunities, NTCC provides opportunities for students seeking our Adult Education, ESL, and YouthBuild programs. NTCC is comprised of its Main Campus in Lacombe, Hammond Area Campus, Florida Parishes Campus in Greensburg, Sullivan Campus in Bogalusa, and the new Livingston Parish Campus in Walker. In 2015, NTCC was recognized by the Brookings Institute as the first in the nation for economic value of its graduates. The Chronicle of Higher Education named NTCC in 2019 as seventh fastest growing colleges from 2007-2017. NTCC was also awarded the Top 50 Places to Work in New Orleans by the Times-Picayune in 2018 and 2019. If you would like more information about the Northshore Technical Community College, check us out at northshorecollege.edu.