



## **TRANSITION AGREEMENT**

The **British Columbia Institute of Technology** has a new program in Automated Wood Processing, providing education and hands-on skill building experiences, which will enable graduates to contribute to efficient, cost-effective processing of BC wood products.

Graduates have an excellent future in the wood products manufacturing sector, with job opportunities in the growing private sector manufacturing industry. Graduates of the Automated Wood Processing program work as operators of CNC equipment in secondary and tertiary wood manufacturing operations.

Wood processors and manufacturers in BC support this program, and have participated in curriculum development. Primary wood manufacturers in BC have also indicated an interest in the development of this program and the eventual hiring of its graduates.

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### **WoodLINKS Advance Credit**

*Students who have completed the "WoodLINKS" course in high school may qualify for advanced standing in the Automated Wood Processing program. Students should indicate that they have completed this course on their application form by responding "yes" to the Career Prep question, and writing WoodLINKS in the space provided.*

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