The 16-week certificate program is designed to train a new generation of technicians to work in the R&D, manufacturing, technical support, repair and maintenance of electric vehicles. This certificate program covers comprehensive topics of high voltage hybrid and electric vehicle technologies through lectures, and hands-on workshops. Students will have an opportunity to design, fabricate various components of an EV and convert an internal combustion car into a 100% electric car.

**Topics include:**
- Electrical principles and practice
- Development of electric vehicles
- High voltage vehicle safety & practice
- Hybrid engines
- Electric Motors
- Electric propulsion systems
- Electric circuit systems
- Power inverter systems
- DC-DC converter system
- Computerized system controllers
- Energy management systems
- Latest development in battery technologies
- Lithium ion battery technology
- Basic maintenance and repairs of hybrid vehicles
- First responder to an electric vehicle

**Requirements:**
AA degree or equivalent with at least 5 years of work experience in any industry. Must have electromechanical hands-on work experience. Prior experience in automechanics and electricity is desirable. All prospective students must pass an assessment test

**Course Schedule:**
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

**Starting Date:** June 11 - October 20, 2012 (subject to changes- please call 800-567-8184 for update)

**Location:** Cleantech Institute-Garden Grove

Tuition: Funded by the EDD and WIA and FREE to qualified candidates.

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