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Baldy View ROP Partners with Chaffey College to Offer Control Systems Technology Course Pathway

Through a partnership with Chaffey College funded from the Industry-Driven Regional Collaborative grant, local high school students will have the opportunity to explore Control Systems Technology, a prominent facet of construction and manufacturing that expects to see significant job growth in the immediate future.

The two-course pathway provides students with entry-level exposure to careers in manufacturing, distribution, logistics, engineering, and construction trades. The courses are taught in a hands-on, lab simulated environment. Students who complete both courses will earn California Occupational Safety and Health Administration (Cal/OSHA) and National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER) industry-recognized certifications. Upon graduating high school, students can continue their training at Chaffey College to further their education and prepare for high-demand employment.

Industry professionals project that 25% to 50% of the current workforce utilizing control systems technology will retire within the next 7-10 years, creating a work-skill gap in various industries that will need to be filled.

Enrollment is currently open and available to high school juniors and seniors at the Chaffey College Chino Education Center in downtown Chino.

For more information about the Control Systems Technology course or Baldy View ROP, please call 909-947-3400 or visit www.baldyviewrop.com.