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WITC sees significant increase in student enrollment

Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College begins its fall classes on Monday, August 24, and will be welcoming an increased number of students to its classrooms.

This enrollment increase can be credited in part to unemployed workers looking for training and students bypassing the time and cost of four-year universities.

Compared to last year, WITC has experienced an increase of 8 percent in the number of students enrolled in credit classes. The college also has a 5 percent increase in noncredit students.

The increase in online and flexible course delivery options is another attribute that is motivating enrollment in technical colleges. These options give students the opportunity to expand skill sets while accommodating busy work schedules.

Students who select WITC can choose from more than 100 career programs and certificates. For prospective students, the ability to obtain a degree in two years or less, as well as graduate with considerably less debt incurred from student loans, technical colleges are quickly becoming the first choice for those pursuing higher education.

WITC serves the educational and career needs of more than 25,000 residents of Northwestern Wisconsin each year. WITC offers career-focused associate degree programs, technical diplomas, customized training, and a wide array of courses for personal or career enrichment. WITC is a member of Wisconsin Technical College System. For more information, call 800.243.WITC or log onto witic.edu