WHAT IS THIRD PARTY ACCREDITATION?

Institutions must be accredited, certified, or approved by one of the following:

1) Governmental body recognizing workforce training, including the U.S. Dept. of Labor, the U.S. Veterans Affairs WEAMS Institutions, and other regional and national accredited trainers in renewable technologies;

2) Government approved Apprenticeship Programs;

3) Interstate Renewable Energy Council (IREC) Accredited Training Program or IREC Accredited Certificate Program for relevant technology (i.e., Photovoltaics, Solar Heating, or Small Wind);

4) National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCR) Accredited Training Sponsor for relevant technology (i.e., Solar Photovoltaics for PV Associate or Wind Turbine Maintenance Technician for Small Wind Associate);

5) NABCEP Company Accreditation (via CBT Testing only).