



MASSACHUSETTS CENTER for  
ADVANCED MANUFACTURING



at the MassTech  
Collaborative

A snapshot of resources for Massachusetts manufacturers  
to grow, innovate, and find talent solutions.

## Grant Programs

### **Research and Development (R&D)**

Supports research and development projects by investing in critical infrastructure. [Learn more innovation.masstech.org/collaborative-research-matching-grant-program-solicitation](https://innovation.masstech.org/collaborative-research-matching-grant-program-solicitation)

### **Massachusetts Manufacturing Innovation Initiative (M2i2)**

A grant supporting innovators as they transition technologies to manufacturing. [Learn more cam.masstech.org/m2i2](https://cam.masstech.org/m2i2)

### **Massachusetts Manufacturing Accelerate Program (MMAP)**

A grant to help manufacturers with capital expenditures related to I4.0 transformation. [Learn more cam.masstech.org/mmap](https://cam.masstech.org/mmap)

### **Manufacturing Cybersecurity Program**

A grant supporting manufacturers pursuing cybersecurity standards such as Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC). [Learn more https://cam.masstech.org/manufacturing-cybersecurity](https://cam.masstech.org/manufacturing-cybersecurity)

### **Mass Export, STEP Program**

A grant to offset international business development and related marketing costs. [Learn more mass.gov/service-details/state-trade-expansion-program-step](https://mass.gov/service-details/state-trade-expansion-program-step)

## Business Development/Partnerships

### **Massachusetts Office of Business Development (MOBD)**

Tax incentives to create jobs and stimulate business growth. [mass.gov/mobd](https://mass.gov/mobd)

### **MassDevelopment**

Finance and real estate development services. [massdevelopment.com](https://massdevelopment.com)

### **The MA Small Business Development Center (MSBDC) Network**

Advising and training programs for businesses. [msbdc.org](https://msbdc.org)

### **MassMEP**

Transforming manufacturing enterprises through operational excellence, workforce development, and innovative growth solutions. [massmep.org](https://massmep.org)

### **FORGE**

Helping startups navigate the journey from physical prototype to commercialization and impact at scale. [forgeimpact.org](https://forgeimpact.org)

**Contact us to learn more**

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## Hiring and Recruiting

### **MassHire Workforce Boards**

Partnerships and strategies to address workforce issues.

[mass.gov/service-details/connect-with-your-local-masshire-workforce-board](https://mass.gov/service-details/connect-with-your-local-masshire-workforce-board)

### **MassHireCareer Centers**

Employment-related services for businesses' needs. [mass.gov/careercenters](https://mass.gov/careercenters)

### **MassHire JobQuest**

Online resource to post job openings. [mass.gov/jobquest/employers](https://mass.gov/jobquest/employers)

### **MDCS-Work Opportunity Tax Credit (WOTC)**

Tax credits for hiring targeted populations. [mass.gov/dcs/wotc](https://mass.gov/dcs/wotc)

### **Massachusetts State Colleges and Universities**

Talented graduates and contract training. [mass.edu/system/campusdirectory.asp](https://mass.edu/system/campusdirectory.asp)

## Training and Workplace Safety

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### **ACLS Workplace Education Programs**

Provides workplace adult basic education (ABE) English for speakers of other languages (ESOL). [doe.mass.edu/acls](https://doe.mass.edu/acls)

### **Workforce Training Fund Program (WTFP)**

Accessible funding and resources to train current and new employees. **Contact [commcorp.org/wtfp](https://commcorp.org/wtfp)**

### **On-the-Job Training (OJT) Program**

Assistance with the cost of hiring and training new employees. **Contact a local career center [mass.gov/careercenters](https://mass.gov/careercenters)**

### **Manufacturing Apprenticeships**

Apprenticeship programs available to businesses. [namcnetwork.com/programs/apprenticeships](https://namcnetwork.com/programs/apprenticeships)

### **Workplace Safety Grant Program**

Provides funding for workplace safety training. [mass.gov/dia/safety](https://mass.gov/dia/safety)

## Who is CAM?

The Center for Advanced Manufacturing (CAM) at the MassTech Collaborative helps manufacturers compete in Massachusetts. In collaboration with the State's Executive Office of Economic Development (EOED), we work hard every day to help our manufacturers innovate, manufacture, and find and develop the talent needed to scale. Contact us to learn more about our grant programs, workforce solutions, and ways to get involved.



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