

Technician Certification Program

SMARTER PEOPLE. MORE BUSINESS.

Discover the advantages of PEARL's Technician Certification Program and how it can help your business growth while extending great professional development opportunities for your employees.

Certified technicians on staff provide a distinct advantage when it comes to advancing your company's integrity. Certified employees can increase your overall technical expertise and quality, help reduce liability, and can simplify the reconditioning process through a network of PEARL know-how. Encouraging your employees to become PEARL-certified also contributes to PEARL's mission in developing, advancing and promoting safe reconditioning practices for electrical equipment. Technician Certification is available to Full Dealer and Full Service Members of PEARL, which are designated full voting members of the organization.



For Companies, Certified Technicians on staff:

- Help your company gain a marketable edge and elevated status within the industry
- Ensure reconditioned equipment is in compliance with the 2017 ANSI/PEARL Electrical Equipment Reconditioning Standard
- Improve employee morale and help reduce turnover
- Help to decrease accidents and associated costs
- Reduce warranty claims and improve your bottom line
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For Employees, being a Certified Technician:

- Opens new career opportunities within your company
- Represents the next step in career growth and professional development
- Provides a sense of professional fulfillment
- Garners respect from peers

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We agree that PEARL's Technician Certification is a great way to identify technicians with a high level of initiative. Candidates that move through the program study more, engage in small groups and work harder to improve. Our new employees see a clear path forward experiencing what PEARL's program stands for as well as what Southland expects of our technicians. We are very pleased with PEARL's Technician Certification program.”

– Don West, Southland Electrical Supply

GETTING YOUR TEAM ON BOARD.

PEARL currently offers **Level I** and **Level II** Technician Certification opportunities for your employees. To achieve certification, technicians must go through an in-depth, step-by-step process including completing an online application and taking an exam based on PEARL's Technician Certification program handbook.



LEVEL I TECHNICIANS can work safely in a shop environment and around de-energized electrical power equipment. They recognize and have a basic understanding of PEARL reconditioning standards. They are able to identify various types of electrical apparatus, shop equipment, warehouse equipment, test and measurement equipment, and cleaning equipment used in the electrical equipment reconditioning process under the supervision of a higher-level technician.



LEVEL II TECHNICIANS can work independently. They can inspect, test, and perform reconditioning procedures, following PEARL and other industry standards, on a wide range of electrical power equipment. They can accurately interpret equipment drawings, specifications, and electrical schematics, at the component level, as it relates to the PEARL reconditioning standards.

For more information about PEARL's Technician Certification Program, visit www.pearl1.org/Education-Technician-Certification-Program.

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