

# **OVERVIEW**

#### **Mission**

The mission of the National Center for Supply Chain Automation (SCA) is to increase the number of highly skilled supply chain technicians to meet the growing national demand.

#### Vision

The Center aspires to increase the number of skilled supply chain technicians nationwide by serving as the national leader for supply chain automation education.

### **Objectives**

- 1. Implement model 2+2 supply chain automation career pathways through high school and community college partnerships nationally to meet the need for educated technicians.
- 2. Establish a national symposium for supply chain automation stakeholders.
- **3.** Disseminate deliverables and information to educators, industry and current and potential supply chain technicians.
- 4. Establish and promote stackable national industry certifications for supply chain automation.

## **Definition of a Supply Chain Technician**

A Supply Chain Technician is a person who installs, operates, supports, upgrades or maintains the automated material handling equipment and systems that support the supply chain.

# Partnerships

Norco College – Norco, California: Lead institution Sinclair Community College – Dayton, Ohio Oakton Community College – Des Plaines, Illinois Central Piedmont Community College – Charlotte, North Carolina

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