

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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