

### **Engineering vs Engineering Technology**

- Overlap Fundamental engineering courses
- Both focus on practical applications
- Engineering Technology: Emphasize the application of engineering techniques
- Engineering: Focus on the development of theoretical concepts

Misconception: No need of math skills to be successful in Engineering Technology



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Engineering Technologist: practical application of science and engineering to solve a wide range of complex technical and operational problems.



# **Engineering Technology: Programs**

Facilities Engineering Technology (FET)

ABET Accredited Program

Marine Engineering Technology (MET)

- > ABET Accredited Program
- > STCW Certified Program



### **Engineering Technology: Curriculum**

#### **Academic Classes and Labs**

Chemistry (lecture and lab)

Physics I (lecture and lab) and II (lecture)

Calculus I and II

**Speech Communication** 

**Critical Thinking** 

**Advanced Writing** 

Humanities (LD and UD)

Social Sciences (LD and UD)

**Engineering Graphics** 

Welding

Manufacturing Processes I and II

Boilers

Turbines

**Statics** 

**Dynamics** 

Thermodynamics

Strength of Materials

Properties of Materials (lecture and lab)

Fluids (lecture and lab)

Circuits (lecture and lab)

Electronics (lecture and lab)

Motors (lecture and lab)

**Engineering Management** 

Refrigeration and A/C (lecture and lab)

Instrumentation (lecture and lab)

Automation (lecture and lab)

Power Engineering (lecture and lab)

**Naval Architecture** 

#### **Shipboard and Simulation**

Plant Operations I, II, and III
Fire Fighting
Intro to Marine Engineering
(lecture and lab)
Steam Plant
Systems/Simulator Class
Steam Plant Watch Team
Diesel Engineering I and
II/Simulator Class (only
MET)
Sea Training I, II (only MET),

and III (only MET)

MET)

Shipboard Medical (only

#### **Facilities Engineering Classes**

Intro to Power Generation
Plants
HVAC (lecture and lab)
Facilities Engineering
Diagnostics Lab
Facilities Management

Great deal of overlap between the two programs (MET and FET)



# **Engineering Technology: Faculty**

### Committed with diverse backgrounds

#### **ACADEMIC**

Jonathan Fischer

Mike Strange

Mike Kazek

**Dinesh Pinisetty** 

**Evan Chang-Siu** 

Ryan Storz

Tom Clyatt

#### **LICENSED**

Scott Green

Steve Kreta

Keir Moorhead

Ken Levan

**Brian Crawford** 

**David Satterwhite** 

#### **MACHINE SHOP/WELDING**

Steffan Long

**David Grover** 

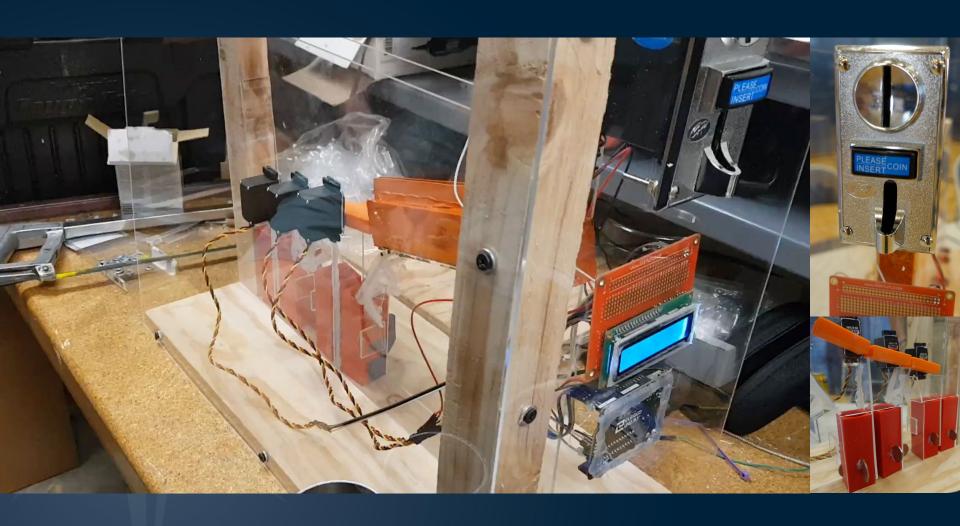
Robert Smith (Staff)

#### **OTHER FACULTY**

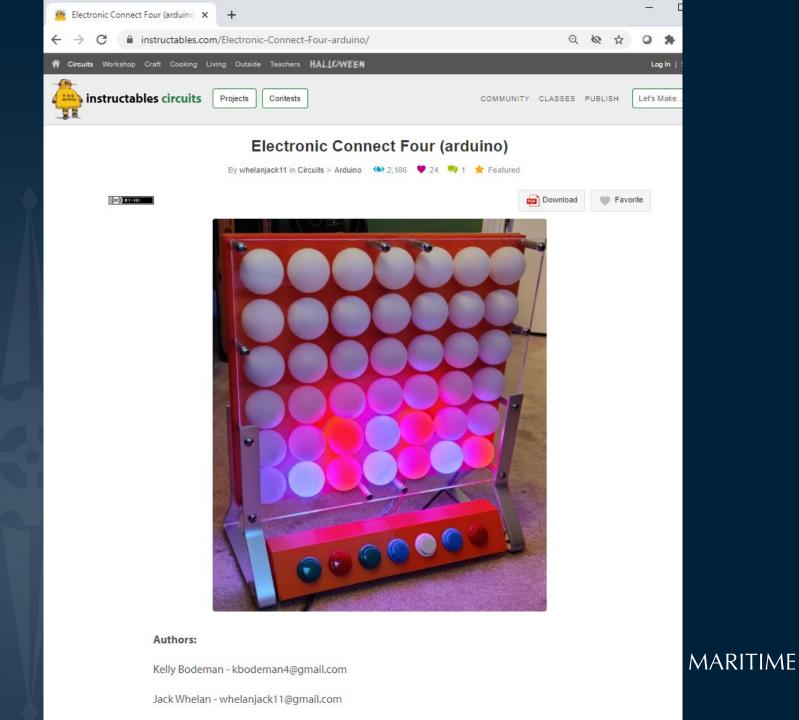
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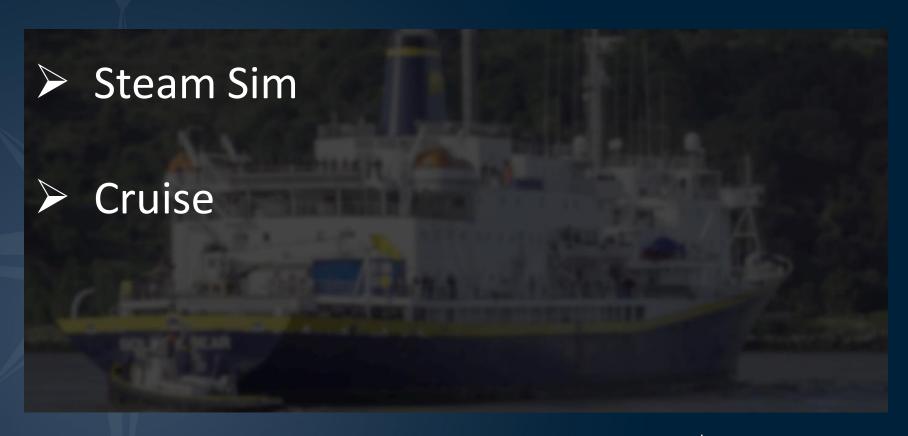








### **Example Maritime Classes**







## Marine Engineering Technology

- Marine Engineers: Commercial and Government Vessels
  - ✓ Operation, oversee repairs, installation and testing of marine equipment
  - ✓ Conduct performance, operational and environmental tests
  - ✓ Ensuring equipment and machinery is in compliance with standards
- Benefits
  - ✓ Range of Opportunities (shore-side and marine-based)
  - ✓ High salaries
  - ✓ In-Demand Career
  - ✓ Adventure / Travel
  - ✓ Value-added: USCG License
- Desirable Characteristics Do you have what it takes?
  - ✓ Strong work ethic
  - ✓ Equally strong working independently as well as in a team
  - ✓ Desire to learn

3rd Assistant Engineer
License is mandatory to
graduate with
MET Degree



## **Facilities Engineering Technology**

### Facilities Engineers:

Work in several environments

- √ manufacturing facilities
- √hospitals
- ✓ office buildings
- ✓ power generation plants
- √ biomedical



## **Average Starting Salary Estimates**

**❖** FET: \$80K

**❖** MET: \$99K

~>90% Placement Rate



Reference: Payscale.com

## **Engineering Technology – Who's Who**

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- Licensing Program
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