



## About the UA/Local Union 777 State of Connecticut Training Center

Our facility has a practical area of over 5,000 sq. ft. with 20 weld booths. We are set up to train and offer certifications in TIG, stick welding and RMD. Our courses include joint prep, Shielded Metal Arc (SMAW), and Gas Tungsten Arc (GTAW). All offered in both stainless and carbon. Wire feeder training on both stationary and portable units for Miller RMD process, with an emphasis on carbon, stainless and chrome steel pipe applications.



Are you a pipe welder looking  
for greater opportunities?

Then you're ready to turn  
your job into a career.

- Earn top wages, family health benefits and retirement security for your future
- Learn from industry professionals in state-of-the-art facilities
- Provide for your family today and tomorrow with solid employment opportunities
- Connect with industry leading UA contractors looking for skilled professional tradespeople
- Acquire the skills that put you in high demand for jobs across North America
- Be part of a premier International Union of the Building and Construction Trades



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## Take Your Skills to the Next Level

The United Association (UA) Pipe Welder Training Program, located at our Training Center in Meriden, CT, offers free accelerated pipe welding and specialty pipe welding certification courses for welders in the piping industry.

This program presents an opportunity to learn and practice new processes that lead to the highest-level certifications that will open doors and create a pathway to unlimited career opportunities. You'll be working with some of the most respected tradespeople in the field and learning skills that will help you reach your goals.

Once you successfully complete the program you won't just have a job – you'll have a career.

## Your Skills...Only Better

- Program is FREE for qualified applicants
- Enhance your pipe welding techniques and capabilities
- Become certified at the highest levels
- Immediate employment opportunities upon successful completion
- Additional training opportunities for those who seek to further expand their skills
- Membership in the United Association—A union known for Pride, Integrity and Craftsmanship



Founded in 1889, the United Association of Plumbers, Pipefitters, Sprinkler fitters, Welders and HVACR Technicians has over 345,000 members belonging to more than 275 Local Unions in the United States and Canada.

## Get Started Now

The UA Pipe Welder Training Program requires proficiency for established skill benchmarks. Therefore, applicants will need to complete an initial evaluation at a local UA training center close to their home to determine capabilities.

The typical training period lasts from six to eight weeks for successful completion of the program depending on the skillset of the student. This is rigorous training that produces skilled welders in a short amount of time which is what the industry is demanding.

Once accepted, students are offered the program at no cost. Applicants are responsible for travel and living expenses while attending the program.



Questions related to the UA Welder Training Program should be directed to Tim Chaisson.

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