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Student: Joseph Bilotti

OCVTS Program: Computer Service Repair

Instructor: Keith Pobuta

Employer: Excelsior Medical, Neptune, NJ

Class of: 2014

Center: Toms River

In Joseph's own words... OCVTS was the first step for me to get introduced into the technology field. While in Mr. Pobuta's Computer Service Repair class, I learned how to work on computers, and I got my first job at Staples repairing computers. From there, I was able to move on as an intern for Excelsior Medical. After my internship was over, Excelsior Medical hired me full time in their help desk department. In June of this year, I received a promotion to System Analyst of Excelsior Medical. I furthered my education from OCVTS to DeVry University in networking, and I am now certified with my CCENT and my CCNA from Cisco. None of this would have been possible if I did not have my start at OCVTS!

Mr. Pobuta, instructor in the Computer Repair Service program, remembers Joe as, "being hardworking and dedicated to his studies. As part of our CRS program, Joe was eager to learn everything in building and programming. He especially enjoyed participating in the robotic competitions. One of Joe's strongest assets was his ability to help others in the class. Joe would assist other students with the technical work on his own time. Using his own money, Joe has set a graduate award gift for the top graduating senior in the Computer Service Repair class. Joe utilized the valuable hands-on training he received in my class to develop a specific skill set and used these skills to begin a successful career in the IT industry. We are all so proud of him!"

"Joseph is a model employee that consistently goes above and beyond to ensure he is providing the best support for our customers. He is knowledgeable and dedicated to his field. He has demonstrated this by achieving multiple certifications and several promotions in the IT department. He is a strong asset in our organization," commented Joe's boss at Excelsior Medical.

Like Joe, students interested in obtaining the skills needed to obtain a career in technology, and prepare for valuable industry certifications, such as CompTIA, A+, Network+ and Security+ should check out OCVTS!

