

# Massachusetts Vocational Education Closing the Skills Gap

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## Some Telling Statistics on Career Technical Education

*"Career Technical Education: Pathways Toward Postsecondary Success"*

by Barbara Michelman in ASCD Policy Priorities, Spring 2017 (Vol.23, #1, p. 1-7),

<http://bit.ly/2o1R5z2>

## Why We Desperately Need to Bring Back Vocational Training in Schools

by Nicholas Wynn, Forbes

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/nicholaswyman/2015/09/01/why-we-desperately-need-to-bring-back-vocational-training-in-schools/#4902ee3487ad>

## Qualifications of Instructors

<http://www.mass.gov/edu/government/departments-and-boards/ese/programs/educator-effectiveness/licensure/voctech/>

## 44 Vocational Technical Frameworks

<http://www.doe.mass.edu/cte/frameworks/>

The Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, Office for Career/Vocational Technical Education launched the Vocational Technical Education Framework Revision Project in April 2012, completed June 2014. Over 1,000 industry and vocational teachers participated in the project.

## Safeguarding Quality Chapter 74 Standards in Massachusetts

<http://www.mava.us/LinkClick.aspx?fileticket=XNmqglO-QK48%3d&tabid=417&mid=2433>

Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education  
<http://www.doe.mass.edu/>

Massachusetts Association of Vocational Administrators  
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