

From: Ron Smith [<mailto:ronsmith100@gmail.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2013 7:15 PM
To: Lynda C. Marshall
Subject: Re: The Virtual Machine Shop

Hello.

You are free to capture and download all text and video. Flash animation can be viewed via link by anyone but not downloaded. This is the agreement I have had with dozens of colleges and military training facilities. It would be nice to mention the author :)

Good luck teaching machine tool technology. Training is "finally" making a comeback. My colleagues and I have been trying for decades to get the word out and it has finally been recognized by several senators, Mike Rowe, and even Jay Leno... and perhaps our president. Here is Mike's link... bottom of page. <http://www.mikeroweworks.com/2009/02/mikes-mission-video/>

Start telling kids that they can make far north of \$100k by learning this trade at a CC and just going out and doing it... and no student loans! We need these people.

Ron Smith
Retired and loving it in Utah

On Wed, May 22, 2013 at 3:35 PM, Lynda C. Marshall <marshallc@cctech.edu> wrote:

Dear Mr. Ron Smith,

You have crafted an excellent open source training course for those in the Industrial workforce environment.

Our ASSIST grant team here in South Carolina peruse the materials and would like your permission to use the video and images on The Virtual Machine Shop tool training online course.

A synopsis of our ASSIST grant program is to provide assistance to our community workforce development by producing and offering Online Courses focused in Industrial and Engineering Technology. One part of the grant is to develop industrial online courses like Machine Tool that is Open Source materials.

We are in the process of designing online content materials for our Machine Tool theory and lab course that will be used here at our technical college.

Too, the same online content materials will be disseminated to the United States Department of Labor as part of the grant requirement for Open Source Learning.

Again, I am writing to request your permission to use video, images, and other content materials as part of our content design.

Your response is much appreciated and should you have further questions do send me an e-mail or contact me at [\(803\) 774-3373](tel:8037743373) work number.

Kind Regards,

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