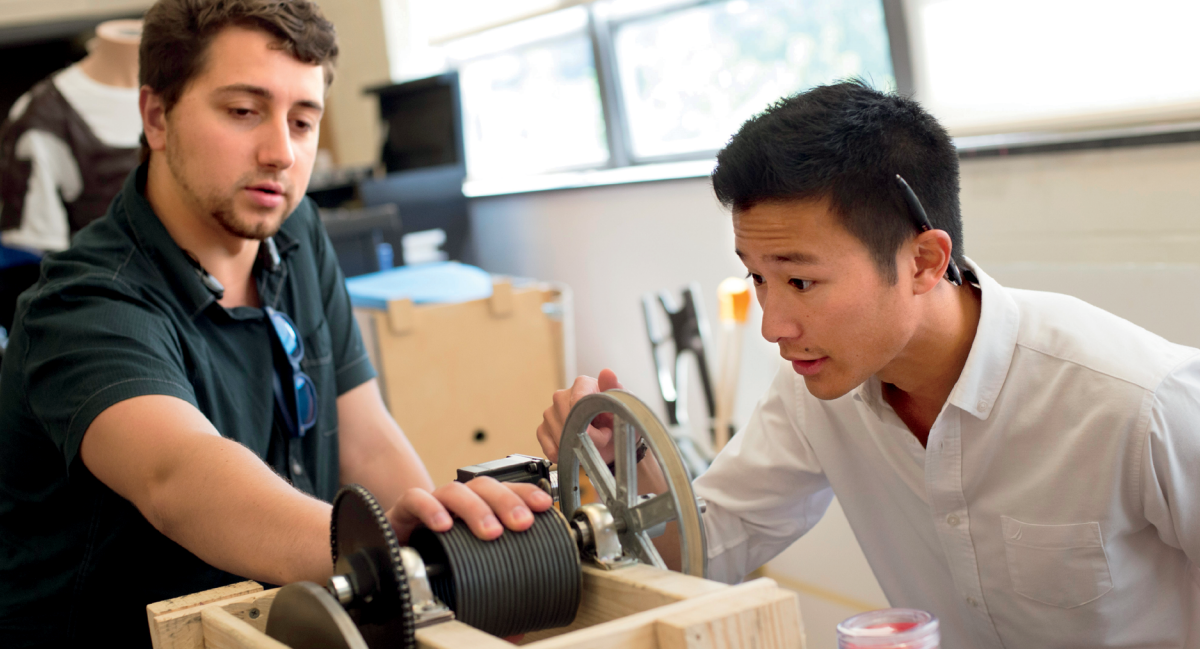




WENTWORTH
INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Innovative Partnerships.
Successful Futures.

INDUSTRY ENGAGEMENT AT WENTWORTH



Wentworth Transformed

Over the past decade, the Institute has blazed a new strategic path, transforming our programs and enhancing our ability to educate tomorrow's workforce. In 2017, Wentworth achieved university status from the Massachusetts Department of Higher Education. This designation represents the culmination of numerous groundbreaking changes, including:

- The creation of four distinct colleges at Wentworth: the College of Architecture, Design and Construction Management; the College of Arts and Sciences; the College of Engineering and Technology; and the College of Professional and Continuing Education
- The introduction of graduate-level programs in Applied Computer Science, Architecture, Civil Engineering, Construction Management, Facility Management, Project Management, and Technology Management
- The development of new, interdisciplinary undergraduate majors in biological and biomedical engineering, cybersecurity (pending), and applied sciences
- The integration of EPIC Learning (Externally collaborative, Project-based, Interdisciplinary Culture) into our classroom experience
- The expansion of our co-op program to include even more high profile, technology-focused employers—locally, nationally, and internationally
- An ongoing emphasis on innovation and entrepreneurship through Accelerate, Wentworth Innovation + Entrepreneurship Center



Advancing Innovation Together

DEVELOPING BOLD SOLUTIONS to the world's most pressing challenges requires collaborative and inclusive efforts. Partnerships between Wentworth and local, national, and international companies connect leading-edge thinkers with hands-on makers and help strengthen the culture of innovation and entrepreneurship within the Greater Boston region and beyond.

Industry partners play a vital role in our mission to educate the next generation of leaders. From providing students with invaluable, real-world experience through co-ops, to supporting our goal of making a Wentworth education more financially accessible through the establishment of need-based scholarships, to helping develop relevant 21st century skills for future employers through gifts to student organizations, on-campus programs, and competitions, corporations help shape the Wentworth experience for countless students. Through their engagement, our partners tap directly into a network of passionate and driven future employees who invariably make meaningful contributions to their teams.



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AND

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Wentworth Students: They Get the Job Done

Wentworth students have earned a reputation among employers as particularly skilled, dedicated, and hard-working team members. In recent years, more than 50 percent of Wentworth students have received full-time offers from their co-op employers. Wentworth graduates are passionate about their chosen field, demonstrating a strong work ethic and entrepreneurial spirit that set them apart from their peers.

Thanks to Wentworth's emphasis on hands-on, applied learning, our graduates enter the workforce ready to hit the ground running, and 98 percent are employed and/or in graduate school within six months of graduation. They quickly become integral members of professional teams, having already collaborated frequently with their peers and colleagues in other disciplines. And because almost every course requires students to present their work to their peers, they develop strong verbal and written communication skills during their tenure at the University.

By engaging with Wentworth students on campus and in the workplace, our industry partners not only forge connections with bright and promising potential members of their workforce, but they also influence the career trajectories of the next generation of engineers, scientists, designers, managers, and entrepreneurs.

A Lifetime of Learning

In order to help working adults keep up with the pace of new developments in the field, the College of Professional and Continuing Education partners with companies to provide their employees with state-of-the-art workforce development and career enhancement opportunities. Taught by Wentworth faculty, our individually tailored courses, certificate programs, and associate, bachelor's, and master's degree programs help ensure that employees can apply current best practices on the job. We work closely with leading employers to develop the perfect balance of in-person, hands-on training—either on campus or in the workplace—and flexible, online coursework.





Shared Success

Wentworth is committed to developing productive and mutually-beneficial relationships with our industry partners. We invite potential partners to work closely with us to develop tailored engagement opportunities that advance our shared goals and values.

For more information about how to become a partner, please contact Lori Friedman, Director of Corporate & Foundation Relations, at **617-989-4233** or **friedmanl@wit.edu**.



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