

My Experience With The Water Treatment Certification Program (WTCP)



I've worked for Intel Corporation for almost 14 years. The last 10 have been with Ultra Pure Water Systems and Acid Waste Neutralization systems. Several years ago, my manager approached me and the other technicians to gauge our interest in DHP's Water Treatment Certification Program. The self-paced correspondence aspect of the course attracted me, and I eagerly accepted his offer to enroll.

I must confess that when I received the first 6 out of 12 books I was a little overwhelmed! But as I began, I could see that the highly illustrated course was presented step-by-step from the basics to highly technical advanced topics, which made it easy for me to follow.

As for support, thank goodness I met (over the phone & email) Patty Townley!! She was always willing to help me out and to get me the information and the encouragement I needed at times! Plus, the self-paced aspect of the course was great! It truly fit into my busy lifestyle and full time job. I was able to study and take exams when it fit my schedule. Had it been necessary to go away for training or take the same course in a college setting, it would never have been possible for me.

When I received the last 6 out of 12 books I was so glad to be a part of a wonderful program. The material presented gave me a broad knowledge of not only the how but the why behind advanced water treatment. Completing it has allowed me to perform my job better and with more confidence. My family and partner are very proud of me. I'm proud I completed this program and truly do recommend it to anyone who wishes to work for great companies!

Four months after completing the program, I was offered a new job with the same company. During my studies, I would often use the books as a reference and trouble shooting tool for some of our UPW/AWN systems. Even with my new job, I still utilize my WTCP books! The promotion I received after completing the program has made the effort quite rewarding. Not only do I feel that it gave me a distinct edge in my field, but the promotion afforded me more opportunities in my personal life. I am now looking forward to my second sabbatical, this one a European vacation!

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