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Future HSTTP Instructors:

The International Code Council's High School Technical Training Program (HSTTP) is an innovative program that introduces students to the International Residential Code (IRC) in conjunction with their construction trades training. For students considering this path, a background in building codes opens doors to advanced positions in many construction related fields. Since its formation, the HSTTP continues to gain support from code officials, homebuilders, architects, engineers, and technical school instructors.

Students enrolled in the HSTTP are challenged every step of the way, starting with understanding how to navigate and comprehend the codebook. Code officials have worked alongside technical schools to establish a nationally recognized Certificate of Completion for students in the program. The HSTTP provides students the opportunity during their school career to obtain six different stackable and transferable Certificates of Completion from ICC: Building, Energy, Electrical, Masonry, Mechanical (HVAC) and Plumbing.

This tool kit contains materials to support you as you advocate for and implement the program in your school curriculum. The kit also provides information about the Code Council and the importance of code knowledge to the emerging workforce.

The Code Council supports and encourages code officials across the country to join with their local technical schools in educating and introducing building codes to the next generation as they pursue careers in the construction profession.

Please visit the HSTTP website at www.iccsafe.org/hsttp to learn more. If you need additional assistance or have unanswered questions, please contact your ICC government relations representative or myself. Need help determining your representative? [Click here](#).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jim Ellwood". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped initial "J".

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