

NONTRADITIONAL CAREER PATHS

SUNY BROOME HAS 20+ PERKINS-ELIGIBLE CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE) PROGRAMS THAT ARE NONTRADITIONAL BY GENDER.



PICTURE CAPTION: Men in Early Childhood

WHAT IS A NONTRADITIONAL CAREER?

JOB'S THAT ARE FILLED PREDOMINANTLY BY ONE GENDER, EITHER MOSTLY MALES OR MOSTLY FEMALES.

WHY CONSIDER A NONTRADITIONAL CAREER?

People who choose careers based on their interests, skills and abilities rather than on gender stereotypes experience greater rewards and job satisfaction.



Breaking Down Barriers



PICTURE CAPTION: Women in Engineering

WHAT IS CAREER & TECH EDUCATION?

CTE prepares students to succeed in the workforce by teaching a combination of technology-based and career-oriented skills in a wide range of high-wage, high-skill, high demand careers.

IS A NONTRADITIONAL CTE CAREER RIGHT FOR YOU?

SUNY Broome has student support services in place from Enrollment Coaching, Academic Coaching, Career Coaching and Technical Assistance to help answer your questions and provide information on the programs of study that are considered nontraditional by gender.

TOP 10 REASONS TO CHOOSE NONTRADITIONAL CAREERS.

- ◇ Use abilities and interests to explore job choices.
- ◇ Earn higher wages.
- ◇ Expand the variety of available careers.
- ◇ Offer opportunities for advancement.
- ◇ Offer specialized education and technical skills.
- ◇ Learn based on personal interests.
- ◇ Offer new ways of thinking and interacting.
- ◇ Offer increased job satisfaction and enjoyment.
- ◇ Provide society a chance to think differently.
- ◇ Pave the way for the next generation.

ASK YOURSELF THIS:

- ◇ Do you possess skills in an area where you stand out that may be considered uncommon for your gender?
- ◇ Do you believe that you have important contributions to share in a particular field regardless of your gender?
- ◇ Do you like the possibility of standing out for doing a great job AND being distinctive among your co-workers?
- ◇ Do you want to be part of today's changing workforce?



PICTURE CAPTION: Men in Dental Hygiene

STAND OUT IN YOUR CAREER
CHANGE THE NARRATIVE
BE DIFFERENT

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SUNY BROOME'S NONTRADITIONAL PROGRAMS

NONTRADITIONAL PROGRAMS FOR MEN

Business & Professional Studies

Accounting (A.A.S.)
Office Technologies (Certificate)
Paralegal Studies (A.A.S.)

Health Science

Dental Hygiene (A.A.S.)
Health Information Technology (A.A.S.)
Nursing (A.A.S.)
Nursing: Evening/Weekend (A.A.S.)
Phlebotomy (Certificate)

Liberal Arts

Chemical Dependency Counseling
(A.A.S.)
Chemical Dependency Counseling (Cert.)
Early Childhood (A.A.S.)
Early Childhood (Certificate)



PICTURE CAPTION: Women in Culinary Arts

PICTURE CAPTION: Men in Nursing



NONTRADITIONAL PROGRAMS FOR WOMEN

Business & Professional Studies

Business Administration (A.S.)
Business Info Management (A.A.S.)
Criminal Justice (A.A.S.)
Criminal Justice - Police (A.A.S.)
Culinary Arts - (A.A.S.)
Homeland Security & Emergency
Management (A.S.)

Science, Technology, Engineering & Math (STEM)

Civil Engineering Technology (A.A.S.)
Computer Information Systems (A.A.S.)
Computer Science (A.S.)
Computer Security & Forensics (A.A.S.)
Computer Technology:
Technical Track (A.A.S.)
Network Track (A.A.S.)
Electrical Engineering Technology (A.A.S.)
Manufacturing Technology (A.A.S.)
Mechanical Engineering Tech. (A.A.S.)

Resources for Nontraditional Students

[American Association for Men in Nursing](#)
[American Association of University Women](#)
[Association for Women in Science](#)
[Institute for Women in Trades, Technology
& Science](#)
[MenTeach](#)
[National Alliance for Partnerships in Equity](#)
[National Center for Women & Information
Technology United States Department of
Labor Women's Bureau](#)
[Women in Nontraditional Employment Roles](#)



PICTURE CAPTION: Women in Criminal Justice

[EngineerGirl](#)
[Girls Who Code](#)
[OK Career Guide](#)
[The STEM Equity Pipeline](#)
[Professional Women in Construction](#)
[Understanding the Stereotype Threat](#)
[Women in Manufacturing](#)
[SUNY Broome: Nontraditional CTE Careers](#)

How is CTE Funded?

The Perkins V - Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century Act is a federal education program that provides funding for CTE programs in every state.

Perkins CTE funds are used to support and continuously improve CTE programs of study like those at SUNY Broome. They are also used to provide career exploration and guidance to students enrolled in CTE programs of study, and to help ensure students enrolled in CTE programs graduate and attain their CTE degree or credentials.

Break Out of Career Stereotypes

Your gender doesn't
have to determine how
you make a living