

# UTILITY TREE WORKER/ TRIMMER CERTIFICATION

FOR THE PROFESSIONAL VEGETATION MANAGERS ASSOCIATION



## 2021 Intakes:

**Intake #1:** May 3-14, 2021

**Intake #2:** May 10-21, 2021

**Length of Program:** 10 days (week 1: online live lecture, week 2: field evaluation)

Note: Please note your hours must be approved by PVMA so register EARLY.

**Course Fee:** \$2,625.00+GST

Note: Course fee includes course manual, refreshment breaks and parking fees. Course fee does not include the PVMA application fee for certification, which is additional. CEU's pending for ISA. Students will also need their own computer with internet access, microphone and a web camera for the online virtual classes and exams.

## Optional Stump Treatment Pesticide Certificate Tutorial

The Stump Treatment Pesticide Certificate is required for individuals applying herbicides to stumps and is available only to those with a Utility Tree Worker or Utility Tree Trimmer Certificate. The Stump Treatment tutorial and exam are optional and offered in the evening, during the Utility Tree Worker safety course

**Intake #1:** May 5, 2021 (5:30pm-7:30pm)

**Location:** Olds College Campus

Note: Online exam on May 6, 2021

**Tutorial Fee:** \$200.00+GST

Note: Students will need their own computer with internet access, microphone and a web camera for the online Virtual classes and exams

## HOW TO REGISTER

### Step 1:

Ensure that you have completed the required 1,200 hours of work experience, cutting or trimming trees around energized power lines (recorded on a Verification Of Hours Worked Around Powerlines form).

#### Provide the following:

- Completed UTW/UTT Demonstrated Proficiency Checklist (please contact the PVMA (details at bottom of page), if you require a copy of the Checklist)
- Completed Registration Form (back of this page)

#### Send by email to [info@pvma.ca](mailto:info@pvma.ca) or mail to:

Professional Vegetation Manager's Association (PVMA)  
P.O. Box 5468, Leduc AB T9E 6L7

### Step 2:

The PVMA will review the above submissions and advise Olds College that all requirements have been met. Only at that time will Olds College process your registration and your payment.

You will then receive an email, along with your payment receipt at the personal, not business, email address that you provide on your Registration Form. This is your confirmation of acceptance.

### Step 3:

Prepare your student supplies. You are required to have all of the equipment listed below to fully participate in the field training component of the course. Equipment must fit properly, be in good repair and meet current standards. Each student must have a full set of climbing gear. Students are required to bring their equipment to class the first Friday of the course, for the instructors to inspect before field training.

- 100-150 feet of 1/2" industry approved climbing line ( 3 strand is not acceptable).
- Tree climbing belt and safety lanyard, CSA approved.
- Tree spurs, CSA approved (avail at Canadian Forestry Supplies).
- Chainsaw pants or chaps, a required minimum rating of 3600 threshold, CSA, ULC or WCB BC approved.
- Gloves – CSA approved.
- Work boots – sport/street shoes are not acceptable.
- Hard hat certified to CSA standard Z94.1-92 (Class E Industrial Headwear) with hearing protection and face shield and separate eye protection.
- Calculator with basic math functions.
- Handsaw
- Optional (if possible): topping saw (light weight) & bucking saw (20" bar).

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**PVMA:** Ph: 1-877-249-1508 W: [www.pvma.com](http://www.pvma.com) E: [info@pvma.ca](mailto:info@pvma.ca)

**OLDS COLLEGE:** Ph: 1-800-661-6537 W: [oldscollege.ca/ce](http://oldscollege.ca/ce) E: [coned@oldscollege.ca](mailto:coned@oldscollege.ca)



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REGISTRATION FORM (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Olds College I.D. No.: \_\_\_\_\_ PVMA I.D. No.: \_\_\_\_\_

## PERSONAL INFORMATION - PLEASE USE FULL LEGAL NAME

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Maiden Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth (Month / Day / Year): \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_  
Personal Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: F M  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_  
If company is paying, contact name and phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE NOTE: To pay for your course tuition, please call Olds College at 1-800-661-6537**

### Course Name: **UTILITY TREE WORKER SAFETY TRAINING**

- Intake # 1: May 3 - 14, 2021  
 Intake # 2: May 10 - 21, 2021

Course Fee: \$2,625.00 \* (Payment will only be processed if & when prerequisite hours are completed and confirmed).

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### Course Name: **STUMP TREATMENT PESTICIDE CERTIFICATE**

- Intake # 1: May 5, 2021 (5:20pm-7:30pm), Online exam on May 6, 2021

Course Fee: \$200.00 + gst

TOTAL FEES: \_\_\_\_\_

## ABORIGINAL ANCESTRY:

If you wish to declare that you are an Aboriginal person, please specify:

Status Indian/First Nations  Non-Status Indian/First Nations  Metis  Inuit

Alberta Advanced Education and Technology is collecting this personal information pursuant to Section 33(c) of the FOIPP Act as the information relates directly to and is necessary to meet its mandate and responsibilities to measure system effectiveness and develop policies, programs and services to improve Aboriginal learner success in addition to other legislation applicable to the educational institution. For further information or inquiries contact the FOIPP Coordinator, Olds College, 4500 - 50 Street, Olds, AB T4H 1R6, (403) 507-7912.

FOIP Statement: The personal information which you provide on this application form is being collected under the authority of the Freedom of Information & Protection of Privacy legislation of the Government of the Province of Alberta for the purpose of registering for a Program or Course through Continuing Education at Olds College; Conducting program/course evaluation and research and creating a mailing list for future program, course opportunities. In certain instances, this information may be shared with third party organizations who are actively involved in providing specific educational offerings. Public inquiries concerning the collection, use and disclosure of personal information provided on this application form should be directed to the Olds College FOIP Coordinator. Olds College reserves the right to cancel any course in which the minimum student registration is not achieved and to make changes in course content as circumstances may require. Every effort will be made to advise students by email or telephone of cancellations before commencement date.