DRAFT AND SEW KNIT TOPS

This course provides participants with foundation in pattern development and garment construction of knit tops at advance level. Participants will learn to take mannequin measurements, understand the various sleeve and neckline variation and how to develop patterns and construct the tops with variation of collar, neckline and sleeve. The participants will master the techniques of laying fabric, cutting, sewing, edging and finishing of the complicated knit tops. This unit is delivered through white board drafting, quarter scale drafting, demonstrations and hands-on sewing operations.

PERFORMANCE OUTCOMES

- Draft pattern blocks based on given specifications or measurements taken from given size specifications.
- Develop a variety of patterns for tops with collar, neckline and sleeve using block manipulation methods.
- Label and mark individual pattern pieces with symbols and notches based on industrial practices.
- Sew a knit top with sleeve and crew neckline according to given specifications or measurements.
- Evaluate sewn product against given specifications or measurements and make amendments where necessary

ENTRY REQUIREMENT

- Currently working in the apparel industry or aspire to work in the apparel industry
- Possess university, diploma or high school certificate
- Ability to read, write and comprehend English proficiently
- Basic computing skills and knowledge of Microsoft office

COURSE FEE

Non-GMAC Members	USD\$380.00
GMAC Members	USD\$330.00

COURSE DURATION

Training Hours	30
Assessment Hours	3
Total Hours	33

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Student must fulfil the following requirements:

- 75% attendance rate of total training hours per module
- Assessed and be competent for every module

CERTIFICATE ISSUANCE

Upon successful completion of the course, student will be awarded the CGTI Certification which is nationally endorsed and recognised by industry partners.

ATTITUDE AND KNOWLEDGE

- Conversion of imperial to metric measurements and vice versa
- Human shapes and variations with focus on waist and above
- Neckline variations
- Sleeve variations
- Collar variations
- Basic pattern block
- Basic lockstitch and overedge/overlock machine threading maintenance & operations
- Variety of seams and facings
- Applications of interfacings zipper attachment and hemming finishes
- Built-in fabric retraction into stock production pattern
- Knit fabric handling and management

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Assistant Merchandisers to Merchandise Managers
- QA Auditors, QC Inspectors and QA/QC Managers
- Designers/Assistant Designers
- Work Study Officers
- Supervisors
- **Product Development Executive**
- **Sewing Operators**
- Pattern Makers/Drafters
- Sample Maker

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