

Architectural Testing has developed the InstallationMasters™ Commercial Window and Door Installer Certification Program. This is a nationwide program which is based upon standard practices used by the fenestration industry.

### What does the program teach?

The program is designed to teach commercial installers industry-developed practices and installation techniques for both new construction and replacement windows and exterior doors including exterior sliding glass doors, terrace doors, transoms and ribbon windows.

The training includes:

- Accepted installation techniques;
- Proper material selection, including the correct use of sealant, bond breakers, backer rods, splice sleeves, etc.
- The proper installation and sealing of panning, receptor systems, and subsills;
- Job site safety;
- Field quality control;
- Product care, adjustment, cleaning, and much more.



### Is your Installer a Certified InstallationMasters™ Commercial Installer?

InstallationMasters™ certification verifies that the installer has experience and has been trained on the proper techniques. Each installer must complete the two-day class after verification that they have a minimum of five years' installation experience. Upon successfully passing a comprehensive exam, the installer receives a certificate and an identification card. Note: The certification is for installers only and does not certify the installation of products.

### There are several participation options available:

1. Accredited Instructor - Persons with industry experience and knowledge of commercial window installation techniques may apply to become an Accredited Instructor. If the participants meet the prerequisites, they can attend the Instructors Course at Architectural Testing. They will learn the class material, as well as methods for teaching the material effectively. Prospective instructors take an examination and are evaluated for their ability to teach the course materials. Upon successful completion of the requirements, they are qualified to teach the class to the installers.
2. Certified Installer – Installers with at least five years of installation experience may attend the two-

day class with one of the Accredited Instructors. If they pass the written examination, they attain the Certified Installer credentials.

3. Non-Certification Participant – People who do not have the required experience, but wish to learn the program installation techniques may attend an installer training class. Upon completion of the class, non-certification participants are issued a certificate of completion.
4. Installation Company Certification – Installation companies that employ certified installers and have a quality control system may apply to become a Certified Installation Company. Applicants are required to submit documentation of their quality system to Architectural Testing. Upon demonstrating that their quality system and related documentation meet the program requirements, they may become a certified installation company. Architectural Testing then performs periodic audits to verify that the quality system is being followed.



To find an InstallationMasters™ Certified Installer close to you, visit the website:

[www.installationmasterscommercial.com](http://www.installationmasterscommercial.com)

**What does it mean to be  
an InstallationMasters™  
Certified Installer?**



Get the assurance of a  
trained commercial  
window and door installer.

Contact Architectural Testing with  
questions or to find out how to  
register for classes.



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