



# Heavy Equipment Operator Certificate

## 36—Week Funded Program

November 2, 2020—July 9, 2021

### Do you want to operate Heavy Machinery for a living??

### DIG IT! SHOVE IT! LIFT IT! CLEAR IT! MOVE IT!

#### The Program

- **Build a road for your career as a Heavy Equipment Operator (HEO)**
- **Learn online with experienced instructors** (computer supplied)
- **Receive weekly living supports**
- **Experience the HEO Simulator**
- **Drive an excavator in the VIU gravel pit**
- **Get valuable work experience with up to 400 hours of ITA eligible machine time with the Tla'amin Nation**
- **Work side-by-side with professional contractors**
- **Master machine maintenance and work site safety**
- **Receive job search and career support**
- **Only 8 seats available with dedicated seats for First Nations individuals. APPLY TODAY!**

#### Certificate includes

- Essential and Employability Skills
- Road Builder and Heavy Construction Foundations
- Heavy Equipment Operator Technician
- Specialized Machine Training—Excavator
- 400 hours ITA Work Experience with Tla'amin Nation
- Industry Certificates: Occupational First Aid, Traffic Control, WHMIS

#### Online Information Sessions

Join us on Zoom.com/join and enter the Meeting ID for the session of your choice:

September 23, 2020 at 5:00 PM  
(Meeting ID: 641 1034 2327)

or

September 24, 2020 at 11:00 AM  
(Meeting ID: 649 2626 5221)

#### Eligibility & How to Apply

Applicant must meet one of the following:

- Current EI client
- Past EI client in the last 5 years
- Have earned more than \$2,000 in insurable earnings and paid employee EI premiums on those earnings in at least 5 of the last 10 years

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