

# Maintenance Management Certification

A certified Maintenance Management Professional (MMP) is an invaluable addition to organizations in almost every industry – most notably oil and gas, energy, and manufacturing. But there is no question that certified Maintenance Management Professionals play a crucial role in establishing financial sustainability for governmental departments and agencies, universities and colleges, hospitals, and airports. Hotels, resorts, and property management companies see some the greatest ROI from having a Maintenance Management Professional on staff.

Even the most experienced maintenance manager can't just declare themselves an MMP based on experience alone – at least not in Canada. The MMP designation requires the completion of specialized training as per the guidelines established by the Plant Engineering and Maintenance Association of Canada (PEMAC):

“The Maintenance Management Professional certificate program focuses on the tools, techniques, strategies and skills necessary for effective management of a business’s existing physical assets. Graduates have the knowledge and skills to drive improvements in up-time, production capacity, equipment reliability, safety, environmental compliance, economic life of assets, return on investment and effective communication between departments.”<sup>1</sup>

According to [Payscale.com](https://www.payscale.com) the salary range of a certified MMP in Canada is \$54k-\$88k. The median salary of a certified MPP in Canada is just over \$74,000:

“An early career Maintenance Manager with 1-4 years of experience earns an average total compensation (includes tips, bonus, and overtime pay) of C\$54,274 based on 161 salaries. A mid-career Maintenance Manager with 5-9 years of experience earns an average total compensation of C\$66,213 based on 163 salaries. An experienced Maintenance Manager with 10-19 years of experience earns an average total compensation of C\$82,804 based on 238 salaries. In their late career (20 years and higher), employees earn an average total compensation of C\$87,823.”<sup>2</sup>

Listed on the PEMAC website, there are a number of post-secondary institutions across Canada that are authorized to offer Maintenance Management Professional certification programs:

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**Bow Valley College – Continuing Education**

Calgary, Alberta

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<https://bowvalleycollege.ca/programs-courses/continuing-education/maintenance-management-professional-certificate>

**British Columbia Institute of Technology – Burnaby Campus**

Burnaby, British Columbia

Contact: Brent Dunn

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**Cambrian College**

Sudbury, Ontario

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**College of the North Atlantic – Labrador West Campus, Business Development**

Labrador City, Newfoundland and Labrador

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**Conestoga College – Corporate Training**

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<http://www.conestogac.on.ca/parttime/maintenance-management-professional>

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**Fanshawe College – London – Continuing Education**

London, Ontario

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<https://www.fanshawec.ca/cts/partners/plant-engineering-and-maintenance-association-canada>

**Humber College Institute of Technology & Advanced Learning**

Toronto, Ontario

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416-675-6622, ext.4139

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<http://www.humber.ca/education-training-solutions/asset-management-professional-certificate>

**Mohawk College**

Hamilton, Ontario

Contact: Jennifer Garside

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<https://www.mohawkcollege.ca/ce/programs/technology-and-skills/maintenance-management-professional>

**New Brunswick Community College – Moncton**

Moncton, New Brunswick

Contact: Continuing Education

1-833-658-2577

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<https://nbcc.ca/programs-courses/professional-development/maintenance-management-professional-program>

**New Brunswick Community College – Saint John**

Saint John, New Brunswick

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**Northern College of Applied Arts and Technology**

Timmins, Ontario

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**Northern Lakes College – On-line**

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**Southeast College**

Weyburn, Saskatchewan

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**St. Clair College – Corporate and Professional Training**

Windsor, Ontario

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[http://www.stclaircollege.ca/programs/ct/corporatetraining\\_maintenancemanagementprofessional.html](http://www.stclaircollege.ca/programs/ct/corporatetraining_maintenancemanagementprofessional.html)

**Université du Québec – École de technologie supérieure – ÉTS**

Montreal, Quebec

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**University College of the North – Thompson – Community Education**

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**University of Saskatchewan – Graham School of Professional Development, Engineering Student Centre**

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Absent from the list is Dalhousie University in Halifax Nova Scotia. Though they are not listed on the PEMAC website, they do offer an online Maintenance Management Certification program through the Dalhousie University – College of Continuing Education:

“The certificate will benefit maintenance managers, maintenance directors, superintendents, supervisors, lead hands, CMMS (Computerized Maintenance Management System) managers, planners, engineers and people who are in training for any of these positions. There is also an advantage to training representatives from operations and stockrooms for their perspective and input. New as well as experienced maintenance managers and supervisors and other administrators responsible for the maintenance function within their organization will benefit from this powerful and specialized certificate program. The program is designed for all types of maintenance environments including refineries, chemical plants, factories, mines, large buildings, organizations with many smaller buildings, and all types of mobile fleets.”<sup>3</sup>

Are you developing or revising a Maintenance Management strategy for your organization? Make a certified MMP part of your plan. And consider using [custodian™ CMMS – Cloud-based Maintenance Management Software](#).

Sources:

1. Plant Engineering and Maintenance Association of Canada. [pemac.org](http://pemac.org)
2. Payscale Inc. website: [https://www.payscale.com/research/CA/Job=Maintenance\\_Manager/Salary](https://www.payscale.com/research/CA/Job=Maintenance_Manager/Salary)
3. Dalhousie University website: <https://www.dal.ca/faculty/cce/programs/maintenance-management-certificate-program.html>