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***Delaware Tech offers a Building Performance Institute (BPI)  
Course to Improve Energy Efficiency***

DOVER, DE-Delaware Technical & Community College is offering training for professionals to help home owners become more energy efficient. In the present economy, it is more important than ever for businesses and home owners alike to save money. This training translates building performance into lower utility bills and a greener environment.

The BPI Building Analyst Professional/Certified Building Analyst I class at the Terry Campus in Dover is accepting registration with anticipated class start scheduled for December 7, 2009 to run Monday through Friday from 8:30-4:30. The cost of the class is \$2,425 with potential financial assistance for those individuals who qualify.

This course prepares students for the BPI Building Analyst Professional certification exam that includes a written and field exam. The curriculum includes classroom and field training that provide students with the essential knowledge and skills needed to perform a home energy audit. At the completion of the course, students will be able to explain the "house as a system," and be able to measure and analyze multiple building performance indicators. In addition, they will

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demonstrate diagnostic testing skills using blower-door equipment, appropriate meters, and other specialized measurement tools. Students will also gain a working knowledge of combustion safety; duct testing, base-load analysis and preparation of audit result reports. As an Affiliate of the BPI, Delaware Tech curriculum complies with the BPI Technical Standards and BPI Knowledge Tasks Lists. For more information or to register for the class call Delaware Tech CCP Registration at 857-1400. Or for more information about BPI, please visit [www.bpi.org](http://www.bpi.org)

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