**Automotive Undercar Specialist CP—Licensure Information**

**24 Hours**

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**Program Information**:

The SLCC [Automotive Undercar Specialist CP](https://www.slcc.edu/sltech/areas/automotive/automotive-undercar-specialist.aspx) program helps students learn the skills in automotive technology, diagnosis, repair, and inspection that open the doors to many jobs throughout the state. Students enrolled in automotive-related programs will utilize industry-standard tools and procedures. The programs offer a learning environment like what students should expect to encounter in the automotive and vehicle inspection industry.

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| **States and Territories** | **Licensure Information**This list was last updated 12/18/2024. Information may have changed since the last update. Please email for more information. |
| Alabama | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| American Samoa  | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this territory.
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| District of Columbia | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| Florida | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| Georgia | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| Guam | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| Hawaii | **Determination**: The SLCC Automotive Undercar Specialist CP program **Meets** state certification requirements.**Board**: [Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Board](https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/motorrepair/)**Contact**: 808-586-3000**Regulations**: [§16-87-25 Registration of mechanic](https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/motorrepair/statute_rules/)**Additional Information**:* Minimum of two years of full-time "hands-on" working experience
* OR one year "hands-on" experience and either 1) high school training – three full years of training in either automotive repair or body repair, painting and refinishing or 2) two years of training in a trade, technical school, community or 4-year college or in an apprenticeship program; and 2) ASE certification in one or more areas.
* Applicants can work as an apprentice until they finish the required "hands on" work experience.
* [Application Forms](https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/motorrepair/application_publications/)
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| Massachusetts | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| Michigan | **Determination**: The SLCC Automotive Technology AAS program **Meets** state certification requirements.**Board**: [Michigan Department of State](https://www.michigan.gov/sos/industry-services/mechanics)**Contact**: 888-767-6424**Statute**: [257.1310 Certification as specialty mechanic;](https://www.legislature.mi.gov/Laws/MCL?objectName=mcl-257-1310)**Additional Information**:* Applicants must take a test. The website notes that "ASE certification alone does NOT qualify you as a state certified mechanic.
* No minimum work experience required.
* A mechanic trainee permit is also available for applicants working to pass the certification exam.
* [Test Information](https://www.michigan.gov/sos/all-services/mechanic-testing)
* [FAQs](https://www.michigan.gov/sos/all-services/mechanic-testing)
* [Apply to be a Mechanic](https://dsvsesvc.sos.state.mi.us/TAP/_/#1)
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| Nebraska | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| Nevada | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| New Jersey | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| New Mexico | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| New York | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| North Carolina | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| North Dakota | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI) | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this territory.
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| Ohio | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| Oregon | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| Pennsylvania | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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| Puerto Rico | **Determination**: The SLCC Automotive Undercar Specialist CP program **Meets** certification requirements.**Board**: [Tecnicos y Mecanicos Automotrices](https://www.estado.pr.gov/juntas-examinadoras/tecnicos-y-mecanicos-automotrices)**Contact**: jvazquez@estado.pr.gov, 787-722-2122, ext. #4313**Statute:** [P.R. Laws tit. 20, § 2131](https://casetext.com/statute/laws-of-puerto-rico/title-twenty-examining-boards-and-professional-colleges/chapter-65-board-of-examiners-of-automotive-technicians/2131-definitions)**Additional Information**:* Applicants are required to have an automotive degree that is at least 600 hours or 6 months long.
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| Rhode Island | **Determination**: The SLCC Automotive Technology AAS program **Meets** state certification requirements.**Board**: [Rhode Island Department of Business Regulation](https://dbr.ri.gov/autobody_techcerts)**Contact**: DBR.CommLicInquiry@dbr.ri.gov, (401) 462-9500**Statute**: [230-RICR-30-05-2, section 2.12 Technician Certification](file:///C%3A%5CUsers%5Clmcbri14%5CAppData%5CLocal%5CMicrosoft%5CWindows%5CINetCache%5CContent.MSO%5C2.12%20Technician%20Certification)**Additional Information**:* Applicants must be certified. ASE certification is accepted. Some I-Car classes are no longer being accepted.
* [Applications and Forms](https://dbr.ri.gov/autobody_techcerts)
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| U.S. Virgin Islands | **Board**: **Contact**: **Additional Information**:* At this time, certification requirements do not exist in this state.
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