



- ZACATECAS AEROSPACE CENTER - The second Public Aerospace Trades College in Mexico

The best support a government can provide to its Aerospace industry is a pool of highly qualified workers. The Mexican State of Zacatecas understood this and committed itself at creating a public Aerospace Trades College.

In early 2009, the State mandated Everest, on the basis of its vast experience acquired as a result of establishing the Universidad Nacional Aeronáutica en Querétaro (UNAQ), to develop such school.

Everest mandate was complex since it involved every aspect of the project, among others:

- Development of the courses curricula
- Academic material preparation
- Tools and machinery procurement
- Facility design and commissioning
- Students screening and enrollment
- Program Management

This college is not like any other school, its programs and facilities are developed to recreate a real factory environment and to emphasize the development of competencies through a high level of hands-on practice.

The school accepted its first students in early 2010.

The Everest Group is proud of being at the core of the Aerospace industry development in Mexico.



The initial programs being provided are:

- Aerospace Basics (80 hrs)
- Composite Materials (6 months)
- Basic Machining (10 months)
- CNC Machining (8 months)
- Fabrication (12 months)

The last 3 months of all these programs are internships within companies. A successful internship is required for the completion of the program and for the future employment. Moreover, the internships are free to the participating companies.

