



Florida Green Academy

The Florida Green Academy (FGA) is a dynamic training center dedicated to existing and emerging "green"

occupations and industries, such as energy, construction, and transportation. Currently, FGA is focusing on the following broad areas:

- 1. Alternative energy
- 2. Energy efficiency in buildings and construction
- 3. Environmental management
- 4. Sustainability practices
- 5. Water management, including waste water

TCC is among the two-year institutions of higher learning that are at the forefront of this growing momentum for green workforce development. The college has successfully established training programs for solar hot water systems installation, photovoltaic systems installation, and weatherization. These programs were developed in collaboration with powerful partners including the Florida Solar Energy Center (FSEC) at the University of Central Florida, City of Tallahassee Utilities - Energy Services, the local workforce investment board, weatherization organizations, state and local government agencies, and renewable energy industry businesses.

A for-credit Alternative Energy Specialist Certificate is planned for the 2011-2012 Academic Year.