

## **Establishing and Nurturing Chemistry-Based Technology Programs**

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In order to help chemical technicians adapt to the rapidly changing chemical industry, many schools are considering either starting chemical technology programs, expanding their existing programs, or changing their direction. The American Chemical Society provides multiple resources for new and existing technician education programs. This presentation will discuss these resources, including the Critical Issues and Effective Practices Report, the ChemTechLinks clearinghouse, and the Chemical Technology Program Approval Service (CTPAS).