

AMPP

CIP LEVEL 1 /

BASIC COATING INSPECTOR

COURSE

DATES

Nov. 30th -Dec., 5th, 2026

About CIP Level 1

Completing the Coating Inspector Program (CIP) Level 1 Course is the first step to earning the Basic Coatings Inspector Certification.

The CIP Level 1 Course provides entry level knowledge of coating materials, techniques for surface preparation and application, and inspection testing and documentation.

After successfully obtaining your Basic Coatings Inspector certification you will be able to perform basic coating inspections on steel substrates using nondestructive testing and instrumentation.

Pre-requisites

There are no required pre-requisites for this course.

Who should apply

Although specifically designed for coating inspector trainees, this program benefits anyone interested in gaining a better understanding of coatings application and inspection including:

- Program/project managers and engineers
- Quality assurance/control managers
- Contractors and specification writers
- Coating manufacturers and technical sales representatives
- Fabricators and welders
- Paint applicators and blasters.
- Maintenance personnel

Fees:

Member \$20,054.15 TT + Vat (\$2506.77)

(Total \$22,560.92 Vat Inclusive)

Non-Member \$21,921.02 TT +Vat (\$2,740.13)

(Total \$24,661.15 Vat Inclusive)

Registration deadline: October 9, 2026

Venue, Dates and Times

Venue: - Technical Integrated Services Ltd.
Training Centre, North Sea Drive, Point Lisas
Industrial Estate, Savonetta

Days & Times: - Monday 30 Nov.- Saturday
5 Dec. 2026.

Monday -Friday: - 8.00am-6.00pm

Saturday: -8.00am-12.00pm

Course Learning Objectives

- Recognize how corrosion forms and the role protective coatings play in preventing corrosion.
- Describe the role of the inspector as it applies to responsibilities, authority, safety, ethics, communication, and decision-making.
- Differentiate surface preparation equipment, methods, and standards for solvent cleaning, hand/power tool cleaning, wet/dry abrasive blasting, and water jetting.
- Identify quality control issues, recognizing design and fabrication defects and coating failure modes.
- Recognize coating types, modes of protection, and curing mechanisms.
- Differentiate coating application by type, including brush, roller, airless, conventional, and plural component spray.
- Utilize job specifications, safety/product data sheets, and a variety of inspection report documentation.
- Perform non-destructive inspection procedures for environmental conditions, visible/nonvisible contaminants, surface profile, film thickness, and holiday detection under the supervision of a qualified inspector.
- Comply with the AMPP Coating Inspector Code of Conduct

Course Completion

To receive a training Certificate of Completion and continuing education units (CEUs) students must attend the entire course and successfully pass each learning assessment, including the hands-on practical exam given on the last day of class.

How To Achieve Basic Coatings Inspector Certification

1. Enrol and complete course requirements.

✓ Successful completion of CIP Level 1 Course

✓ Successful completion of the [Ethics for the Corrosion Professional course](#) or an [equivalent training](#)

Note: The Ethics course is completed by individuals online and is the responsibility of persons seeking certification.

2. Take required exams

✓ Certification Exam-Basic Coating Inspector Practical exam administered in the classroom.

Note: This exam is delivered as part of the NACE CIP Level 1 course

✓ Certification Exam-Basic Coating Inspector Written Exam NACE-CIP1-001 scheduled through Pearson VUE.

Note: This exam is available on Computer Based Testing (CBT) at Pearson Virtual University Enterprises (VUE)

AMPP offers exam preparation guides to help you prepare for your written exam.

3. Agree to AMPP terms of service

- ✓ AMPP Terms of Service, Candidate Agreement, and Code of Professional Conduct

Certification candidates have four (4) years to complete all requirements, including successful completion of the exam, and an approved application with the required work experience and education requirements.

Administrative Information

Registration Information

Attendance at courses is limited. Please register early as courses may fill up quickly. Advance registration accompanied by fee payment in full is required to guarantee your reservation. Payment may be made by Direct deposit, or Wire transfer.

Payment in full is due at the time of registration.

TISL regrets that it cannot be responsible for any loss or damages incurred because of cancellation of a course by TISL for any reason. This includes, but is not limited to, airfare penalties.

Cancellation and Refund Policy

Invoiced, paid, or guaranteed registrations cancelled in writing before the registration deadline date will receive a full refund, less a \$680 TT service fee.

Invoiced, paid, or guaranteed registrations cancelled in writing up to 7 days before an event will receive a refund of 50% of the registration fee.

There will be no refunds or credit on cancellation requests received less than 7 days before an event begins.

All requests for cancellation must be submitted in writing.

IF TISL CANCELS A COURSE, AT LEAST FIVE (5) DAYS NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN AND A FULL REFUND WILL BE ISSUED.

TECHNICAL INTEGRATED SERVICES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CANCEL THIS COURSE IF MINIMUM ENROLMENT IS NOT OBTAINED

REGISTRATION FORM AMPP CIP Level 1/ Basic Coating Inspector Training

Course Dates: - November 30-December 5, 2026

This form is to be filled out and returned to: Technical integrated Services Ltd, Cor. Pacific Avenue and Caribbean Drive, Point Lisas Industrial Estate, Point Lisas, Trinidad

Submission Date					
Individual or Company Name					
Individual or Company Address					
Contact Person Name		Phone/Ext.		E-mail	

No.	ATTENDEES NAME	JOB TITLE/ DESCRIPTION	E-mail Address	Cell Phone Contact	AMPP Member Number	Course Fee
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Revised Registration deadline: October 9th, 2026

- Venue: -**Technical Integrated Services Ltd. Training Centre, North Sea Drive, Point Lisas Industrial Estate, Savonetta** and shall run from Monday -Friday **8am- 6pm and Saturday 8am-12.00pm unless otherwise indicated.**
- LUNCH AND REFRESHMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED.
- COPIES OF THIS FORM CAN BE USED IF YOUR NUMBERS EXCEED THE SPACES PROVIDED.

Authorized by:		Place company stamp here 
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