# Addendum 3 to the 2025 Sonoran Desert Institute Catalog

Effective 8/18/2025

The start dates below replace those originally published in the 2025 Catalog and those subsequently revised in Addendum 2; these dates are the current official start dates for 2025.

2025 Start Dates

Start Dates for ASFT and CFTG Program	Start Dates for ASUT, CFTHS, and CUTAS	
7/7/2025	7/7/2025	
8/4/2025	8/18/2025	
9/1/2025	10/27/2025	

# Page 39 under Technology Requirements add the following:

Chromebooks are not an acceptable computer for use in any of SDI programs.

Important Notice for Mobile Device Compatibility

Some of the software used to control equipment in the Uncrewed Technology Programs requires a compatible smartphone or tablet. Before beginning your coursework or operating any equipment, you must verify that your device meets the following minimum operating system requirements:

Android Devices: Must be running Android version 7.0 or higher Apple Devices (iPhone or iPad): Must be running iOS version 13.0 or higher

Page 55, 57, 63, 67, 68, 78 under Tools and Equipment remove the current hyperlink and replace with the following:

https://sdi.edu/tools-and-materials/

# Page 53 add the following:

#### ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE IN FIREARMS TECHNOLOGY

For students beginning the program after January 1, 2026

## **Program Summary**

The Associate of Science in Firearms Technology program is designed for individuals aiming to deepen their expertise in the firearms industry while developing advanced technical, craftsmanship, and business skills. This comprehensive program builds on foundational knowledge with a focus on specialized gunsmithing techniques, manual machining, and professional practices essential for success in the firearms field.

Students will expand their competencies by learning the operation of lathes and other precision machinery, as well as wood and metalworking techniques for firearm customization and restoration. Courses emphasize craftsmanship, attention to detail, and safe industry practices while providing hands-on experience with project-based learning.

In addition to technical skills, students will gain knowledge in firearms business principles. These skills prepare graduates to navigate the business side of gunsmithing, from working in established shops to launching their own ventures.

The curriculum includes core courses on firearms mechanics, advanced modifications, troubleshooting, and accurizing techniques. Elective options allow students to tailor their learning to specific interests or platforms to support their market.

Graduates of the program will emerge with a well-rounded skill set that combines technical expertise, craftsmanship, and business acumen, making them well-prepared to thrive in diverse roles within the firearms industry.

### **Program Specific Admissions Requirements**

- Applicants must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.
- Applicants must be a minimum of 18 years of age as of the program start date.
- Applicants may be subject to a background check prior to and/or during their program of study.
- Students will need to have access to a firearm to complete assignments in some of the coursework.

• Must be eligible to obtain a Federal Firearms License.

## Statement of Eligibility

Due to the nature of the coursework offered, SDI reserves the right to deny enrollment to any individual who is unable to answer "No" to all questions below. Additionally, enrollment may be denied if SDI has reasonable cause to believe that an individual's answer(s) to a question below should be "Yes."

- Are you under indictment or information in any court for a felony, or any other crime
  for which the judge could imprison you for more than one year, or are you a current
  member of the military who has been charged with violation(s) of the Uniform Code
  of Military Justice and whose charge(s) have been referred to a general courtmartial?
- Have you ever been convicted in any court, including a military court, of a felony, or any other crime for which the judge could have imprisoned you for more than one year, even if you received a shorter sentence including probation?
- Are you a fugitive from justice?
- Are you an unlawful user of, or addicted to, marijuana or any depressant, stimulant, narcotic drug, or any other controlled substance? Warning: The use or possession of marijuana remains unlawful under Federal law regardless of whether it has been legalized or decriminalized for medicinal or recreational purposes in the state where you reside.
- Have you ever been adjudicated as a mental defective OR have you ever been committed to a mental institution?
- Have you ever been discharged from the Armed Forces under dishonorable conditions?
- Are you subject to a court order, including a Military Protection Order issued by a military judge or magistrate, restraining you from harassing, stalking, or threatening your child or an intimate partner or child of such partner?
- Have you ever been convicted in any court of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence, or are you or have you ever been a member of the military and been convicted of a crime that included, as an element, the use of force against a person as identified in the instructions?
- Have you ever renounced your United States citizenship?
- Are you an alien illegally or unlawfully in the United States?

## **Background Checks**

Prior to admission into SDI, all applicants must submit authorization for a background check. "Applicants are subject to a background check prior to and/or during their program of study. Applicants who have been identified as prohibited persons under The Gun

Control Act (GCA), codified at 18 U.S.C § 922(g) will immediately be deemed ineligible for admission. Applicants whose background check indicates other charges will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis. SDI will permit or deny admission based on the charges listed according to the SDI Right to Deny Policy. SDI may consider an appeal from an applicant who has been denied for charge(s) not violating the Identify Prohibited Persons list. Consideration of the appeal shall be based on:

- 1. likelihood of the student's ability to successfully complete the program,
- 2. timeframe of charge(s) listed, and
- 3. nature of the charge(s) listed.

Appeals must be submitted in writing to the Dean, School of Firearms Technology, including any reason(s) why circumstances have changed surrounding the charge(s) resulting in denial and/or any documentation showing suspension of charges, restoration of civil rights, etc. Applicants whose appeals are approved may continue through the admissions process. Denied appeals are final, and the applicant will be barred from enrollment at Sonoran Desert Institute indefinitely.

## Courses Requiring a Firearms Transfer

Certain courses require Sonoran Desert Institute to provide learning materials that fall within the federal definition of a firearm. Upon selecting a course that features a firearm, students must designate an FFL at which to pick up their receiver/ other protected parts. At time of pick up, students will be required to pass a NICS background check, administered by the designated FFL, prior to obtaining the receiver/other protected parts. Students who do not pass the NICS background check at their designated FFL will be required to appeal the background check and/or be withdrawn from the course. Students who do not pass the NICS background check at their designated FFL will not be subject to refunds outside of SDI's school refund policy. Failure of a NICS background check will negatively affect the ability to be employed in the firearms industry.

### **State Laws and Restrictions**

SDI provides students with tools and equipment that are related to the firearms industry. The Institute strives to ensure tools and equipment are issued in accordance with federal, state, and local firearm laws. SDI will work with individual students based on the state they reside in when assigning courses. However, it is ultimately the responsibility of the student to comply with the individual state(s) and federal law regarding firearms. Students are accountable under the exact wording and current interpretations of all applicable laws and regulations within each state.

## **Graduate Employment Opportunities**

Some of the many areas where a student may apply the knowledge gained from the Gunsmithing program include the following:

- Shooting sports management
- Retail firearms sales
- Firearms repair and customization
- Gunsmith
- Armorer
- Research and Development
- Basic Machining

## **CIP/SOC Classifications & Summary**

The Classification for Instructional Programs (CIP) associated with this program is 47.0402, titled "Gunsmithing/Gunsmith". The Standard Occupation Classification (SOC) is considered as 49.9099, "Installation, Maintenance and Repair." Requirements to practice as a gunsmith or in a firearms-related industry may require federal and/or state approvals. A graduate who desires to work in the industry may need to obtain a Federal Firearms License (FFL). This is required if the graduate hopes to repair firearms for compensation. A graduate employed by a business that has an FFL may not be required to obtain an individual FFL. A graduate who desires to repair only personal firearms is not required to obtain a firearms license. Because of changes in requirements, the graduate is advised to regularly review the requirements for the FFL with the Federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF). The graduate can find this information on the ATF website (www.atf.gov). Sonoran Desert Institute does not guarantee job placement or employment.

# **Tools & Equipment**

Tools and equipment are provided by the Institute and included in the total program cost. These items are shipped to the student with other learning materials and will belong to the student. Students need to have access to a firearm for certain courses and may need additional supplies to complete certain projects. Please visit the following link for a comprehensive list of supplies required for the completion of assignments per current course offerings. <a href="https://sdi.edu/tools-and-materials/">https://sdi.edu/tools-and-materials/</a>

### **Completion Requirements**

To earn an Associate of Science in Firearms Technology degree, a student must do the following:

- Complete all coursework required in the degree program
- Complete at least 44 credit hours of discipline-specific coursework
- Complete at least one credit hour of student success coursework
- Complete at least 15 credit hours of general education coursework
- Complete the program with a minimum grade point average of 2.0 or above

## **Program Outcomes**

- 1. Interpret and apply federal, state, and local firearms laws and regulations to ensure legal compliance in gunsmithing practices.
- 2. Develop firearms and ammunition vocabulary to distinguish between broad industry terms and manufacturer specific language.
- 3. Distinguish firearms and ammunition by industry-defined characteristics and terms, to support the translation of customer identified problems.
- 4. Use safe industry practices while applying tools and knowledge to effect firearms related repairs or customizations.
- 5. Apply gunsmithing techniques across various firearms platforms to complete basic modifications or upgrades consistent with industry standards or good craftmanship.
- 6. Diagnose and troubleshoot mechanical and operational issues in firearms, utilizing critical thinking and specialized tools to implement effective solutions.
- 7. Uphold industry standards for workplace safety and proper handling of tools, machinery, and firearms in all gunsmithing activities.
- 8. Demonstrate proficiency in specialized gunsmithing techniques, including the operation of lathes and other precision machinery, and perform accurate modifications, repairs, and restorations on a wide range of firearms.
- 9. Identify and apply business principles by understanding basic retail and repair scenarios within a firearms business operation.
- 10. Apply advanced wood and metalworking techniques to fabricate and customize firearm components, with attention to detail, quality, and aesthetic design.
- 11. Explore concepts in communication, quantitative reasoning, information literacy, critical thinking, natural and physical sciences, social and behavioral sciences, and the humanities.

# Required Courses - Associate of Science in Firearms Technology

CATEGORY	COURSE	CREDIT HOURS	LENGTH I N WEEKS
Student	SDI 101: Success in Distance Learning	1	8
Success	Total Student Success	1	
	FTT 102: Principle of Mechanics in Firearms	4	8
Firearms Technology Discipline	FTT 103: Principles of Ammunition and Basic Ballistics	4	8
	FTT 105: Firearms Laws, Rights, and Responsibilities	4	8
	FTT 106: Hand and Specialty Tools in Gunsmithing	4	8
	FTT 131: Maintenance and Troubleshooting of Firearms	4	8
	MAC 110: Basic Power Tools and Machining Principles	4	8
	FTT 133: General Gunsmithing Modifications	4	8
	MAC 150: Introduction to Manual Lathe	4	8
	FTT 213: Wood and Metalwork in Gunsmithing	4	8
	FTT 220: Firearm Business Principles	4	8
	FTT 299: Firearms Technology Elective*	4	8
	Total Firearms Technology Discipline	44	
General Education	AGT 100: American Government	3	8
	MAT 101: Mathematics for Technical Trades	3	8
	PSY 101: Introduction to Psychology	3	8
	ENG 101: English Composition 1	3	8
	SCI 101: Introduction to Physical Science	3	8
	Total General Education	15	
	Total Program	60 credits	64 weeks

\*FTT 299 Elective Options: Course availability may vary each semester. Not all courses may be offered each term.

FTE 211: 1911 Advanced Armorer (Students must be 21 years of age to select FTE 211 course. Students MUST complete a firearms transfer with a Federal Firearms Licensed dealer to be eligible to select FTE 211 course).

FTE 217: Modern Sporting Rifle (In some states, students must be 21 years of age to select FTE 217 course. Students MUST complete a firearms transfer with a Federal Firearms Licensed dealer to be eligible to select FTE 217 course).

FTE 218: Pump Shotgun Armorer (In some states, students must be 21 years of age to select FTE 218 course. Students MUST complete a firearms transfer with a Federal Firearms Licensed dealer to be eligible to select FTE 218 course).

Any student who fails the firearm transfer background check and appeal process will only be eligible to select FTE 225 to meet the FTT 299 elective requirement

# Page 61 Add the following:

### **CERTIFICATE IN FIREARMS TECHNOLOGY- GUNSMITHING**

For students beginning the program after January 1, 2026

## **Program Summary**

The Certificate in Firearms Technology - Gunsmithing program is for individuals seeking foundational skills and knowledge in the firearms industry. Students will learn to recognize and differentiate firearms by operational and legal characteristics, identify critical measurements and tolerances, and apply specialized tools in project-based work. Emphasis is placed on using safe industry practices, performing compliance functions relevant to gunsmithing, and conducting basic modifications and accurizing work on firearms. The curriculum includes courses on mechanics, ammunition basics, firearms laws and responsibilities, maintenance, troubleshooting, and the use of both basic and advanced gunsmithing tools. Additionally, students have the option to select electives to tailor their studies to specific interests within the field.

### **Program Specific Admissions Requirements**

- Applicants must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.
- Applicants must be a minimum of 18 years of age as of the program start date.
- Applicants may be subject to a background check prior to and/or during their program of study.
- Students will need to have access to a firearm to complete assignments in some
  of the coursework.
- Must be eligible to obtain a Federal Firearms License.

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- Have you ever been adjudicated as a mental defective OR have you ever been committed to a mental institution?
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# **Background Checks**

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# **Completion Requirements**

To earn a Certificate in Firearms Technology -

- Complete all coursework required in the certificate program
- o Complete 32 credit hours of major coursework
- o Complete the program with a minimum grade point average of 2.0 or above

### **Program Outcomes**

- 1. Interpret and apply federal, state, and local firearms laws and regulations to ensure legal compliance in gunsmithing practices.
- 2. Develop firearms and ammunition vocabulary to distinguish between broad industry terms and manufacturer specific language.
- 3. Distinguish firearms and ammunition by industry-defined characteristics and terms, to support the translation of customer identified problems.
- 4. Use safe industry practices while applying tools and knowledge to effect firearms-related repairs or customizations.
- 5. Apply gunsmithing techniques across various firearms platforms to complete basic modifications or upgrades consistent with industry standards or good craftsmanship.
- 6. Diagnose and troubleshoot mechanical and operational issues in firearms, utilizing critical thinking and specialized tools to implement effective solutions.
- 7. Uphold industry standards for workplace safety and proper handling of tools,

machinery, and firearms in all gunsmithing activities.

# Required Courses: Certificate in Firearms Technology - Gunsmithing

CATEGORY	COURSE	CREDIT HOURS	LENGTH IN WEEKS
Major	FTT 102 Principles of Mechanics in Firearms	4	8
	FTT 103 Principles of Ammunition and Basic Ballistics	4	8
	FTT 105 Firearms Laws, Rights, and Responsibilities	4	8
	FTT 106 Hand and Specialty Tools in Gunsmithing	4	8
	FTT 131 Maintenance and Troubleshooting of Firearms	4	8
	MAC 110 Basic Power tools and Machining Principles	4	8
	FTT 133 General Gunsmithing Modifications	4	8
	FTT 299 Firearms Technology Elective	4	8
	TOTAL PROGRAM SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS	32	32

\*FTT 299 Elective Options: Course availability may vary each semester. Not all courses may be offered each term.

- FTE 211: 1911 Advanced Armorer (Students must be 21 years of age to select FTE 211 course. Students MUST complete a firearms transfer with a Federal Firearms Licensed dealer to be eligible to select FTE 211 course).
- FTE 217: Modern Sporting Rifle (In some states, students must be 21 years of age to select FTE 217 course. Students MUST complete a firearms transfer with a Federal Firearms Licensed dealer to be eligible to select FTE 217 course).
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- FTE 225: Developing a Business Plan

Any student who fails the firearm transfer background check and appeal process will only be eligible to select FTE 225 to meet the FTT 299 elective requirement

## Page 71 -76 add the following course descriptions:

### FTT 102: Principles of Mechanics in Firearms

4 Credit Hours

This course is an introduction to firearms technology. Students will review firearms fundamentals, simple machine concepts, and various firearm operating systems. Students will apply concepts and fundamentals in practical applications to identify working systems of firearms.

### FTT 103: Principles of Ammunition and Basic Ballistics

4 Credit Hours

This course introduces students to essential concepts related to ammunition and basic ballistics. Students will develop an understanding of the terminology about these topics and demonstrate an understanding of the various steps of ballistics, the material and environmental aspects that affect ballistics, cartridge design, various propellant types, mechanical steps completed within a firearm, and phenomena that occur as projectiles move through the air.

## FTT 105: Firearms Rights, Laws, and Responsibilities

4 Credit Hours

This course will provide students with a comprehensive understanding of firearm regulations, ATF (Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives) laws, FFL (Federal Firearms License) dealer requirements, types of firearms, and the identification of firearm types. Students will gain the knowledge and skills necessary to navigate the complex world of firearms in the United States.

## FTT 106: Hand and Specialty Tools in Gunsmithing

4 Credit Hours

In this course, students will better understand the standard hand tools used in the gunsmithing trade. Through hands-on application, students will develop more profound skills in finesse and workmanship, how and when to use specific tools and equipment in this trade, and why specific tools are better for a particular job.

## FTT 131: Maintenance and Troubleshooting of Firearms 4 Credit Hours

In this course, students will learn foundational troubleshooting principles. Students will identify firearm failure types, components, responsibilities and perform gunsmith function checks. Students will explore popular operating systems, the cycle of operations, repairs, and operator and ammunition-induced malfunctions.

## FTT 133: General Gunsmithing Modifications

**4 Credit Hours** 

This course introduced the student to the specifics of enhancing firearms for improved performance, ergonomics, and aesthetics. This course guides students through the process of discerning optimal modifications tailored to diverse firearm platforms and

shooting disciplines. This course emphasizes both the safety considerations essential for any modification endeavor and the legal nuances surrounding firearm alterations.

### **MAC 150: Introduction to Manual Lathe**

4 Credit Hours

This course introduces students to the fundamental skills and techniques required for proficient lathe operations. Emphasizing shop safety and machine-specific protocols, the course covers the theory and practical application of precision machining, including tool preparation and work-holding methods. Through hands-on practice, students will perform essential lathe techniques such as facing, parting, turning, and threading.

# MAC 110: Basic Power Tools and Machining Principles

**4 Credit Hours** 

This course is an introduction to machining and other repair concepts. The student will be introduced to small machines commonly used in the gunsmith profession. The student will also be introduced to basic shop/blueprint reading and the formulas and vocabulary to successfully utilize power tools and equipment. An introduction to milling machines, the metal turning lathe, polishing tools, and other firearms-specific machinery is discussed. The student will also be introduced to fixtures and work holding concepts to elevate the use of machinery in a shop environment.

## FTT 213: Wood and Metalwork in Gunsmithing

4 Credit Hours

This course provides a comprehensive, hands-on study of gunstock fitment and repair. Students will explore the selection of suitable wood species, the shaping of wood into functional and visually appealing designs, and the precise fitting of gunstocks to firearm actions. Emphasis is placed on customizing gunstocks to meet specific customer requirements. Through practical projects, students will refine their skills in inletting furniture, applying professional stock finishes, and executing intricate metalwork.

## FTT 220: Firearm Business Principles

4 Credit Hours

This course offers a comprehensive overview of the key components involved in establishing and managing a firearms-related business. Weekly topics guide students through setting business goals, selecting the appropriate business structure, developing marketing strategies, and addressing industry-specific operational challenges. Students will complete marketing and business evaluation projects, gaining practical knowledge and exploring career opportunities within the firearms industry.

Page 72 remove the current description for FTE 211 1911 Advanced Armorer and replace with the following:

## FTE 211: 1911 Advanced Armorer

## **4 Credit Hours**

This course presents a comprehensive overview of 1911-style firearms. Discussed in the lessons are the history, development, and practical applications of 1911-style firearms, including their parts, the function of each part, ammunition types and calibers, troubleshooting, maintenance, and repair. Also presented are sight options, considerations for building or buying your 1911-style firearm, tuning your 1911 for accuracy and reliability, customizing the 1911 with coatings and accessories. Students will be presented step-by-step instructions that will be applied to the firearm supplied by the school.

Students must be 21 years of age to select the FTE 211 course