STUDENT SUCCESS STORY

BUILDING A FOUNDATION FOR LONG-TERM CAREER SUCCESS
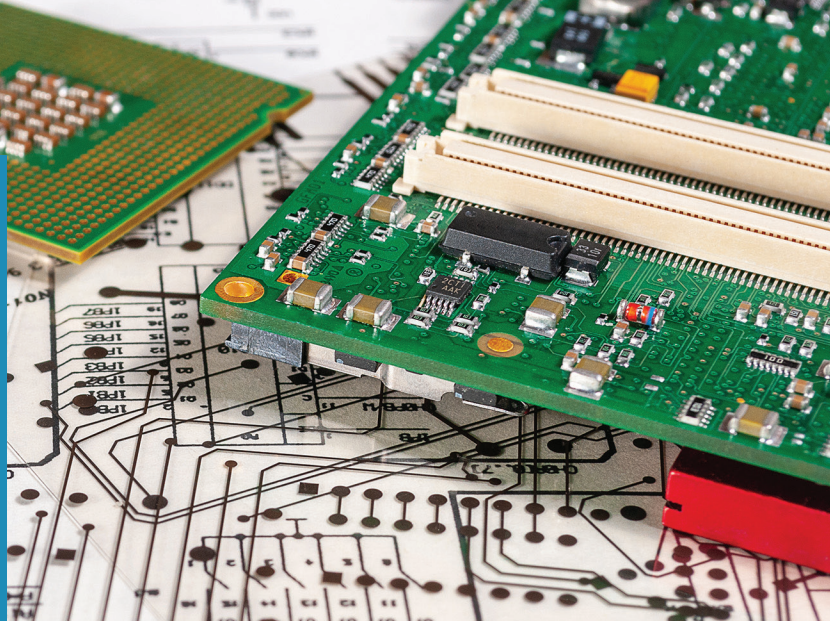
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LAUREN W. is a part-time design engineering associate at **Celestica**. She sought to enhance her education and acquire valuable, marketable skills by enrolling in the **Lean Six Sigma Green Belt** course offered through **McMaster University Continuing Education**.

Lauren discovered the program through her own online research after searching for a program that would complement her skills as she completed her university degree. She experienced a smooth learning journey and received ample support and guidance whenever she needed it, particularly from her instructor through the course project's Kure platform. As Lauren nears the completion of her university degree, this certification has already set her apart from her peers.

The course significantly amplified Lauren's confidence in applying process improvement tools and methodologies in practical scenarios. While initially uncertain about the online format for technical content, she found clear explanations, interactive elements, and real-world examples highly accessible. The root cause analysis section was particularly impactful, empowering her to delve deeper into problem-solving. **ed2go's** interactive learning environment also streamlined her exam preparation, and the support she received during her project enabled her to drive positive change within her current organization.

Since completing the course, Lauren has extended these concepts beyond her professional life, applying them to enhance efficiency in everyday tasks. She describes the experience as valuable and mindset-shifting, yielding benefits in both her career and personal life.

> "Taking the Lean Six Sigma Green Belt course significantly boosted my confidence in applying process improvement tools and methodologies in a real-world setting. I feel equipped to take on operational challenges with a structured, data-driven approach."

$86,000 ANNUAL SALARY

average for a Lean Six Sigma Green Belt specialist in Canada

Source: Payscale

CHALLENGE

Balancing part-time work and university studies with the time commitment required for the certification course was a challenge.

SOLUTION

Online, self-guided ed2go course:

• Lean Six Sigma Green Belt (Exam Cost Included)

RESULTS

Lauren gained significant confidence in Lean Six Sigma fundamentals, distinguished herself from her peers, and is already applying her new skills to drive efficiency both professionally and personally.