



Daniel Griffith
Work Ready Job Seeker Success

Daniel Griffith was delivering pizzas and searching for a better job when he applied for a position at Lithonia Lighting, the largest fluorescent lighting manufacturer in the world and an Acuity Brands company.

Acuity Brands uses Work Ready Certificates to help make hiring decisions, so Daniel went to Heart of Georgia Technical College to take his assessment in hopes of gaining a competitive edge. Daniel successfully earned a Silver Work Ready Certificate. He included his score on his resume and, within weeks, landed a job at Lithonia Lighting.

Daniel began his career at Lithonia Lighting as a temporary cell operator. Within two months, he was hired as a permanent employee because his managers were confident his Work Ready Certificate was a good indicator of his potential to be a dedicated, productive team member.

Only four months after joining the company, Daniel was promoted and has doubled his salary from his pizza delivery days.

Before earning his Work Ready Certificate, Daniel remembers feeling like he would never find a new job. "I felt down for a while, but Work Ready gave me hope. Now, I'm proud of myself and believe this is just the beginning."