

Manufacturing: The Mississippi Landscape

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PACCAR Engine Plant

Columbus, MS



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Canton, MS



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Yokohama Tire Manufacturing Mississippi
West Point, MS

What's Next for
Yokohama?

West Point, Mississippi

Importance of Manufacturing

1. Trade across country borders
2. Multiplier effect is huge
3. Source of innovation
4. Strength of manufacturing base influences community reputation
5. Manufacturing is vital to community, State, and National economies

Optimism - 7 Factors

1. Manufacturing executive attitude positive
2. Trend towards some re-shoring
3. Supplier growth for Regional magnets
4. Mississippi business climate ranks 10th among the 50 states
5. Regional economic development attitude
6. Natural gas production in Mississippi
7. Mississippi leadership team accepts the responsibility for job creation

Concerns in the Landscape

1. Mississippi's economy will track the Nation's economy. Is there a sensible pro-growth agenda in Washington?
2. Need for a focus on Fair Trade
3. Urgency for change/improvement in education
K-PhD must be recognized and acted upon

Manufacturer's Needs

1. Good personal habits and values
2. Positive business climate
3. Recognition that manufacturers are wealth creators
4. Commitment to learn
5. People who are trained in disciplines where there are jobs
6. Basic competencies
 - Read
 - Write
 - Basic Math
 - Critical Thinking

Apply to PACCAR Engine Company

Applicants must be 18 years or older and have a high school diploma or equivalent to be considered for employment. Relevant training, college, or technical school course will also be considered. **Preference will be given to those applicants completing East Mississippi Community College manufacturing skills and industrial maintenance programs.**

Only on-line applications will be accepted. No emails, telephone calls, or mail will be accepted.

Please be aware that you must be successful at each stage of PACCAR Engine Company's Selection Process, before being contacted and scheduled for the next stage. Please be patient as the selection process may take several months due to the large volume of candidates.

Applicants must successfully complete each of the following stages of PACCAR Engine Company's Selection Process:

- On-Line Application
- A Series of Competency-Based Assessments
- Interviews
- A Background Check & Substance Abuse Screen

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Golden Triangle CMTE 2.0