BioCareer Pathway for **Maintenance Worker**

**Recent Graduates**
- A mechanical engineering degree is required by most bioeconomy companies. However, some will accept a high school diploma or equivalent, especially if the candidate also has a Journeyperson Certificate in a mechanical trade. High school courses in shop, mechanical drawing, blueprint reading, science and math are an asset.

**Job Functions**
(You may be responsible for more than one)
- Daily equipment monitoring, repairs, and maintenance
- Inspecting and diagnosing equipment problems
- Adjusting or repairing malfunctioning equipment
- Obtaining parts and supplies

**Career Change**
Machine Operator (with skills upgrade)

- **Entry-level**
  - Maintenance Worker I

- **2-4 Years**
  - Maintenance Worker II

- **4-7 Years**
  - Maintenance Worker III

- **7-10 Years**
  - Maintenance Manager
  (Management training may be required for this position.)

Actual job titles may vary slightly between organizations.