

# **Client Success Story: AMBICO**

# **CHALLENGE**

Founded in Ottawa in 1955, AMBICO has evolved into a worldclass, industry-leading manufacturer of specialized doors, frames and windows.

But that success has not come easily. The company needs more than conventional skillsets for the high-performance products it designs and builds. That presents a continuing challenge. AMBICO realized that it needed a higher level of execution in its hiring and training practices.

### **INSIGHT**

ACCT supports
Algonquin College's role
as the lead partner in
a coalition of Eastern
Ontario colleges working
together to deliver
provincially funded,
sector-based training and
development programs
that align workforce skills
with business needs.

The five-college consortium's initial focus was on delivering training to employers and job seekers in the steel and aluminum manufacturing and metal fabrication sectors.

# **SOLUTION**

Through a collaborative approach, ACCT developed and delivered five projects that were priorities for AMBICO, including health and safety training and a customer experience and transactional project management program.

In addition, ACCT produced and delivered online video training for standard operating procedures and production line onboarding and stainless steel door finishing.

# **RESULT**

AMBICO gained a more consistent onboarding process and, through the funding provided via the college consortium, training resources with a production value beyond what the company could have afforded on its own.

The training and resources provided by ACCT also elevated the company's appearance as a destination employer offering desirable manufacturing jobs in the Ottawa area.

