

Elvia Quintanilla

Elvia is the founder of Texas Technical Trade, a trade school that offers hands-on training in electrical technician skills, led by a master & electrical engineer. She has over 10 years of experience in workforce development and higher education in high demand trades, and is a member of the TEDC, a network of professionals and organizations that promote economic growth and competitiveness in the state.

Her mission and focus is to educate all communities, especially those with limited access or resources, about the opportunities and benefits of pursuing a career in the electrical industry, which provides educational pathways at no cost to students and helps them achieve financial stability for themselves and their families. She is passionate about empowering and supporting her students to succeed in the workforce and beyond, and has facilitated multiple partnerships with employers, agencies, and institutions to create career pathways and placement opportunities for her graduates.