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Congratulations to **CLAAS** Omaha, Inc. on receiving this year's GACC Apprenticeship Award and to **Matt Dörner**, mechatronics apprentice with CLAAS, on being recognized for his exceptional initiative, technical skill, and dedication to his craft.

Yesterday's German American Apprenticeship Conference was a great success, celebrating how the apprenticeship model unlocks opportunities, creates meaningful pathways, and helps shape the future of skilled work.

Thank you to all who joined us and to the **Embassy of Germany in Washington, D.C.** for hosting yesterday's conference.

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We're proud to announce that **CLAAS** Omaha, Inc. has been honored with the 2025 GACC Apprenticeship Award at the German American Apprenticeship Conference in Washington, D.C.! us

This recognition celebrates **CLAAS**'s commitment to empowering apprentices and fostering a culture of growth, mentorship, and innovation through the **ICATT Apprenticeship Program**. **CLAAS** joined the ICATT® Apprenticeship Program in 2019 with its first cohort of apprentices — contributing to the mission of developing skilled, future-ready professionals.

Special recognition goes to **Matt Dörner**, Mechatronics Apprentice of the 2023 Cohort, whose inspiring journey reflects the power of curiosity, resilience, and lifelong learning!

Thank you to all mentors and apprentices for making this achievement possible. Together, we're building the future of manufacturing—one apprentice at a time.

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