

# What kind of employer are you looking for ?



One that takes you to the forefront of technology and leadership?  
One with a strong historical foundation and vision for the future?  
At Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) we are all of the above and more. BPA provides its employees with a wide array of career choices and opportunities to advance their skills while on the job. Our Student Engineering Program is just one example. Consider becoming part of our community today and see what we have to offer.

At BPA, we give our student trainees the opportunity to advance their skills in hands-on situations. All of our programs are year-round and include a comprehensive mix of beginning, intermediate, and advanced skills instruction in applying methodology and principals of planning and design elements. Consider applying for one of our student positions today and take your skills to a new level.

## Civil Engineering

### Student Trainee (Civil Engineer), GS-03

You may work in Conductor, Structure, Civil Design, or Transmission Project Engineering assisting with drawing and document preparation. Here you will gain experience with Microsoft products including Word and Excel. Required knowledge includes engineering, science, and mathematical fundamentals.

### Student Trainee (Civil Engineer), GS-05

As a trainee, you may gain exposure to transmission line design procedures and various types of hardware and proper applications in transmission projects. Knowledge of engineering fundamentals is required.

### Civil Engineer, GS-07

Assist Design and Project Engineers in the development of design packages to build transmission lines. A practical understanding of engineering principles, concepts, and methodology associated with transmission assignments is required. Knowledge of a wide range of technical methods and practices is needed to demonstrate skill in the completion of routine assignments.

## Recommended completed coursework

### Accelerated Consecutive Promotion Program for Entry-Level Engineers

The goal of the program is to acquaint you more quickly with the customs and practices of our engineering programs. A combination of on-the-job instruction and off-the-job self – development will be provided. Trainees entering the program may be eligible for consecutive promotions to the next two or three levels after successful completion of six months of intensive accelerated training at each level.

For more information on BPA's engineering positions or how to apply, please visit our career link at [www.bpa.gov](http://www.bpa.gov) or direct your questions to [resumes@bpa.gov](mailto:resumes@bpa.gov). As an Equal Opportunity Employer, BPA combines diverse minds in a single, powerful body. US citizenship required.

