## Overview

### Open & closing dates
Opening and closing dates 04/23/2018 to 05/07/2018

### Pay scale & grade
GS 07 - 09

### Appointment type
Permanent

### Salary
$46,609 to $73,105 per year

### Work schedule
Full-Time
Location

Few vacancies in the following location:

Washington DC, DC

Relocation expenses reimbursed
No

This job is open to

The public
U.S. citizens, nationals or those who owe allegiance to the U.S.

Duties

Summary

If you are ready to begin your new career or are looking for a place to make an impact, what better place than the top ranked agency in the federal government? We are looking for the best and brightest to join our team of dedicated professionals here at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), where we are ranked number one in the Best
Places to Work in the federal government rankings.

FERC's role is to oversee various aspects of the energy industry, including transmission of electricity, natural gas and oil. We also analyze proposals to build liquefied natural gas terminals and interstate natural gas pipelines and license hydropower projects. To help support the modernization of the electric system here in the U.S., we are focusing on issues associated with a smarter grid.

Our employees gain valuable work experience that provides them with the career boost that they are seeking. We need people like you to help us move the industry forward and continue to shape the future of energy policy. Join us and help make a difference!

This position is included in the bargaining unit.  
Please note - Only your resume and cover letter will be forwarded to the selecting official. More than one selection may be made from this announcement and the office for that selection may vary.

Learn more about this agency

Responsibilities

The mission of the Office of Energy Projects is to foster economic and environmental benefits for the nation in support of the Commission’s review and oversight of hydroelectric and natural gas pipeline energy projects in its jurisdiction. OEP has the engineering and environmental expertise to focus on evaluating project siting and construction; balancing environmental and other concerns; ensuring compliance; and safeguarding the public. The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission is seeking a highly motivated and qualified candidate for an exciting full-time permanent position within the Division of Gas - Environment & Engineering. The position is located in the Washington Office, and the incumbent will serve as a LNG Engineer.

Major Duties for the position are:

- Studies a variety of engineering and safety problems in evaluating the design, construction, and operation of liquefied natural gas (LNG) facilities.

- Assists senior LNG engineers in conducting reviews of environmental reports, and makes preliminary determinations on their adequacy and conformity with the requirements of the Natural Gas Act and the Commission's rules, regulations, orders, precedents, and procedures.
- Assists senior LNG engineers in conducting post-authorization design reviews and construction inspections of LNG facilities, and operational inspections of LNG peakshaving facilities and LNG import/export terminals.

- Participates in on-site investigations of proposed projects and existing LNG facilities to gather information on the effects that these will or could potentially have on the immediate and/or adjacent areas.

Duties and responsibilities at the GS-7 level may be of less complexity.

**Travel Required**

Occasional travel - .

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### Who May Apply

This job is open to...

Open All Sources

Questions? This job is open to 1 group.

### Job family (Series)

0801 General Engineering
0803 Safety Engineering
0804 Fire Protection Engineering
0810 Civil Engineering
0830 Mechanical Engineering

### Similar jobs
Requirements

Conditions of Employment

• Must be a U.S. Citizen.

• One year probationary period may be required.

• Generally, male applicants must be registered with the Selective Service.

• A background investigation is required.

• Transcripts are required at time of application.

Your resume must clearly document how you meet the specialized experience in order to meet the minimum qualification requirements for this vacancy. Transcripts must be submitted at time of application. All required documents must be received by the closing date of this announcement. If you do not submit a required document (e.g. transcripts, etc.) your application will be considered incomplete and you will not receive further consideration.

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT: If selected for this position, you will be required to:
- Complete a Declaration for Federal Employment to determine your suitability for Federal employment.
- Have your salary sent to a financial institution of your choice by Direct Deposit/Electronic Fund Transfer.
- Go through a Personal Identity Verification (PIV) process that requires two forms of identification from the Form I-9. Federal law requires verification of the identity and employment eligibility of all new hires in the U.S.
In addition to meeting the educational requirements for an Engineer, candidates must meet the following requirements:

**For the GS-7 level:** Must possess 1 year of graduate level education OR must meet Superior Academic Achievement provisions OR must possess a combination of post high school education and experience that together meet the qualification requirements for this position OR one full year (52 weeks) or more of specialized experience equivalent in responsibility and scope at the GS-5 level as described below.

**Specialized Experience:** Experience performing safety, reliability, and engineering analysis.

**For the GS-9 level:** Must possess 2 years of progressively higher level graduate education leading to a master's degree or master's or equivalent graduate degree OR must possess a combination of graduate level education beyond the first year of progressive graduate study and appropriate experience that together meet the qualification requirements of this position OR one full year of specialized experience at or equivalent to the GS-7 level.

**Specialized experience:** Experience performing safety, reliability and engineering analysis of energy projects.

**Education**

OPM Education Requirement: All candidates must meet the educational requirement for Engineering. Information can be found at: [https://www.ferc.gov/careers/qualifications/0810.asp](https://www.ferc.gov/careers/qualifications/0810.asp)

Transcripts are required at time of application (unofficial are acceptable). All educational requirements must be met by 6/30/18.

**Additional information**

When promotion potential is shown, the agency is not making a commitment and is not obligated to provide future promotions to you if you are selected. Future promotions will be dependent on your ability to perform the duties at a higher level, the continuing need for an employee assigned to the higher level and administrative approval. You must [Read more](https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/497557600[4/26/2018 10:20:11 AM])
How You Will Be Evaluated

You will be evaluated for this job based on how well you meet the qualifications above.

We will review your resume, responses to the questionnaire and required documents to ensure you meet the basic qualification requirements. Your resume must address the position qualifications criteria. Your background checks and security clearance will also be reviewed.

Read more

Background checks and security clearance

Security clearance

Other

Required Documents

Please note that if you do not provide all required information by the closing of the announcement, as specified in this announcement, you will not be considered for this position (or may not receive the special consideration, e.g. Vet's Preference, for which you may be eligible).

ICTAP PRIORITY PROVISIONS: Current or former Federal employees who are or were on career or career conditional appointments may have special priority selection rights under the Interagency Career Transition Assistance Program (ICTAP). To receive this consideration, applicants must be well qualified for the position to which applying. To be well qualified, applicants must fall within the Best Qualified category. You will need to provide the Federal Agency Name and date of your Reduction in Force notice, what your most recent performance rating was and your position, grade level and duty location of your last SF-50. At time of appointment, you will be required to provide a copy of agency Reduction in Force notice, a copy of most recent performance rating and a copy of most recent SF-50. You must provide a statement of eligibility at the point of application.

VETERANS' PREFERENCE DOCUMENTATION If you are claiming veterans' preference, you must submit a copy of your Certificate of Release or Discharge From Active Duty, DD-214 (Member 4 copy), or other official documentation from a branch of the Armed Forces or the Department of Veterans Affairs showing dates of service and type of discharge. 10 point preference eligibles must also submit an Application for 10-point Veteran Preference, SF-15, along with the required documentation listed on the back of the SF-15 form. An SF-15 may be found at:

**If you are relying on your education to meet qualification requirements:**

Education must be accredited by an accrediting institution recognized by the U.S. Department of Education in order for it to be credited towards qualifications. Therefore, provide only the attendance and/or degrees from schools accredited by accrediting institutions recognized by the U.S. Department of Education.

Failure to provide all of the required information as stated in this vacancy announcement may result in an ineligible rating or may affect the overall rating.

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**Benefits**

A career with the U.S. Government provides employees with a comprehensive benefits package. As a federal employee, you and your family will have access to a range of benefits that are designed to make your federal career very rewarding. Learn more about federal benefits.

Review our benefits

Eligibility for benefits depends on the type of position you hold and whether your position is full-time, part-time, or intermittent. Contact the hiring agency for more information on the specific benefits offered.

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**How to Apply**

You are strongly encouraged to read the entire announcement before you submit your application for this position.

Please click on the following link for detailed instructions on how to apply: How To Apply
Once your complete application is received we will conduct an evaluation of your qualifications and determine your ranking. The best qualified candidates will be referred to the hiring manager for further consideration and possible interview. You will be notified of the status of your application up to four times throughout the application process.

Read more
Reasonable Accommodation Policy

Federal agencies must provide reasonable accommodation to applicants with disabilities where appropriate. Applicants requiring reasonable accommodation for any part of the application and hiring process should contact the hiring agency directly. Determinations on requests for reasonable accommodation will be made on a case-by-case basis.

Legal and regulatory guidance

- Financial suitability
- Social security number request
- Privacy Act
- Signature and false statements
- Selective Service
- New employee probationary period

Job Applications

- All
- Advancing
- Paused
- Stopped

Account

- Home
- Profile
- Documents
- Saved Jobs
- Saved Searches
- Username & Password