Qualifications We Require

You bring the confidence and skills to be eligible for the job by meeting these minimum requirements:

- Earned bachelor's degree
- Currently attending and enrolled full time (or scheduled to graduate in the spring) in an accredited graduate program
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.04.0
- Ability to work up to 40 hours per week during the summer
- U.S. citizenship

Additional Requirements:

- Must currently be pursuing a Master's degree in engineering (e.g., Fire Protection, Electrical, Mechanical, Civil, etc.)

Note: If you have not yet started your graduate program, please apply to an undergraduate intern position.

Qualifications We Desire

- Demonstrated ability to team across disciplines
- Ability to conduct research, investigate alternative solutions, and recommend solutions on problems affecting fire protection
- Understanding of applicable federal laws, regulations, and building and fire codes
- Knowledge of chemistry and understanding of how to use material safety data sheets (MSDS) to perform fire characterization analyses
- Knowledge of the scientific method to recognize and formulate hypotheses on fire scenarios, model these scenarios using computational fire dynamic simulation tools to perform fire hazards analyses, and performance-based engineering analyses
- Knowledge of fire and combustion sciences
- Understanding of fire dynamics modeling and hydraulic calculation software

About Our Team

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About Sandia

Sandia National Laboratories is the nation’s premier science and engineering lab for national security and technology innovation, with teams of specialists focused on cutting-edge work in a broad array of areas. Some of the main reasons we love our jobs:

- Challenging work with amazing impact that contributes to security, peace, and freedom worldwide
- Extraordinary co-workers
- Some of the best tools, equipment, and research facilities in the world
- Career advancement and enrichment opportunities
- Flexibie schedules, generous vacations, strong medical and other benefits, competitive 401k, learning opportunities, relocation assistance and amenities aimed at creating a solid work/life balance


*These benefits vary by job classification.

Security Clearance

Position requires a Department of Energy (DOE)-granted L-level security clearance.

Sandia is required by DOE directive to conduct a pre-employment drug testing, and a pre-employment background review that includes personal reference checks, law enforcement record and credit checks, and employment and education verifications. Applicants for employment must be able to obtain and maintain a DOE L-level security clearance, which requires U.S. citizenship.

Applicants offered employment with Sandia are subject to a federal background investigation to meet the requirements for access to classified information or matter if the duties of the position require a DOE security clearance. Substance abuse or illegal drug use, falsification of information, criminal activity, serious misconduct or other indicators of untrustworthiness can cause a clearance to be denied or terminated by the DOE, rendering the inability to perform the duties assigned and resulting in termination of employment.

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Equal opportunity employer/Disability/Vet/ Olel.

What Your Job Will Be Like

We are seeking an Intern Summer – Technical Grad

The Building & Fire Safety Department within the Facilities and Emergency Management Center is looking for a summer graduate engineering student to support fire protection engineers in evaluations and projects.

On any given day, you may be called on to:

- Perform field inspections
- Evaluate various hazards
- Research codes and standards
- Initiate corrective actions
- Have exposure to the many aspects of planning, constructing and maintaining facilities for success of our National Security Programs