UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA)

Protecting Human Health and the Environment



EPA Region 5

77 W. Jackson Blvd. Chicago, IL 60604



The EPA Region 5 has an excellent opportunity for recent college and graduate students who have an interest in employment with the EPA.

Positions will be available in the following occupation:

Environmental Engineer or Scientist (Recent Graduates Program), GS-7/9, Starting Salary: \$45,703-\$59,412.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, Air and Radiation Division, Air Programs Branch is seeking highly qualified, energetic engineers and scientists.

The successful candidate for this position will possess the technical, leadership, and communication skills needed to:

- Communicate policy and procedural guidelines to state, local, and tribal air agencies, and work with them to
 coordinate the development of required revisions to State Implementation Plans (SIPs) and source-specific SIP
 actions.
- Review and evaluate portions of straightforward state-submitted SIP revisions for technical, procedural, and/or
 regulatory adequacy and compliance with Clean Air Act (CAA) requirements; and work with higher-grade specialists
 to produce technical documentation supporting the Agency's decision on SIP rule making actions.
- Perform assigned portions of professional and technical projects to provide technical assistance to state, local, and
 tribal air agencies in the control of air pollutants to meet the requirements of the CAA related to the National Ambient
 Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) and other control programs, including the review, development, or revision of SIPs.

Interested Applicants MUST apply through USAjobs.gov, CI-R5-OT-2018-0002, Environmental Engineer/Physical Scientist.

Mailed applications will **NOT** be accepted.

Required Documents:

ALL APPLICANTS MUST PROVIDE:

- 1. Proof of successful completion of required course work (copy of transcripts or a list of courses that show title, credits earned, dates completed and degree awarded if applicable).
- 2. Resume (which includes the projected graduation date).



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EPA Employee Benefits:

Insurance:

Variety of health insurance providers to fit personal needs

Dental insurance

Vision insurance

Long-term insurance

Life Insurance

Flexible Spending Accounts for healthcare and dependent care

Retirement/Savings Plan:

Opportunity to participate in Thrift Savings Training/educational opportunities Plan (high-performing pre-tax 401K)

Agency matches up to 5% of salary contributions to the program

Ten paid federal holidays

Chicago Region 5 Office

In the heart of Downtown Chicago

Close to public transportation

Employee Fitness Center

Flexible work schedules/time off:

Daily flex work schedule

4 hours per pay period (bi-weekly) of vacation first year

4 hours per pay period (bi-weekly) of sick leave first year

Tuition reimbursement for approved courses

Career and personal development opportunities

Transit subsidy

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The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is a federal agency whose mission is to protect human health and the environment. EPA employs 17,000 people across the country, including on-scene coordinators, environmental protection specialists, engineers, scientists, policy analysts, public affairs specialists, financial and information management analysts and many others.