

## THE ENERGY INDUSTRY: CHARGE YOUR FUTURE

If you are a natural problem-solver and critical thinker... and if you're looking for a stable career to both charge and change your future, consider a career in energy!

The energy industry is home to over 100 kinds of skilled, well-paying careers that offer reliable employment. There are jobs for thinkers and tinkerers, outdoor enthusiasts and office specialists, those who love droids and drones, engineers and environmentalists, those who like heights and those who want to explore beneath the earth's surface.

The energy industry — and those who work within it — power life at home and the places we learn, play, heal, and work. These men and women, whether they are climbing a utility ladder or a corporate ladder, are essential to life in America.

## **OUR PROFESSIONALS:**

- Create electricity from the sun, wind, and even volcanoes
- Operate heavy equipment to install and repair essential gas lines
- Restore power to homes after storms
- Support and lead the country's transition to clean energy
- Research, problem-solve, and create solutions
- Discover innovative uses for cuttingedge technology to drive organizational efficiency
- Manage teams of people and provide excellent customer service

Energy professionals are highly trained, highly skilled, and proud of the impact their work has on communities across the country — and they are in high demand.



## WHAT DO ENERGY PROFESSIONALS DO?

There's no easy way to answer the question about what our professionals do — it's more like, what don't they do? With so many career specialties, people with varied interests, skills, life-experiences, passions, and aptitudes power their future in the energy sector.

## WHAT KINDS OF **CAREERS EXIST IN THE ENERGY INDUSTRY?**

Construction and Utility Workers **Customer Service Technicians** 

**Electric Power Line Installers** 

**Environmental Specialists Health and Safety Specialists** Information Technology Specialists **Marketing Specialists** Meter Readers

**Nuclear Power Reactor Operators Quality Control Professionals Security Personnel** 

#### WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF ENERGY INDUSTRY CAREERS?

There's a lot to love about working in the energy industry. Here's what professionals most often say they like best about their career:

- Doing essential and meaningful work
- Job security
- Strong earning potential and benefits
- Protecting our nation's resources
- Serving their local community
- Quality and scope of training programs
- Career advancement
- Feam-oriented work
- Being part of a reliable and trusted profession
- Helping restore people's lives after storms and natural disasters
- Doing challenging work

## FAST FACTS ABOUT ENERGY INDUSTRY EMPLOYMENT

- The energy industry supports 7 million jobs.
- Today's energy sector is heavily reliant on technology proficiency.
- The industry has hundreds of apprenticeship programs, many providing earn and learn potential.
- Average compensation for key industry jobs is \$75,000. Many — for those with and without college degrees — pay much more.
- Many industry careers focus on environmental stewardship.
- Energy companies are actively seeking a more diverse workforce.



## READY TO LEARN MORE?

Explore careers, job openings, and apprenticeships and learn how to get started in the energy industry at GetIntoEnergy.com.

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