



Participate in a ten week paid work experience program to learn about trades with BC Hydro. Gain exposure in up to two BC Hydro trades occupations such as: CPC Technicians, Electricians, Carpenters, Tool and Material Handlers, Meter Technicians, Truck and Transportation Mechanics, Interchange Plant Operators, Machine Operators and Mechanics/Machinists/Millwrights.

Check out this video for an overview of the program:

bchydro.com/community/indigenous-relations/opportunities/individuals/skills-training.html

Program intake:

Applications: June 2022

Positions available: Hiring up to 10 individuals

Program dates:

Mandatory onboarding and safety training: October 2022 (some training likely to take place at BC Hydro Trades Training Centre in Surrey)

Site placements: October–December 2022 depending on business requirements

Offboarding and evaluation week: December 2022 (may take place at BC Hydro Trades Training Centre in Surrey)

Locations: We have potential job shadow placements at various facilities and locations across B.C. Site locations will be determined based on candidate interest and business needs

Program eligibility:

- Must be Indigenous
- Ability to learn and understand related safety regulations
- Preferably a High School Grad with English 12, Math 11 and Science 11 (Physics preferred) or a combination of education and/or work experience in a trades-related environment
- Valid B.C. Class 5 Driver's license; or ability to obtain one
- Physical capability
- Demonstrate a strong focus in a trades career path

Questions? Email Indigenous.Employment@bchydro.com

How to apply:

1. Select the Try-A-Trade Program job posting on our Current Opportunities webpage:
bchydro.com/toolbar/careers/current_opp.html
2. Select 'Apply'
3. Create a BC Hydro Careers profile (or login to an existing Careers Profile)
4. Follow the 8 steps outlined in the application form

The following documents must be uploaded:

- Declaration of Indigenous affiliation
- Cover letter
- Resume
- Copy of transcripts (high school or other)
- Copy of safety and other training certificates
- Copy of relevant apprenticeship transcripts or trade qualifications (if applicable)