

United States  
**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**



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EPA is seeking talented people who have an interest in protecting human health and the environment in a variety of job occupations. Our main occupations are Environmental Engineer (0819), Environmental Scientist (1301) and Environmental Protection Specialist (0028). We also seek talented professionals in Human Resources (0201), Budget (0560) and Program Analysis (0343), IT (2210), Contracts (1102), and other Administrative Specialties (0318/0301). If you would like an opportunity to gain professional workforce experience in our San Francisco, California Regional Office, keep checking our Region 9 careers website or the [www.usajobs](http://www.usajobs.gov) website weekly for the next few months or **you can set your usajobs website profile up to receive notification of openings in certain occupations (occupations are listed after titles above)**. Recent graduates should seek opened delegated exam announcements. You don't want to miss out on these great opportunities which are open for short periods of time (5 days)!! Opportunities will be at the entry, mid or high level so please read the entire vacancy announcement to see if you qualify and are eligible to apply.

**WE OFFER**

- ❖ ***Competitive Salaries***
- ❖ ***Opportunities to Work with Career Professionals in Emerging Environmental Programs***
- ❖ ***Immediate Training and On-Going Career Development***
- ❖ ***Excellent Health Insurance, Life Insurance and Retirement Benefits***
- ❖ ***Flexible Working Hours and Excellent Vacation Benefits***

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**ABBREVIATED QUALIFICATION STANDARDS AND SALARIES FOR EPA REGION IX  
MOST COMMONLY HIRED POSITIONS**

**Environmental Protection Specialist – GS-09 SF hourly wage: \$26.92**

This position title is hired at the GS-9 and requires a master's degree or equivalent graduate degree or two full years of progressively higher-level graduate education leading to such a degree or a bachelor's degree and one year of full time employment directly related to the position for which one has applied. Degrees are typically in the public administration, public policy, urban planning or political science. College backgrounds also demonstrate coursework in environmental studies.

**Environmental Engineer - SF hourly wage: GS-05/07/09 \$17.76, \$22.00, \$26.92**

This position title is hired at the GS-5/7/9 and requires a degree in professional engineering or a combination of education and experience. This combination includes college-level education, training, and/or technical experience that furnished (1) a thorough knowledge of the physical and mathematical sciences underlying professional engineering, and (2) a good understanding, both theoretical and practical, of the engineering sciences and techniques and their applications to one of the branches of engineering. Degrees are typically in civil, mechanical, environmental, hydrological, aerospace or agricultural engineering.

**Environmental Scientist, SF hourly wage: GS-05/07/09 \$17.76, \$22.00, \$26.92**

This position title is typically hired at the GS-5/7/9 and requires successful completion of a full 4-year course of study in an accredited college or university leading to a bachelor's or higher degree that included a major field of study, or appropriate combination of education and experience. Degrees are typically in the general physical sciences, chemistry, physics, hydrology, meteorology, geology, oceanography or cartography.

**Life Scientist - SF hourly wage: GS-05/07/09 \$17.76, \$22.00, \$26.92**

This position title is typically hired at the GS-5/7/9. It requires successful completion of a full 4-year course of study in an accredited college or university leading to a bachelor's or higher degree that included a major field of study or an appropriate combination of education and experience. Degrees are typically in ecology, biology, zoology and botany.

**Entry Grade Level Education/Experience Requirements:**

- GS-5 Bachelor's degree, **\$17.76 an hour**
- GS-7 Bachelor's degree and superior academic standing (2.95 or higher) or one year of full-time related professional experience, **\$22.00 an hour**
- GS-9 Master's degree or one year full-time related professional experience, **\$26.92 an hour**

For specific information about qualification requirements, job opportunities, and application procedures, contact our website [www.epa.gov/region09/careers](http://www.epa.gov/region09/careers) or [www.opm.gov/qualifications](http://www.opm.gov/qualifications).



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