



Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards (OAQPS) 2022 Spring & Summer Intern Program

The primary mission of [OAQPS](#) is to preserve and improve air quality in the United States. To accomplish this, we:

- compile and review air pollution data
- develop regulations to limit and reduce air pollution
- report to Congress the status of air pollution and the progress made in reducing it
- assist states and local agencies with monitoring and controlling air pollution
- make information about air pollution available to the public

What jobs are available?

We are seeking student interns for our RTP, Durham NC campus. OAQPS hires people with diverse skill sets. Positions we want to fill at RTP include:

- **Administration (Program Analyst) (GS-0399/05, 07)**
- **Environmental Protection Specialist Trainee (GS-0099/05, 07)**
- **General Engineer Trainee (GS-899/05, 07)**
- **IT Specialist Trainee (GS-2299/04)**
- **Life Scientist Trainee (GS-499/05, 07)**
- **Physical Scientist Trainee (GS-1399/05,07)**



When can I apply?

Postings open the week of **December 6, 2021** and close at 11:59 pm the day the 100th application is received, or the date stated. To apply, visit www.usajobs.gov. Search keyword 'EPA' and location 'Durham NC'.



For more information, visit www.epa.gov/careers. U.S. citizenship required. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is an Equal Opportunity

Who can apply?

Individuals enrolled or accepted for enrollment seeking a diploma, certification, bachelor's degree, graduate degree, or professional degree from a qualifying educational institution. Individuals applying under the [Pathways Internship Positions](#) qualify for an initial appointment based on their educational achievements.

Do I need to have any experience?

For [GS-04](#) level positions, you need to have completed two full academic years of post-high school study or an associate's degree. To qualify for the [GS-09](#) level, you need to have completed a Master's (or equivalent graduate degree) or 2 academic years of progressively higher level graduate education.

Questions about how to apply?

Contact Rita Vestal at vestal.rita@epa.gov

Questions about our Intern Program?

Contact Kimberly Keith-Thompson at keith-thompson.kimberly@epa.gov