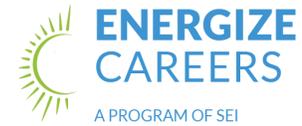


## Building Retrofit Field Technicians \$18.00/hr

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SEI is seeking applicants for the position of Building Retrofit Field Technicians, placed with Contractor partner Applied Building Science (ABS).

The Energize Careers Program allows individuals to gain real-world energy career experience in the following ways:

- Gain useful building performance and electrification skills and techniques.
- Develop technical skills and career readiness through training and work experience.
- Access resources and mentoring to increase participation and success in energy careers.

Participants work approximately 160 hours at an hourly rate of \$18 per hour. Applicants will receive preferred consideration for, and must be open to, a job at the placement site following this subsidized employment program. ABS is headquartered in Santa Rosa and serves clients primarily in Sonoma and Marin Counties. The position will start each day at the office in Santa Rosa.

ABS is a forty-year-old Building Performance Retrofit contractor (lic# 387247) based in Santa Rosa. Their specialty is the comprehensive retrofitting of existing buildings to significantly reduce their greenhouse gas emissions, improve comfort, and reduce utility bills. They do this by upgrading a home's thermal shell, then replacing its gas furnace and water heater with high efficiency all electric equipment. Their motto is "We Bring Buildings Into the 21st Century".

An ABS Field Technician will work on projects such as upgrading insulation, installing a new electric mini-split heating and cooling system, replacement of windows and doors, new electric heat pump water heater installation, lighting upgrades, correcting minor building defects, installing new electric circuits, and installation of solar systems. When they are done, homes have lower, or sometimes no energy bills, and greatly reduced greenhouse gas emissions.

ABS provides career advancement opportunities and training to continually upgrade your knowledge and skills. This is an opportunity to join a growing, future-oriented company, dedicated to preserving the quality of our environment for future generations.

Visit their website at: [www.absnorthbay.com](http://www.absnorthbay.com)

### APPLICANTS MUST:

- Be a high school graduate.
- Be mechanically handy.
- Be physically fit and able to crawl and work inside small spaces that are only 18" high; and be able to hold up your entire body weight as you crouch inside attics or crawl spaces.

- Have dependable transportation to Santa Rosa and job sites throughout Sonoma and Marin Counties.
- Commit to lifetime learning.
- Be an effective collaborator and have teamwork experience.
- Be an organized self-starter with excellent time management skills
- Be able to provide valid Federal I-9 form required identification and authorization for employment.
- Prior construction experience is preferred.

#### TO APPLY

To apply please send a resume and cover letter to SEI at [energizecareers@seiinc.org](mailto:energizecareers@seiinc.org).

This opportunity is funded by MCE rate payers, and Participants are employed by SEI through our Energize Careers program.

#### PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

This position requires applicants to perform the following tasks: sit, stand, crawl in tight places, walk, carry and/or lift up to 40 pounds, reach above shoulder level, bend, squat, crouch, kneel, push/pull, grasp.

SEI is proud to be an equal opportunity employer and is committed to promoting diversity, inclusion, and equity. We believe that a wide array of perspectives contributes to creative climate solutions where all communities thrive. We strive to reflect diverse communities, especially those most impacted by climate change and other kinds of environmental, social, and economic injustices. Persons of color, persons with disabilities, and members of the LGBTQ community are strongly encouraged to apply. A commitment to work and learn within an anti-oppression framework is required. <https://www.seiinc.org/dei.html>