



ESCUELA TÉCNICA DE ELECTRICIDAD, INC.

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JOB PLACEMENT RATES

The Institution uses Document 28.1 to certify and validate the most recent data regarding completion and placement rates, corresponding to the natural year.

PONCE		
PROGRAMS	GRADUATION	PLACEMENT
Electrical Technician	80.18%	73.42%
Refrigeration Technician	80.56%	75.00%
Solar PV Installer	93.33%	76.92%
Advanced Electronics	63.64%	85.71%

SAN JUAN		
PROGRAMS	GRADUATION	PLACEMENT
Electrical Technician	89.87%	79.69%
Refrigeration Technician	75.00%	84.62%
Solar PV Installer	100%	75.00%

FAJARDO		
PROGRAMS	GRADUATION	PLACEMENT
Electrical Technician	86.84%	74.58%
Solar PV Installer	100%	75.00%

The Department of State of Puerto Rico is responsible to evaluate and provide professional certifications and licensures through the Examination Boards. The following are the requirements to obtain certifications and licensures:

REQUIREMENTS FOR A CERTIFICATE TO PRACTICE AS AN APPRENTICE ELECTRICIAN

- Complete the certificate application online, answering all questions and providing all the required documentation as directed.
- Upload a digital, recent copy of the Negative Outstanding Debt or Repayment Compliance Certificate from the local Child Support Administration in the applicant's place, city, country, or state of residence.
- You must be sixteen (16) years of age at the moment of your application's submission.
- Upload a copy of your original birth certificate.
- Upload a copy of an original official certification from the high school OR in its place an official certification of having passed a course of an electrician learners' course offered by an institution that is accredited by the Department of Education.

- Payment in the amount of thirty dollars.
- Upload to the PCS a sworn statement undersigned by a Public Notary from the same place, city, country or state of residence as the applicant.
- Upload a scanned copy in PDF format of the No Penal Record Certificate from the applicant's place, city, country, or state of residence. Those younger than 18 years of age do not need to submit this.
- Upload a copy of a certification from the electrician (who must be a colegio member) who is supervising the apprentice. If you are being supervised for more than one expert, please upload a form for each supervisor.
- If you are not a citizen of the USA, you must upload a copy of your resident alien card (green card), clearly indicating the expiration date.
- Upload a recent copy of an original medical certificate proving that you are in good physical and mental health to work in construction projects, original and recent electrical circuits.
- Upload a recent copy of an original public health certificate with the seal in colors of the Department of Health.

REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSE AS A JOURNEYMAN ELECTRICIAN

- Complete the certificate application online, answering all questions and providing all the required documentation as directed.
- The applicant will have a term of 90 days to file all the requirements that are required in this application. Failure to comply with the requirements, the exam will remain without effect and the applicant should be examined again.
- Upload a copy of a Negative outstanding debt certificate (ASUME) of no more than 90 days of having been issued by the Child Support Administration pursuant to Article 30 of Act No. 86 of August 17, 1994. Please submit certificate of updated payment in case there is any outstanding debt.
- Passing the Journeyman Electricians examination is one of the requirements that the candidate must have at the moment the Board evaluate the application for license.
- Upload an original copy of the Journeyman Electricians pass exam result. The test result is good for ninety days from the printed day on the result notice. The applicant will have a term of ninety (90) working days to apply and submit all requirements for licensure. Failure to comply with this requirement, the result will become null, and the applicant must take the exam again.
- Upload an original copy of evidence of graduation from high school offered by an institution accredited by the Department of education of Puerto Rico.
- Upload an original copy of transcripts showing evidence of 500 study hours in general electricity including renewable energy from a community college or technological institute attached to the public education system, or otherwise, from a private community college duly accredited by the Higher Education Council or licensed by the institutions created by law to those purposes.
- Payment in the amount of thirty dollars.
- Upload to the PCS a sworn statement undersigned by a Public Notary from the same place, city, country or state of residence as the applicant.
- Upload a scanned copy in PDF format of the No Penal Record Certificate from the applicant's place, city, country, or state of residence.
- Upload a recent copy of an original medical certificate proving that you are in good physical and mental health to work in construction projects, original and recent electrical circuits.

- Upload a recent copy of an original public health certificate with the seal in colors of the Department of Health.
- If you are not a citizen of the USA, you must upload a copy of your resident alien card (green card), clearly indicating the expiration date.
- You must be eighteen (18) years of age at the moment of your application's submission.

REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSE AS AN EXPERT ELECTRICIAN

- Complete the certificate application online, answering all questions and providing all the required documentation as directed.
- The applicant will have a term of 90 days to file all the requirements that are required in this application. Failure to comply with the requirements, the exam will remain without effect and the applicant should be examined again.
- Upload a copy of a Negative outstanding debt certificate (ASUME) of no more than 90 days of having been issued by the Child Support Administration pursuant to Article 30 of Act No. 86 of August 17, 1994. Please submit certificate of updated payment in case there is any outstanding debt.
- Passing the Expert Electricians examination is one of the requirements that the candidate must have at the moment the Board evaluate the application for license.
- Upload an original copy of the Theory and Practical Expert Electricians pass exam results. Each part is good for 2 years, so you should pass both parts and apply for the license within a period of 2 years.
- Upload an original copy of evidence of graduation from high school offered by an institution accredited by the Department of education of Puerto Rico.
- Upload an original copy of diploma or graduation certificate from an electrician course with renewable energy and practical in a vocational institution or Institute of technology of the public education system or instead of a private vocational school duly accredited by the Council of Higher Education or licensed by institutions created by law for those purposes. In the alternative, you can be graduated from a duly accredited engineering program. Provided, in both cases, that the approved programs will consist of a minimum of a thousand (1,000) hours of study and practice. In addition, the Tecnológico-Ocupacional Training Council is empowered to validate experience per hour of study, or having completed the course of specific training, or in the future recommend Learning Council of Puerto Rico.
- Payment in the amount of sixty dollars.
- Must be eighteen (18) years old.
- Upload to the PCS a sworn statement undersigned by a Public Notary from the same place, city, country or state of residence as the applicant.
- If you are not a citizen of the USA, you must upload a copy of your resident alien card (green card), clearly indicating the expiration date.
- Upload a scanned copy in PDF format of the No Penal Record Certificate from the applicant's place, city, country, or state of residence.
- Upload a recent copy of an original medical certificate proving that you are in good physical and mental health to work in construction projects, original and recent electrical circuits.
- Upload a recent copy of an original public health certificate with the seal in colors of the Department of Health
- Upload copy of the journeyman certificate (1 year minimum)
- Upload breakdown of hours of training (1,000) if training was taken after March 1993. If the training was taken on or before March 1993, a minimum of 800 will be accepted. Those

candidates who are eligible to apply under the 800 credit hours rule do not have to turn in a copy of their journeyman license.

REQUIREMENTS FOR INITIAL LICENSE AS A REFRIGERATION AND AIR CONDITIONING

- Complete the certificate application online, answering all questions and providing all the required documentation as directed.
- Upload a copy of your exam result.
- Upload a 2 x 2 (passport type) recent, digital photo (not taken more than six months before) scanned in color with a dark background. Photos with a white background are not acceptable.
- Payment in the amount of \$65.00.
- Upload a copy of your High School Diploma (four years) or credit transcript. These must indicate that you have graduated.
- Upload a scanned copy in PDF format of the No Penal Record Certificate from the applicant's place, city, country, or state of residence.
- Upload a recent digital copy of a Negative Outstanding Debt Certificate (ASUME) as required by the Child Support Administration pursuant to Article 30 of Act No. 86 of August 17, 1994. If you have debt, you must submit a current certificate and proof of updated payment plan. This certificate expires 90 days after being issued.
- Upload a digital copy of a medical health certificate issued by the Department of Public Health carrying the seal in colors proving that you are in good physical and mental health to work in installations, and repairs of original and recent cooling and air conditioning equipment. This certificate is valid for one (1) year.
- Upload to the PCS portal the Certification of Studies and the Diploma or transcript of the course of Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Technician from an accredited institution by the Department of Education and by the Council of higher Education certifying that the candidate completed a minimum of 800 hours.
- Upload copy of original and recent birth certificate.
- Upload a copy of your license EPA 608 or Universal. Certificate type I, II, III will not be accepted.
- Upload a copy of your license EPA 609 - is not replaceable by the license of EPA 608/Universal.
- Upload to the PCS a digital copy of a sworn statement undersigned by a Public Notary from the same place, city, country or state of residence as the applicant.
- Upload evidence of active membership issued by the College of Refrigeration and Air Conditioning of Puerto Rico, once you receive approval letter from PCS. PCS will not mail the certificate until the evidence is received.
- You must be eighteen (18) years of age.
- If you are NOT a citizen of the United States, you must upload a copy of both sides of your Resident Alien card (green card), or work permit, indicating the expiration date on the card.