

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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Environmental Scientist 2 or 3 AIR QUALITY DIVISION – STATE IMPLEMENTATION PLANS

JOB SUMMARY

At ADEQ our vision is to be the number one state in the nation in balanced, leading-edge environmental protection; through technical and operational excellence; and radical simplicity for customers and staff. We are currently looking for an employee who is committed to our Agency, passionate to excel in their career and engaged in our mission. Only this caliber of employee will be successful in driving our Agency towards accomplishing our vision.

Our **Environmental Scientist 2 or 3** in the Air Quality Division will be responsible for developing accurate and complete State Implementation Plans (SIPs), including pollutant-specific nonattainment area, infrastructure, and rule-based SIPs, as required by the Clean Air Act. Using knowledge of various scientific disciplines, including meteorology, law, air pollution control techniques, and rule writing, our ESS will synthesize data and regulatory actions into SIPs that ultimately protect air quality in Arizona.

Salary Ranges:

Level 2: \$44,722-\$55,902

Level 3: \$49,194-\$61,493

Do you think you have the combination of commitment, passion, and talent to help drive this Agency to realizing our vision? If so, **apply today**. To learn more about us, our organizational habits known as the ADEQ Way, our culture, and other positions we have open, visit us at [DEQ/careers](#)

IDEAL CANDIDATE

Ideal candidate will possess:

- Bachelor's degree or above in law, environmental management, sustainability, environmental science, environmental studies, earth sciences, or urban planning
- 2 years' experience for **level 2**, 5 years' experience for **level 3** (Master's degree in related field can substitute for 2 years of experience, Doctorate in related field can substitute for 4 years of experience)
- Knowledge of environmental research, State and Federal environmental regulations, environmental rulemaking process, environmental planning in air quality, Arizona's sources of air pollution, air pollution control techniques, and Agency policies and processes
- Ability to follow guidance documents, and other technical instructions in performance of tasks; to understand and apply environmental rules and statutes; to prepare concise and accurate SIPs for and to present those findings in public meetings; and to balance, prioritize and organize multiple tasks and complete assignments by applicable deadlines

BENEFITS

Among the many benefits of a career with the State of Arizona, there are:

- 10 paid holidays per year
- Accrual of sick and annual leave beginning at 12 and 13 days per year respectively for full-time employees
- A top-ranked [retirement program](#) with lifetime pension benefits
- A [robust and affordable insurance](#) plan to include medical, dental, life, short-term and long-term disability
- An incentivized [commuter club](#) and public transportation [subsidy program](#)
- We promote the importance of work/life balance by offering workplace flexibility
- We offer a variety of learning and career development opportunities

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