

Title: Geotechnical Specialist	Effective Date: October 18, 2010	Grade: XIII	Job Category: Technician
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CHARACTERISTICS OF WORK

This position is responsible for the supervision of the functions of the subsurface investigation unit.

EXAMPLES OF WORK

The following examples are intended only as illustrations of various types of work performed. No attempt is made to be exhaustive. Related, similar, or other logical duties are performed as assigned. The Department may require employees to perform functions beyond those contained in job descriptions. The Department may modify job descriptions based on Department needs. The Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department is an "at will" employer.

- Supervise and coordinate activities of the foundation investigation units.
- Repair and modify drilling equipment.
- Survey proposed project sites.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

The educational equivalent to a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university in related field. Knowledge of geotechnical drilling equipment operation and maintenance requirements. Statewide travel. Ability to read and speak the English language sufficiently to converse with the general public, to understand highway traffic signs and signals in the English language, and to respond to official inquiries, and to make entries on reports and records. Valid Class A commercial driver's license with tanker ("N") endorsement. Pre-employment drug test required and subject to additional drug/alcohol testing according to the provisions of the AHTD Drug and Alcohol Testing Program.

("Accredited" means the educational institution or program is accredited by an accrediting organization recognized either by the United States Department of Education or by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation.)