

Tennessee Tech - Geology Professional Licensure Disclosure

To be qualified for registration as a Professional Geologist in Tennessee, students must graduate from a college or university and complete a minimum of 30 semester hours of course work in geology, geophysics, geochemistry, engineering geology, or their subdivisions. Students who graduate from Tennessee Tech with a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Geosciences with a Geology concentration meet this requirement. Students who graduate from Tennessee Tech with a B.S. in Geosciences with a Geography Information Systems Concentration or a B.S. in Geosciences with an Environmental Geology Concentration may not meet the requirement and should discuss with their faculty mentor the completion of elective courses that fall within the above disciplines. Additional information about licensure in Tennessee as a Professional Geologist is available through the [Tennessee Commerce and Insurance Customer Service Center](#).

Tennessee Tech has not determined whether these programs meet the requirements for licensure as a Professional Geologist in other U.S. states or territories. Tennessee Tech recommends that students who plan to seek licensure as a Professional Geologist outside of Tennessee contact the appropriate state or territorial licensing agency to obtain current information about licensure requirements.

State	Licensure Determination	State Licensure Agency
Alabama	Undetermined	https://www.algeobd.alabama.gov/
Alaska	Undetermined	https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/ProfessionalGeologists.aspx
Arizona	Undetermined	https://btr.az.gov/
Arkansas	Undetermined	https://www.arpboard.org/
California	Undetermined	https://www.bpelsg.ca.gov/
Colorado	Undetermined	Colorado does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Connecticut	Undetermined	Connecticut does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Delaware	Undetermined	https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/geology/
District of Columbia	Undetermined	The District of Columbia does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Florida	Undetermined	https://www.myfloridalicense.com/intentions2.asp?chBoard=true&boardid=53&SID=
Georgia	Undetermined	https://sos.ga.gov/georgia-state-board-registration-professional-geologists
Hawaii	Undetermined	Hawaii does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Idaho	Undetermined	https://apps.dopl.idaho.gov/DOPLPortal/BoardPage.aspx?Bureau=GEO
Illinois	Undetermined	https://idfpr.illinois.gov/profs/Geology.asp

Indiana	Undetermined	https://igws.indiana.edu/lpg/
Iowa	Undetermined	Partial Regulation: https://www.iowadnr.gov/Environmental-Protection/Land-Quality/Underground-Storage-Tanks/Licensed-UST-Professionals
Kansas	Undetermined	https://www.ksbtp.ks.gov/
Kentucky	Undetermined	https://bpg.ky.gov/
Louisiana	Undetermined	https://lbopg.org/home.html
Maine	Undetermined	https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/board-licensure-geologists-soil-scientists
Maryland	Undetermined	Maryland does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Massachusetts	Undetermined	Partial Regulation: https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-registration-of-hazardous-waste-site-cleanup-professionals
Michigan	Undetermined	Michigan does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Minnesota	Undetermined	https://www.mn.gov/aelslagid/geology.html
Mississippi	Undetermined	https://www.msbrpg.ms.gov/
Missouri	Undetermined	https://pr.mo.gov/geologists.asp
Montana	Undetermined	Montana does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Nebraska	Undetermined	https://nebog.nebraska.gov/
Nevada	Undetermined	Nevada does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
New Hampshire	Undetermined	https://www.oplc.nh.gov/board-professional-geologists
New Jersey	Undetermined	https://www.nj.gov/lrspboard/
New Mexico	Undetermined	New Mexico does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
New York	Undetermined	http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/geo/
North Carolina	Undetermined	https://www.ncblg.org/
North Dakota	Undetermined	North Dakota does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Ohio	Undetermined	Ohio does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Oklahoma	Undetermined	Oklahoma does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Oregon	Undetermined	https://www.oregon.gov/osbge/pages/default.aspx
Pennsylvania	Undetermined	https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/EngineersLandSurveyorsandGeologists/Pages/default.aspx
Puerto Rico	Undetermined	https://www.estado.pr.gov/en/geologists/
Rhode Island	Undetermined	Rhode Island does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
South Carolina	Undetermined	https://www.llr.sc.gov/geo/pub.aspx

South Dakota	Undetermined	South Dakota does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Tennessee	Undetermined	https://www.tn.gov/commerce/regboards/geologists.html
Texas	Undetermined	https://tbpg.state.tx.us/
Utah	Undetermined	https://dopl.utah.gov/geo/index.html
Vermont	Undetermined	Vermont does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Virginia	Undetermined	https://www.dpor.virginia.gov/Boards/SSWPG/
Washington	Undetermined	https://www.dol.wa.gov/business/geologist/
West Virginia	Undetermined	West Virginia does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.
Wisconsin	Undetermined	https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/GeologistProfessional/Default.aspx
Wyoming	Undetermined	https://wbpg.wyo.gov/
U.S. Virgin Islands	Undetermined	The U.S. Virgin Islands does not require Professional Geologist licensure or registration.