

# Building Operator Training

Operating a building at the highest level of efficiency can be challenging. The increasing complexities of interdependent building systems require building professionals to possess a comprehensive understanding of how the systems work together to optimize energy efficiency.

BGE Energy Efficiency provides financial incentives to help cover the costs associated with building operator training courses. Building professionals can **save up to 100% on enrollment fees, up to \$1,000 per course\***, while improving their understanding of how to optimize their building's controls and implement changes to create a more comfortable, energy-efficient space.

## Why take approved courses?

All courses are nationally recognized and help building operators transform workplaces into more comfortable, energy-efficient and environmentally friendly spaces.

## Who should participate?

The program is designed for building operation professionals, such as building engineers, maintenance workers and electricians, with two or more years of experience.

## Eligibility

Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible:

- Work at a commercial or industrial facility within the BGE service territory for at least 50% of their working hours.
- Be in a position of responsibility for energy management in the facility or have the potential to influence the building's energy performance.

## Learn More

For more information, visit [BGESmartEnergy.com/BOT](https://BGESmartEnergy.com/BOT), call **410-290-1202** or email [business@BGESmartEnergy.com](mailto:business@BGESmartEnergy.com).

\*Limited to one course per person per year.



## Incentives

Each approved applicant will be eligible to receive a financial incentive that covers up to \$1,000 per course\*. Associated costs, including but not limited to travel, food, lodging and test fees, are not eligible for incentives. The applicant must submit proof of attendance via a certificate of completion or other similar documentation in order to receive an incentive.

Applicants must apply for and receive preapproval from BGE before enrolling in a course. BGE has prequalified certain courses from specific training organizations, a list of which can be found at [BGESmartEnergy.com/BOT](https://BGESmartEnergy.com/BOT). In addition, BGE will review all courses proposed by applicants and employers.

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