

## Who we are:

TDOT is a multimodal agency with responsibilities in aviation, public transit, waterways, railroads, and cycling and walking.

The Department of Transportation (TDOT) has over 4,100 employees statewide with regional facilities in Knoxville, Chattanooga, Nashville, and Jackson. TDOT's headquarters is located in downtown Nashville.

## What we do:

The Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) provides citizens and travelers of Tennessee with one of the best transportation systems in the country.

## For more information on this division, please see link below:

<https://www.tn.gov/content/tn/tdot/structures-.html>



## Graduate Transportation Associate

Headquarters Structures Division

**County Location:** Davidson

**Compensation:** \$4,240.00/month with BSCE & \$4,452.00/month with MSCE

## Overview

The Structures Division is responsible for designing and developing plans and specifications relating to all highway structures and for the inspection of all bridges in Tennessee. Key responsibilities include design of foundation conditions, tolerances and complex geometry; the design of major or unusual structures; resolution of hydrology and hydraulic problems; coordination of Geological Survey services; processing of federal disaster assistance, design and development of contract plans specifications; development of automated structural detailing systems; completing bridge evaluations, load ratings and repair plans based on field inspections.

## Responsibilities

The Structures GTA will work in the Evaluation and Rating office with responsibilities include the review and analysis of routine bridge inspection reports to generate bridge load rating capacities, identify need for load posting, and note any areas needing structural repairs. Additional work related to evaluating bridges for special permit loads, super-loads and emergency vehicle loads are also a responsibility of staff in this office.

## Qualifications

A Bachelor's or Master's degree in Civil Engineering is required. Additionally, the GTA must pass the Fundamentals of Engineering (FE) Examination within eleven months of employment.

The ideal GTA candidates will have experience working in technical software such as MicroStation or AutoCad and has a basic understanding of structural principles.

## Applications must be submitted online in order to be considered for the position.

Questions? Email [TDOT.Careers@tn.gov](mailto:TDOT.Careers@tn.gov)

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