

Project Engineer

DeBrine Associates – Greater Reno, NV Area (On-Site)

Role Description

This is a full-time, on-site role for a Project Engineer with DeBrine Associates supporting large-scale data center construction projects in the greater Reno, Nevada area.

As a Project Engineer, you will serve as a critical support role across all phases of construction, from preconstruction through closeout. You will work directly alongside Project Managers and Superintendents to ensure that project documentation, submittals, RFIs, and cost tracking are managed with accuracy and urgency. This role offers hands-on exposure to complex, fast-paced construction operations and a clear path toward project management.

Key Responsibilities

- Prepare, track, and manage submittals, RFIs, and project correspondence.
- Assist with procurement activities including bid solicitation, bid leveling, and subcontract administration.
- Support project scheduling efforts and maintain schedule updates in coordination with the project team.
- Track and manage project costs, change orders, and budget documentation.
- Coordinate with subcontractors, suppliers, and design teams to resolve technical questions and maintain project momentum.
- Maintain organized project files, meeting minutes, daily logs, and close-out documentation.
- Assist with quality control and quality assurance processes in the field.
- Support the permitting process and ensure compliance with local, state, and federal regulations.
- Prepare owner and internal project reports, including cost and schedule updates.

Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in Construction Management, Engineering, Architecture, or a related field.
- 1–3 years of experience in a project engineering or assistant project management role on commercial or industrial construction projects.
- Working knowledge of construction documents, drawings, and specifications.
- Experience with construction management software (e.g., Procore, Bluebeam, MS Project, or similar).
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite.

Required Skills

- Strong organizational skills with the ability to manage multiple tasks and deadlines simultaneously.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Detail-oriented with a proactive approach to problem-solving.
- Ability to work both independently and collaboratively in a team environment.
- Comfortable working in active construction environments; PPE required on-site.

Preferred Experience

- Prior experience on data center, mission-critical, or other complex technical construction projects.
- Familiarity with MEP systems, commissioning processes, or critical infrastructure.
- OSHA 30 certification.

Why Join DeBrine Associates?

- Work on some of the largest and most technically complex construction projects in the country.
- Be part of a collaborative, high-performing team with a strong reputation in the industry.
- Competitive compensation with a generous benefits package.

The salary range for this position is \$80,000 to \$110,000 annually, with a generous benefits package. Compensation offered may vary based upon work location, experience, qualifications, and market considerations.