**Apprenticeship Electrical Independent—Licensure Information**

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The [SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent](http://www.slcc.edu/satts/programs/apprenticeship-electrical-ind.aspx) program is designed to provide classroom-related and supplemental instruction for an apprenticeship program and is designed to prepare students to apply for professional licensure through the [Utah Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing (DOPL)](https://dopl.utah.gov/). SLCC neither provides on-the-job training nor acts as a sponsor for apprentices. Individuals must locate their own sponsors. To be eligible for Journeyman Electrician licensure in Utah, an apprentice must complete 576 minimum hours of related instruction and four years and 8,000 hours of on-the-job training (OJT). The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program is registered with the US Department of Labor.

This document represents a good faith effort to describe licensure requirements in other states. Please recognize that there may be additional requirements for licensure not outlined in this document. Licensure and employment requirements may vary by state, agency, and organization. In additional to the requirements listed below, applicants may be asked to complete state-specific apprenticeship programs, submit criminal background checks, pay licensure fees or other certification fees, abide by codes of conduct, or other requirements not outlined in this document. We recommend that students who are planning to move out of Utah research licensure requirements in other states.

Once an applicant earns a Journeyman Electrician license in Utah, the applicant may be eligible for licensure reciprocity in a few other states. Applying for licensure through reciprocity means that the applicant usually does not need to retake the licensure exam in the new state or complete an apprenticeship in that state.

If you have difficulty finding the licensure requirements for your state, please contact SLCC’s State Authorization Coordinator for help.

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| **States and Territories** | **Licensure Information**This list was last updated 06/16/2022. Requirements may have changed since the last update. Please email for more information. |
| [Alabama](https://aecb.alabama.gov/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Alabama. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program. **Board**: [Alabama Electrical Contractors Board](https://aecb.alabama.gov/)**Contact**: 2777 Zelda Road, Montgomery, AL 36106. Phone: 334-420-7232. Email: electrical@alstateboard.com. [Online contact form](https://aecb.alabama.gov/contact.aspx). **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://aecb.alabama.gov/forms.aspx).
* [Rules and regulations](https://aecb.alabama.gov/Law.aspx).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://aecb.alabama.gov/PDF/2020/FAQs.pdf).
* Applicants must demonstrate a minimum of 8,000 hours of experience that shows they have the necessary qualifications, training, and technical knowledge to install electrical wiring, apparatus or equipment, light, heat or power.
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| [Alaska](https://labor.alaska.gov/lss/plumbing_electrical.htm) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Alaska. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development – Mechanical Inspection](https://labor.alaska.gov/lss/mihome.htm)**Contact**: 1251 Muldoon Road, Suite 113, Anchorage, AK 99504. Phone: 907-269-4925. Email: mi@alaska.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Certificate of Fitness Information and Application Form.](https://labor.alaska.gov/lss/forms/cof-app.pdf)
* [Rules and Regulations](https://labor.alaska.gov/lss/forms/cof-regs.pdf).
* Alaska requires a minimum of 8,000 hours work experience subject to the National Electrical Code. A minimum of 6,000 hours must be commercial/industrial. A maximum of 2,000 hours may be residential. A maximum of 1,000 hours of trade-related classroom training and/or 1,000 hours of power lineman experience may be part of the 8,000 hours requirement. No maintenance hours will be accepted.
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| American Samoa | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in American Samoa. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Additional Information:*** A license is required to do electrical work according to [American Samoa statutes](https://asbar.org/regulation/31-0106-license-required-penalty-for-violation/).
* The statutes mention that an application for licensure shall be submitted to the administrator and shall be made upon a form supplied by the administrator. More information available [here](https://asbar.org/regulation/31-0109-application-for-license/).
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| [Arizona](https://roc.az.gov/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Arizona. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Arizona Registrar of Contractors](https://roc.az.gov/)**Contact**: 1700 W. Washington St. Suite 105, Phoenix, Arizona 85007-2812. Phone: 602-542-1525. Email: licensing@roc.az.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://roc.az.gov/licensing-forms).
* [List of Arizona’s contractor licenses and their requirements](https://roc.az.gov/sites/default/files/forms/License%20Classification%20Requirements_6.8.20_0.pdf).
* [Qualifications for licensure](https://www.azleg.gov/viewdocument/?docName=https://www.azleg.gov/ars/32/01122.htm).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://roc.az.gov/applying-license#faq).
* Arizona does not offer state-wide licensure for Journeyman Electricians. Individual municipalities or counties may have licensing requirements. Requirements vary from town to town. Statewide, Arizona offers an “Electrical Contractor” license.
* Applicants must have a minimum of four years' practical or management trade experience, at least two of which must have been within the last ten years. Technical training in an accredited college or university or in a manufacturer's accredited training program may be substituted for a portion of such experience, but in no case may credited technical training exceed two years of the required four years' experience.
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| [Arkansas](https://www.labor.arkansas.gov/divisions/code-enforcement/electrical-inspection-and-licensing/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure Arkansas. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Arkansas Board of Electrical Examiners](https://www.labor.arkansas.gov/divisions/code-enforcement/electrical-inspection-and-licensing/)**Contact**: 900 West Capitol Avenue, Suite 400, Little Rock, AR 72201. Office: 501-682-4500. Email: asklabor@arkansas.gov**Additional Information**: * [Online application](https://apps.lnpweb.com/authenticate/L95oIIGARWQNPcBocqoSg).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.labor.arkansas.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Electrical-Rules-Master-Copy-010118.pdf). License requirements can be found on page 21.
* Applicants with formal apprentice training should list this on the application. If completed, attach a copy of the completion certificate.
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| [California](https://www.dir.ca.gov/dlse/ECU/ElectricalTrade.html) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in California. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [California Department of Industrial Relations – Electrician Certification Program](https://www.dir.ca.gov/dlse/ECU/ElectricalTrade.html)**Contact**: 1515 Clay St., Suite 1902, Oakland, CA 94612. Phone: 510-286-3900. Email: ECUINFO@dir.ca.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Application and additional information](https://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSE/ECU/ECUCertforms.htm).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSE/ECU/ECU_FAQ.htm).
* Completion of an apprenticeship program **OR** 8,000 hours of on-the-job training is required. [Click here to see breakdown of required experience hours](https://www.dir.ca.gov/t8/291_1.html).
* Apprenticeship opportunities are available depending on the county. More information about apprenticeships in California can be found [here](https://www.dir.ca.gov/databases/das/descOfAppr.html).
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| [Colorado](https://dpo.colorado.gov/Electrical) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure Colorado. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Colorado Electrical Board](https://dpo.colorado.gov/Electrical)**Contact**: 1560 Broadway, Suite 1350, Denver, CO 80202. Phone: 303-894-7800. Email: dora\_electricalboard@state.co.us**Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://dpo.colorado.gov/Electrical/Applications).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1EQNTv6x5MVPk2E3MN0UNY5D8-N09r0QIq4JuXU1hvaU/edit).
* [Electricians Practice Act](https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B-K5DhxXxJZbRDBGNmI3SmttS2M/view?resourcekey=0-iyiGoXqqBY9GMI7Q_VcfCw).
* Journeyman electricians need 8,000 hours of experience earned in no less than 4 years, with 4,000 of those hours in commercial/industrial work. Applicants must also have 288 hours of classroom education.
* Reciprocity is an option in Colorado, if applicants hold a current Journeyman or Master Electrician license in Utah **AND** have passed the Utah electrical licensure exam **AND** have held the Journeyman or Master Electrician license for at least 1 year.
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| [Connecticut](https://portal.ct.gov/DCP/License-Services-Division/All-License-Applications/Electrical-License) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Connecticut. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection – Electrical License](https://portal.ct.gov/DCP/License-Services-Division/All-License-Applications/Electrical-License)**Contact**: 450 Columbus Boulevard, Suite 901, Hartford, CT 06103-1840. Phone: 860-713-6000. Email: DCP.occupationalprofessional@ct.gov**Additional Information**: * [Applications and additional information](https://portal.ct.gov/DCP/License-Services-Division/All-License-Applications/Electrical-License-Application-Path---Journeyperson).
* [Additional information for electrical trades candidates](https://candidate.psiexams.com/bulletin/display_bulletin.jsp?ro=yes&actionname=83&bulletinid=56&bulletinurl=.pdf).
* Apprenticeship equivalency: out-of-state applicants must submit an apprenticeship completion letter, copies of any diplomas and degrees related to occupational license type, and proof of equivalent trade-related education authored by a professional educator qualified to offer such analysis. Submitting an official college transcript is also recommenced.
* Work experience: out-of-state applicants must submit notarized statements from employers detailing dates and duties of employment, totaling a minimum of 8,000 hours.
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| [Delaware](https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/electrician/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Delaware. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Delaware Board of Electrical Examiners](https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/electrician/)**Contact**: 861 Silver Lake Blvd., Suite 203, Dover, DE 19904. Phone: 302-744-4500. Email: customerservice.dpr@delaware.gov**Additional Information**: * [Frequently Asked Questions](https://dprfiles.delaware.gov/electrician/FAQ_Sheet-Electrician_Licensure_DPR_Edit.pdf).
* [Licensure requirements](https://delcode.delaware.gov/title24/c014/sc02/index.html).
* [Rules and regulations](https://regulations.delaware.gov/AdminCode/title24/1400.shtml).
* All forms and information are submitted through an online portal: [DELPROS](https://delpros.delaware.gov/OH_HomePage).
* Applicants must submit a copy of their Certification of Completion of Apprenticeship.
* At least 8,000 hours of full-time experience performing electrical work under the supervision of a licensed master electrician, master electrician special, limited electrician, or limited electrician special. Must submit a [Verification of Employment form](https://dprfiles.delaware.gov/electrician/Electrical_Verification_of_Employment1.pdf).
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| [District of Columbia](https://dcra.dc.gov/industrial-trade) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in the District of Columbia. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [DC Board of Industrial Trades](https://dcra.dc.gov/industrial-trade)**Contact**: 1100 4th Street, SW, Suite 500, Washington, DC 20024. Phone: 202-442-4320. Email: dcra@dc.gov. [Online contact form](https://dcra.kustomer.help/contact/contactus-SkowCOjX8). **Additional Information**: * [Online application](https://govservices.dcra.dc.gov/newoplalicenses).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.dcregs.dc.gov/Common/DCMR/RuleList.aspx?ChapterNum=17-2).
* A combination of work and education experience is considered to establish eligibility for licensure as an electrician. More information can be found in the [electrician eligibility requirements](https://www.dcregs.dc.gov/Common/DCMR/RuleList.aspx?DownloadFile=30FA545F-0000-C650-B93C-B535BA0FBB0F).
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| [Florida](http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/electrical-contractors/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Florida. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Florida Department of Business & Professional Regulation – Electrical Contractors](http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/electrical-contractors/)**Contact**: 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0791. Phone: 850-487-1395. [Online contact form](http://www.myfloridalicense.com/contactus/). **Additional Information**: * [Applications](http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/electrical-contractors/#apply).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/electrical-contractors/faqs/).
* [Rules and regulations](http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/electrical-contractors/statutes-and-rules/).
* Florida does not offer state-wide licensure for Journeyman Electricians. Individual municipalities or counties may have licensing requirements. Requirements vary from town to town. Statewide, Florida offers an “Electrical Contractor” license.
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| [Georgia](https://sos.ga.gov/georgia-state-board-electrical-contractors) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Georgia. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Georgia State Board of Electrical Contractors](https://sos.ga.gov/georgia-state-board-electrical-contractors)**Contact**: 214 State Capitol, Atlanta, Georgia 30334. Phone: 404-656-2881. [Online contact form](https://sos.ga.gov/form/contact-georgia-board-electrical-contractors). **Additional Information**: * [Applications and additional information](https://sos.ga.gov/how-to-guide/how-guide-electrical-contractors).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://sos.ga.gov/page/board-electrical-contractors-faq).
* [License requirements](https://rules.sos.ga.gov/GAC/121-2-.01?urlRedirected=yes&data=admin&lookingfor=121-2-.01).
* Georgia does not offer statewide licensure for Journeyman Electricians. It appears that most cities do not require licensure to work as an electrician in Georgia. Statewide, Georgia offers an “Electrical Contractor” license.
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| [Guam](http://clb.guam.gov/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Guam. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board:** [Guam Contractors License Board](http://clb.guam.gov/)**Contact:** 542 North Marine Corp Drive A, Tamuning, Guam 96913. Phone: 671-649-2211. [Emails and online contact form](http://clb.guam.gov/index.php/contact-us/). **Additional Information:*** Guam does not Journeyman Electricians. Individual municipalities may have licensing requirements. Requirements may vary from town to town. Territory wide, Guam does license electrical contractors.
* [Applications and forms](http://clb.guam.gov/index.php/documents-and-forms/).
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| [Hawaii](https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/electrician/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Hawaii. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Hawaii Professional & Vocational Licensing Division – Board of Electricians and Plumbers](https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/electrician/)**Contact**: PO Box 3469, Honolulu, HI 96801. Phone: 808-586-2704. Email: elect\_plumb@dcca.hawaii.gov**Additional Information**: * [Application and license requirements](https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2018/03/Require-App-for-Electrician-Plumber_03.18R.pdf).
* [Rules and regulations](https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/electrician/statute_rules/).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2018/09/EP-FAQs_07-18.pdf).
* Journey Worker Electrician. 5 years but not less than 10,000 hours in residential or commercial wiring **and** satisfactory completion, accepted by a University of Hawaii Community College offering an appropriate program of study, of 240 hours of electrical academic coursework. Hawaii Community College lists SLCC as an approved program for electrical journeyperson. More information available [here](https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2021/06/HCC-Approved-Curricula-List_5-31-22.pdf).
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| [Idaho](https://dbs.idaho.gov/programs/electrical-program/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure. Students will need to complete more years of work experience because SLCC is not a 4-year program. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Idaho Division of Building Safety – Electrical Program](https://dbs.idaho.gov/programs/electrical-program/)**Contact**: 1090 E. Watertower St, Suite 150, Meridian, ID 83642. Phone: 208-334-3950. Email: customer.service@dbs.idaho.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://dbs.idaho.gov/forms-applications/electrical-forms-applications/).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://dbs.idaho.gov/faqs/licenses-frequently-asked-questions/).
* [Rules and regulations](https://dbs.idaho.gov/wp-content/uploads/sites/105/2021/08/Electrical-Statutes-and-Rules-2021.pdf).
* Applicants must submit proof of completion of 4 year approved electrical apprenticeship and 4 years (minimum of 8,000 hours) of work experience **OR** submit documentation of 8 years (minimum of 16,000 hours) of work experience.
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| Illinois | **General Information**: * Illinois does not offer statewide licensure for Journeyman Electricians. Individual municipalities may have licensing requirements. Requirements vary from town to town.
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| Indiana | **General Information**:* Indiana does not offer statewide licensure for Journeyman Electricians. Individual municipalities may have licensing requirements. Requirements vary from town to town.
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| [Iowa](https://dps.iowa.gov/divisions/state-fire-marshal/electrical-examining-board/licensing) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Iowa. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Iowa State Fire Marshall – Electrical Examining Board](https://dps.iowa.gov/divisions/state-fire-marshal/electrical-examining-board)**Contact**: 215 East 7th Street, Des Moines, IA 50319. Phone: 515-725-6147. Email: elecinfo@dps.state.ia.us **Additional Information**: * [Application](https://dps.iowa.gov/sites/default/files/state-fire-marshal/2020-2022%20License%20Application.pdf).
* [Application instructions](https://dps.iowa.gov/sites/default/files/state-fire-marshal/electrical-examining-board/pdf/Complete_Instructions.pdf).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://dps.iowa.gov/divisions/state-fire-marshal/electrical-examining-board/frequently-asked-questions).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.legis.iowa.gov/DOCS/ACO/IC/LINC/Chapter.103.pdf).
* Journeyman electricians are required to have 16,000 hours of cumulative experience. Information about completing a 1- or 2-year Board approved post-secondary electrical program in an electrical wiring program should be included in application to demonstrate educational experience.
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| Kansas | **General Information**: * Kansas does not offer statewide licensure for Journeyman Electricians. Individual municipalities may have licensing requirements. Requirements vary from town to town.
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| [Kentucky](http://dhbc.ky.gov/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Kentucky. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Kentucky Department of Housing, Buildings, and Construction – Electrical Division](http://dhbc.ky.gov/)**Contact**: 500 Mero Street, Frankfort, KY 40601. Phone: 502-573-1797. Email: elec@ky.gov**Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://dhbc.ky.gov/new_docs.aspx?cat=150).
* [New Application Checklist](https://dhbc.ky.gov/Documents/KHBC_%20Application%20Checklists.pdf).
* [Licensure requirements](https://casetext.com/statute/kentucky-revised-statutes/title-19-public-safety-and-morals/chapter-227a-electricians-and-electrical-contractors/section-227a060-qualifications-for-licensure-provisional-license).
* Applicants must pass the Journeyman’s Electrical Exam No. 703 for licensure. 6 years of work experience (12,480 hours or 72 months) is required. Completing an apprenticeship program reduces the number of years of experience needed.
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| [Louisiana](https://lslbc.louisiana.gov/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Louisiana. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Louisiana State Licensing Board for Contractors](https://lslbc.louisiana.gov/)**Contact**: 600 North Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802. Phone: 225-765-2301. [Online contact form](https://lslbc.louisiana.gov/contact-us/). **Additional Information**: * [Online application](https://lslbc.louisiana.gov/lslbc-online-application/).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://lslbc.louisiana.gov/frequently-asked-questions/).
* [Rules and regulations](https://lslbc.louisiana.gov/contractors/contractor-license-law/).
* Louisiana does not offer statewide licensure for Journeyman Electricians. Individual municipalities may have licensing requirements. Requirements vary from town to town.
* A contractor license with a classification in electrical work is required for specific electrical projects. More information on classifications can be found [here](https://lslbc.louisiana.gov/examsclassifications/).
* Commercial contractor license needed for electrical projects exceeding $10,000 including labor and materials. Information on commercial license [here](https://lslbc.louisiana.gov/commercial-license/). Reciprocity for all major classifications from Utah’s Division of Occupational & Professional Licensing.
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| [Maine](https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/electricians) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Maine. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Maine Professional & Financial Regulation – Electricians’ Examining Board](https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/electricians)**Contact**: 35 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333-0035. Phone: 207-624-8457. Email: electrician.board@maine.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/electricians/applications-forms).
* [Licensure requirements for journeyman electrician](https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/electricians/licensing/journeyman-electrician-senior-journeyman-electrician).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/electricians/faq).
* [Information on journeyman electrician exam](https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/sites/maine.gov.pfr.professionallicensing/files/inline-files/JYMSExamApplication.pdf).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/electricians/home/laws-rules).
* Applicants must have 5 years (8,000 hours) working under the supervision of a Master Electrician or electrical company and complete a program of study comprising of 576 hours of study.
* In addition to statewide licensure, some Maine towns also requiring permitting before electricians can perform work in that town.
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| [Maryland](http://www.dllr.state.md.us/license/elec/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Maryland. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Maryland State Board of Electricians](http://www.dllr.state.md.us/license/elec/)**Contact**: 1100 N. Eutaw Street, Room 121, Baltimore, MD 21201. Phone: 410-230-6163. Email: dloplmasterelectricians-LABOR@maryland.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Online application](https://www.dllr.state.md.us/cgi-bin/ElectronicLicensing/ME/MEoriginal1.cgi).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.dllr.state.md.us/license/law/eleclaw.shtml).
* [Licensure requirements](https://www.dllr.state.md.us/license/elec/elecreq.shtml).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://www.dllr.state.md.us/license/elec/eleclicfaqs.shtml).
* Applicants must have been engaged or employed regularly and principally in providing electrical services for all types of electrical equipment and apparatuses for at least four years under the direction and supervision of a master electrician.
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| [Massachusetts](https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-state-examiners-of-electricians) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Massachusetts. Students must also complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Massachusetts Board of State Examiners of Electricians](https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-state-examiners-of-electricians)**Contact**: 1000 Washington Street, Suite 710, Boston, MA 02118. Phone: 617-701-8786. Email: electricians.board@mass.gov**Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://www.mass.gov/lists/board-of-state-examiners-of-electricians-applications-and-forms).
* [Examination information and licensure requirements](https://www.mass.gov/doc/candidate-information-bulletin-2020/download).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://www.mass.gov/doc/el-faqs-2020/download).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.mass.gov/lists/statutes-and-regulations-examiners-of-electricians).
* 600 hours of journeyman curriculum AND 4 years (8,000 hours) of work experience required.
* Out of state applications need additional documents in an application and licenses from another state may be recognized. More information can be found [here](https://www.mass.gov/doc/candidate-information-bulletin-2020/download).
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| [Michigan](https://www.michigan.gov/lara/bureau-list/bcc/boards-commissions/electrical-administrative-board) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Michigan. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Michigan Electrical Administrative Board](https://www.michigan.gov/lara/bureau-list/bcc/boards-commissions/electrical-administrative-board)**Contact**: P.O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909. Phone: 517-241-9316. Email: lara-bcc-licensing@michigan.gov**Additional Information**: * [Applications and licensure requirements](https://www.michigan.gov/lara/bureau-list/bcc/divisions/licensing/exam-lic/electrical-examination-licensing-registration-application-information).
* [Rules and regulations](http://www.legislature.mi.gov/%28S%2820ve1qen4l0boorjoc42gvee%29%29/mileg.aspx?page=GetObject&objectname=mcl-act-407-of-2016).
* At least 4 years (8,000 hours) of experience required. Credit may be provided for graduation from a recognized training or educational program.
* A non-resident electrician who is licensed in another state or country may receive a temporary Journeyman Electrician license for a period of not more than 90 days. More information on temporary license found [here](http://www.legislature.mi.gov/%28S%28gsobeoa0wo1fgvnhypi0yt0e%29%29/mileg.aspx?page=getObject&objectName=mcl-339-5219).
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| [Minnesota](http://www.dli.mn.gov/workers/electricians-and-electrical-installers) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Minnesota. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry – Electricians, Electrical Installers and Elevator Constructors](http://www.dli.mn.gov/workers/electricians-and-electrical-installers)**Contact**: 443 Lafayette Road N, St. Paul, MN 55155. Phone: 651-284-5026. Email: dli.electricity@state.mn.us**Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](http://www.dli.mn.gov/workers/electrician-or-electrical-installer/licensing-personal-electrical-license).
* [Licensing requirements](http://www.dli.mn.gov/workers/electrician-or-electrical-installer/electrical-license-experience-and-education).
* [Electrical licensing information](http://www.dli.mn.gov/workers/electrician-or-electrical-installer/electrical-licensing-basics).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/agency/134).
* Journeyman applicants must have at least 48 months of work experience.
* A maximum of one year of experience credit will be allowed for the successful completion of a two-year, post-high school electrical course approved by the board.
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| [Mississippi](https://www.msboc.us/contractors/licenses/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Mississippi. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Mississippi State Board of Contractors](https://www.msboc.us/contractors/licenses/)**Contact**: 2679 Crane Ridge Drive, Suite C, Jackson, MS 39216. Phone: 601-354-6161. Email: info@msboc.us **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://www.msboc.us/forms/).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://www.msboc.us/general-info/frequently-asked-questions/).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.msboc.us/public-works-building-officials/laws/).
* Journeyman electricians are licensed at the local level in Mississippi.
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| [Missouri](https://pr.mo.gov/electricalcontractors.asp) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Missouri. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Missouri Division of Professional Registration – Office of Statewide Electrical Contractors](https://pr.mo.gov/electricalcontractors.asp)**Contact**: 3605 Missouri Boulevard, P.O. Box 1335, Jefferson City, MO 65102-1335. Phone: 573-522-3280. Email: OSEC@pr.mo.gov**Additional Information**: * [Application and instructions](https://pr.mo.gov/electricalcontractors-forms.asp).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://pr.mo.gov/boards/electrical/FAQ%27s_for_Contractors.pdf).
* [Rules and regulations](https://pr.mo.gov/electricalcontractors-rules.asp).
* 8,000 verifiable practical hours installing equipment and associated wiring and have received an associate's degree from a state-accredited program.
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| [Montana](https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/electrical/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Montana. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Montana Department of Labor & Industry – State Electrical Board](https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/electrical/)**Contact**: 301 S. Park Avenue, 4th floor, Helena, MT 59620. Phone: 406-444-6880. Email: dlibsdhelp@mt.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/electrical/forms).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/electrical/faq).
* [Rules and regulations](https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/electrical/regulations/statutes).
* 8,000 hours of legally obtained practical experience in the wiring for, installing, and repairing of electrical apparatus and equipment for light, heat, and power. More information on journeyman licensure requirements can be found [here](https://leg.mt.gov/bills/mca/title_0370/chapter_0680/part_0030/section_0050/0370-0680-0030-0050.html).
* Reciprocity may be available for applicants from Utah who want to apply for licensure in Montana. [Additional information and checklist](http://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/Portals/133/Documents/ele/Checklists/ELE-EJ-APP_License-App-Checklist_37-1-304.pdf?ver=2018-06-15-082651-877).
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| [Nebraska](https://electrical.nebraska.gov/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Nebraska. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Nebraska Electrical Division](https://electrical.nebraska.gov/)**Contact**: 1220 Lincoln Mall, Suite 125, Lincoln, NE 68508. Phone: 402-471-3550. Email: SED.OfficeStaff@nebraska.gov**Additional Information**: * [Application and forms](https://electrical.nebraska.gov/exam-information-and-licensing-applications).
* [Rules and regulations](https://electrical.nebraska.gov/statutes-rules).
* Applicants must have at least four years’ experience in the electrical trade. One year of work experience credit will be given for completion of a two-year post-high school electrical course with an Associates' degree in electrical technology. Full list of qualifications for journeyman electrician can be found [here](https://electrical.nebraska.gov/journeyman-electrician).
* [Reciprocity information here](https://electrical.nebraska.gov/reciprocal-information).
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| [Nevada](http://www.nvcontractorsboard.com/index.html) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Nevada. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Nevada State Contractors Board](http://www.nvcontractorsboard.com/index.html)**Contact**: 8400 West Sunset Road, Ste 150, Las Vegas, NV 89113. Phone: 702-486-1100. Email: CustomerService@nscb.state.nv.us. [Online contact form](http://www.nvcontractorsboard.com/survey.php). **Additional Information**: * [Application information](http://www.nvcontractorsboard.com/application_information.html).
* [Rules and regulations](http://www.nvcontractorsboard.com/rules.html).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](http://www.nvcontractorsboard.com/faq_central.html).
* [Overview of contractor license requirements](http://www.nvcontractorsboard.com/contractor_license_requirements.html).
* In Nevada, each locality has its own licensing authority. Statewide, Electrical Contractors are licensed through the [Nevada State Contractors Board](http://www.nvcontractorsboard.com/endorsement.html).
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| [New Hampshire](https://www.oplc.nh.gov/electricians-board) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in New Hampshire. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [New Hampshire Electricians’ Board](https://www.oplc.nh.gov/electricians-board)**Contact**: 7 Eagle Square, Concord, NH, 03301. Phone: 603-271-2152. Email: customersupport@oplc.nh.gov**Additional Information**:* [Application](https://www.oplc.nh.gov/applications-electricians).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://www.oplc.nh.gov/faqs-electricians).
* [Licensure requirements](https://www.oplc.nh.gov/electricians-board-education-and-training).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.oplc.nh.gov/electricians-board-laws-and-rules).
* 8,000 hours of on-the-job training is required AND at least a high school degree.
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| [New Jersey](https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/elec/Pages/default.aspx) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in New Jersey. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [New Jersey Division of Consumer Affairs – Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors](https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/elec/Pages/default.aspx)**Contact**: PO Box 45006, Newark, NJ 07101. Phone: 973-504-6410. Email: TuckerP@dca.lps.state.nj.us**Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/elec/Pages/applications.aspx).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/elec/Pages/regulations.aspx).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/elec/Pages/FAQ.aspx).
* [Tips for license applicants](https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/Documents/Top-Tips-for-License-Applicants.pdf).
* Five years of hands-on experience required. A mix of education and hands-on experience can also work. Qualifications for applicants can be found [here](https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/elec/Documents/qualifications-of-applicants.pdf).
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| [New Mexico](https://www.rld.nm.gov/construction-industries/find-a-bureau/continuing-education/construction-industries/electrical/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in New Mexico. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [New Mexico Regulation & Licensing Department – Electrical Bureau](https://www.rld.nm.gov/construction-industries/find-a-bureau/continuing-education/construction-industries/electrical/)**Contact**: 2550 Cerrillos Road, Santa Fe, NM 87505. Phone: 505-670-5826. Email: joseph.martinez2@state.nm.us. [Online contact form](https://www.rld.nm.gov/help-center/). **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://www.rld.nm.gov/construction-industries/forms-and-applications/).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.rld.nm.gov/construction-industries/find-a-bureau/bureaus/rules-laws-and-building-codes/).
* Applicants for reciprocity must have obtained a Journeyman Electrician certificate/license by passing a mandatory examination after completing either a four-year apprenticeship program, or four-years of equivalent experience.
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| [New York](https://www1.nyc.gov/site/buildings/industry/master-electricians-special-electricians.page) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in New York. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [NYC Buildings – Master Electricians & Special Electricians](https://www1.nyc.gov/site/buildings/industry/master-electricians-special-electricians.page) **Contact**: 280 Broadway, 1st Floor, New York, NY 10007. Phone: 212-393-2259. Email: licensingdob@buildings.nyc.gov. **Additional Information**: * New York does not have a statewide electrical license. Licensure is required in some cities and counties, such as New York City.
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| [North Carolina](https://www.ncbeec.org/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in North Carolina. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [North Carolina Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors](https://www.ncbeec.org/)**Contact**: 3101 Industrial Drive, Suite 206, Raleigh, NC 27609. Phone: 919-733-9042. [Online contact form](https://www.ncbeec.org/contact/). **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://www.ncbeec.org/need-a-form/).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://www.ncbeec.org/faq/).
* [Exam information handbook](https://www.ncbeec.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/PSI-EXAM-BOOK-March-2022-Update-Reduced.pdf).
* [Licensing information](https://www.ncbeec.org/licensing/).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.ncbeec.org/laws-rules/).
* Licensure levels offered in North Carolina: Limited, Intermediate, Unlimited. Limited licensure requires 2 years electrical experience, with at least one year of primary electrical work.
* Reciprocity is currently not available with the state of Utah. Information about North Carolina reciprocity for electrical contractors can be found [here](https://www.ncbeec.org/reciprocity/).
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| [North Dakota](https://www.ndseb.com/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in North Dakota. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [North Dakota State Electrical Board](https://www.ndseb.com/)**Contact**: 1929 N. Washington Street, Suite A-1, Bismarck, ND 58507-7335. Phone: 701-328-9522. [Online contact form](https://www.ndseb.com/contact-us/). **Additional Information**: * [Applications](https://www.ndseb.com/licensing/applying-for-an-electrical-license/).
* [Licensure requirements](https://www.ndseb.com/licensing/qualifications-for-licensure/).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.ndseb.com/laws-rules/).
* Journeyman electricians are required to have 8,000 hours of work experience. Graduating from a two-year program approved by the board will apply 2,000 hours towards this experience.
* North Dakota offers reciprocal licensing to Journeyman Electricians from Utah. [Additional information](https://www.ndseb.com/licensing/reciprocal-license-agreements/).
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| Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI)  | **General Information:*** There does not appear to be a requirement for licensure for electricians in the Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI) at this time. Various companies and cities may have their own policies regarding electrical work.
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| [Ohio](https://com.ohio.gov/divisions-and-programs/industrial-compliance/boards/ohio-construction-industry-licensing-board) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Ohio. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Ohio Construction Industry Licensing Board](https://com.ohio.gov/divisions-and-programs/industrial-compliance/boards/ohio-construction-industry-licensing-board)**Contact**: 6606 Tussing Road, Reynoldsburg, OH 43068. Phone: 614-644-3493. Email: dic.ocilb@com.state.oh.us. [Online contact form](https://com.ohio.gov/about-us/contact-us). **Additional Information**:* [Applications and forms](https://com.ohio.gov/divisions-and-programs/industrial-compliance/boards/ohio-construction-industry-licensing-board/contractors-and-contracting-companies).
* [Rules and regulations](https://codes.ohio.gov/ohio-revised-code/chapter-4740).
* To apply for a license, applicants need to have worked as a tradesperson under a licensed contractor for five years. Applicants will also need to complete an examination to be licensed. More information found [here](https://www.com.ohio.gov/documents/dico_ExamApplication.pdf).
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| [Oklahoma](https://cib.ok.gov/electrical) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Oklahoma. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Oklahoma Construction Industries Board](https://cib.ok.gov/electrical)**Contact**: 2401 NW 23rd Street, Suite 2F, Oklahoma City, OK 73107. Phone: 405-521-6550. [Online contact form](https://cib.ok.gov/contact). **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://cib.ok.gov/electrical#docsandapps).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://cib.ok.gov/electrical#electricalFAQs).
* [Rules and regulations](https://cib.ok.gov/electrical#rules).
* [Steps to being an electrical journeyman](https://cib.ok.gov/electrical-journeyman).
* Submit electrical journeyman application. Once the application is approved, applicants are eligible to complete the examination. Out-of-state applicants must have completed an apprenticeship or similar experience.
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| [Oregon](https://apps.oregon.gov/SOS/LicenseDirectory/Results?USStr=Electrical%20journeyman%20license) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Oregon. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Oregon Building Codes Division – Electrical and Elevator Board](https://www.oregon.gov/bcd/boards/Pages/elec-elev.aspx)**Contact**: 1535 Edgewater Street NW, Salem, OR 97304. Phone: 503-373-1268. Email: license.bcd@dcbs.oregon.gov​. **Additional Information**: * [Application](https://www.oregon.gov/bcd/Formslibrary/2570.pdf).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.oregon.gov/bcd/laws-rules/Pages/index.aspx).
* Oregon has a reciprocity licensure option. [Reciprocity Application and Information.](https://apps.oregon.gov/SOS/LicenseDirectory/LicenseDetail/914)
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| [Pennsylvania](https://www.dli.pa.gov/ucc/Pages/Contractor-Licensing.aspx)[Puerto Rico](https://www.estado.pr.gov/en/expert-electricians/) | **General Information**: * In Pennsylvania, each city or county has a different exam requirement and licensure application. Requirements may vary by locality. Exams are administered by local Pennsylvania licensing boards. Additional information found [here](https://www.dli.pa.gov/ucc/Pages/Contractor-Licensing.aspx).

**Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Puerto Rico. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Department of State - Board of Examiners of Expert Electricians](https://www.estado.pr.gov/en/expert-electricians/)**Contact**: Calle San José Esq. San Francisco, Diputación Provincial Building, 2nd floor, San Juan, PR 00902-3271. Phone: 787-722-2122. Email: sbonet@estado.gobierno.pr**Additional Information**: * Puerto Rico has three different types of electrician licenses: Apprentices, Expert Electrician Assistants, and Expert Electricians. Information on each type of license can be found [here](https://www.estado.pr.gov/en/expert-electricians/).
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| [Rhode Island](https://www.ri.gov/Licensing/renewal/license.php?lic_id=65) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Rhode Island. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training – Electricians](https://dlt.ri.gov/regulation-and-safety/professional-regulation/electricians)**Contact**: PO Box 20247, Cranston, RI 02920-0943. Phone: 401-462-8580. Email: dlt.profregs@dlt.ri.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://dlt.ri.gov/regulation-and-safety/professional-regulation/electricians).
* [Rules and regulations](https://rules.sos.ri.gov/regulations/part/260-30-15-7).
* Journeyperson electricians are required to have at least 4 years (8,000 hours) of experience as an apprentice. More information on apprenticeship in Rhode Island can be found [here](https://dlt.ri.gov/regulation-and-safety/apprenticeship).
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| [South Carolina](https://llr.sc.gov/res/Online/ElectricianInstructions.aspx) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in South Carolina. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [South Carolina Labor Licensing Regulation – Residential Builders Commission](https://llr.sc.gov/res/Online/ElectricianInstructions.aspx)**Contact**: 110 Centerview Dr., Columbia SC 29210. Phone: 803-896-4696. Email: Contact.RBC@llr.sc.gov**Additional Information**: * [Application](https://llr.sc.gov/res/PDF/Residential_Specialty_Electrical_App.pdf).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://llr.sc.gov/res/PDF/FAQ/RBE%20FAQ.pdf).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.scstatehouse.gov/code/t40c059.php).
* [The Municipal Association of South Carolina](https://www.masc.sc/Pages/programs/solutions/Tradescertification.aspx?TermStoreId=2d53775a-ffec-4ffe-af9e-b178d98ea454&TermSetId=c686e0c0-bc2c-4fa8-bd41-8666dc9e728d&TermId=cc2bef55-77c1-4403-a46f-780cf13ad998) offers a trade certification for journeyman electrician. Applicants must have a minimum of two years of full-time electrical/plumbing/gas/heating and air/sheet metal installation experience under the supervision of a journeyman or master of the trade. This certification can help with the application for licensure, but it is not a license. [Brochure and application](https://www.masc.sc/SiteCollectionDocuments/tradesbrochure.pdf).
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| [South Dakota](https://dlr.sd.gov/electrical/default.aspx) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in South Dakota. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [South Dakota Electrical Commission](https://dlr.sd.gov/electrical/default.aspx)**Contact**: 217 W. Missouri Ave., Pierre, SD 57501. Phone: 605-773-3573. Email: electrical@state.sd.us. **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://dlr.sd.gov/electrical/forms.aspx).
* [Licensing requirements](https://dlr.sd.gov/electrical/licensing.aspx).
* [Rules and regulations](https://dlr.sd.gov/electrical/laws_rules.aspx).
* To take advantage of a reciprocal licensing options, applicants must have earned a license by examination; AND must have held the license for one year. The license must be in an active status for one year to be eligible for reciprocity in South Dakota. More information on reciprocity can be found [here](https://dlr.sd.gov/electrical/reciprocal_agreements.aspx).
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| [Tennessee](https://www.tn.gov/commerce/regboards/lle.html) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Tennessee. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Tennessee Department of Commerce & Insurance – Limited Licensed Electricians](https://www.tn.gov/commerce/regboards/lle.html)**Contact**: 500 James Robertson Pkwy, Nashville, TN 37243-0565. Phone: 615-741-2241. Email: Ask.TDCI@TN.Gov **Additional Information**: * [Rules and regulations](https://publications.tnsosfiles.com/rules/0680/0680.htm).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://support.commerce.tn.gov/hc/en-us/categories/200813548-Limited-Licensed-Electricians).
* Limited Licensed Electrician (LLE) is the state-wide license title that appears to be the closest to Journeyman Electrician in Tennessee. [Application and information](https://www.tn.gov/commerce/regboards/lle/lle-license-process.html).
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| [Texas](https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/electricians/elec.htm) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Texas. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Texas Department of Licensing & Regulation – Electrician Licensing](https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/electricians/elec.htm)**Contact**: PO Box 12157, Austin, TX 78711. Phone: 512-463-6599. [Online contact form](https://ga.tdlr.texas.gov:1443/form/csgeneralinquiry). **Additional Information**: * [Applications and forms](https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/electricians/elecforms.htm).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/electricians/elecfaq.htm).
* [Rules and regulations](https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/electricians/laws-rules.htm).
* Journeyman electricians are required to have 8,000 hours of experience and pass an examination before being licensed.
* Applicants can apply for Reciprocity in Texas, if they hold an active, valid license in their home state for at least 1 year. [Reciprocity Application](https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/electricians/forms/ELC006%20Journeyman%20Electrician%20License%20by%20Reciprocity%20Application.pdf).
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| [U.S. Virgin Islands](https://dlca.vi.gov/boardcertifications/steps/eecjrequirements/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in the U.S. Virgin Islands. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [US Virgin Islands Department of Licensing and Consumer Affairs](https://dlca.vi.gov/boardcertifications/steps/eecjrequirements/)**Contact**: Golden Rock Shopping Center, Suite #9, Christiansted, VI 00820-4311. Phone: 340-713-3522. [Online contact form](https://dlca.vi.gov/feedbackapp/). **Additional Information**:* [Online application](https://secure.dlca.vi.gov/viblc).
* Applicants for journeyman electrician must have at least 4 years of experience. Education received from an accredited program can be used for some of the work experience.
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| Utah | More information is available at the [top of this page](#_top). |
| [Vermont](https://firesafety.vermont.gov/licensing/electrical) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Vermont. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Vermont Division of Fire Safety – Electricians](https://firesafety.vermont.gov/licensing/electrical)  **Contact**: 45 State Drive, Waterbury, VT 05671. Phone: 802-479-7564. Email: DPS.DFSLicensing@vermont.gov **Additional Information**: * [Online application](https://appengine.egov.com/apps/vt/dfs/Electrician_Initial).
* [Application and licensure requirements](https://firesafety.vermont.gov/sites/firesafety/files/files/forms/dfs_electrical_license_application.pdf).
* [Rules and regulations](https://firesafety.vermont.gov/sites/firesafety/files/files/rules/dfs_rules_electrical_current.pdf).
* Applicants for journeyman electrician should submit proof of 12,000 hours of experience through signed affidavits from their employers.
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| [Virginia](http://www.dpor.virginia.gov/Boards/Tradesmen/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Virginia. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Virginia Department of Professions and Occupational Regulation – Tradesmen Program](https://www.dpor.virginia.gov/Boards/Tradesmen/)**Contact**: 9960 Maryland Drive, Suite 400, Richmond, VA 23233-1485. Phone: 804-367-8511. Email: tradesmen@dpor.virginia.gov. [Online contact form](https://www.dpor.virginia.gov/board-contact?contact-id=10036). **Additional Information**: * [Application and additional information](https://www.dpor.virginia.gov/sites/default/files/boards/Tradesman/A501-2710EXLIC_pdf.pdf).
* [Rules and regulations](https://law.lis.virginia.gov/vacode/title54.1/chapter11/).
* [Frequently Asked Questions](https://www.dpor.virginia.gov/Boards/Tradesmen/).
* Applicants must submit a Certification of Licensure/Letter of Good Standing, if they are licensed in another state.
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| [Washington](https://lni.wa.gov/licensing-permits/electrical/electrical-licensing-exams-education/) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Washington. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Washington Electrical Licensing – Exams & Education](https://lni.wa.gov/licensing-permits/electrical/electrical-licensing-exams-education/)**Contact**: 7273 Linderson Way SW, Tumwater, WA 98501-5414. Phone: 360-902-5269. Email: ElectricalProgram@Lni.wa.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Electrician license information](https://lni.wa.gov/licensing-permits/electrical/electrical-licensing-exams-education/electrician).
* [Rules and regulations](https://lni.wa.gov/licensing-permits/electrical/laws-rules-policies).
* Information for applicants outside of Washington can be found on the [out-of-state application](https://lni.wa.gov/forms-publications/F626-009-000.pdf).
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| [West Virginia](https://firemarshal.wv.gov/Divisions/Fire%20Services/Pages/Electrical-Licensing.aspx) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in West Virginia. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [West Virginia State Fire Marshal – Electrical Licensing](https://firemarshal.wv.gov/Divisions/Fire%20Services/Pages/Electrical-Licensing.aspx)**Contact**: 1207 Quarrier Street, 2nd Floor – Licensing, Charleston, WV 25301. Phone: 304-558-2191. [Online contact form](https://appengine.egov.com/apps/wv/firemarshal/contactus). **Additional Information**: * [Application](https://firemarshal.wv.gov/Divisions/Fire%20Services/Documents/Licensing/ELECTRICAL%20EXAM%20APPLICATION.pdf).
* [Rules and regulations](https://firemarshal.wv.gov/about/Laws/Documents/103CSR5%20Electrician%20Licensing%20Rules.pdf).
* Reciprocity recognized in all 50 states. Applicants must have 1 year or 2,000 hours of actual, hands-on electrical work experience. Additional information on reciprocity can be found [here](https://firemarshal.wv.gov/Divisions/Fire%20Services/Pages/Electrical-Licensing.aspx).
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| [Wisconsin](https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/JourneymanElectrician/Default.aspx) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Wisconsin. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services](https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/JourneymanElectrician/Default.aspx)**Contact**: 4822 Madison Yards Way, Madison WI 53705. Phone: 877-617-1565. Email: DSPSCredTrades@wisconsin.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Application and information](https://dsps.wi.gov/Credentialing/Trades/fm3106.pdf).
* [Rules and regulations](https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/sps/safety_and_buildings_and_environment/301_319/305/IV/40).
* 4 years and 8,000 hours of experience is required for journeyman electricians. Completing a 2-year program will be considered equivalent to 12 months and 2,000 hours of experience.
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| [Wyoming](https://wsfm.wyo.gov/electrical-safety/licensing) | **Statement:** The SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program meets the educational requirements for licensure in Wyoming. Students must complete the work experience requirements that exceed what is offered through the SLCC Apprenticeship Electrical Independent program.**Board**: [Wyoming Department of Fire Prevention and Electrical Safety](https://wsfm.wyo.gov/electrical-safety/licensing)**Contact**: 320 West 25th Street, 3rd Floor, Cheyenne Wyoming 82002. Phone: 307-777-7288. Email: bridget.carson@wyo.gov. **Additional Information**: * [Rules and regulations](https://wsfm.wyo.gov/electrical-safety/rules-statutes-and-jurisdictions).
* Wyoming has a reciprocal process for Journeyman Electrician and Master Electrician, but it is currently not available for Utah. More information regarding Wyoming reciprocity and applications for licensure can be found [here](https://wsfm.wyo.gov/electrical-safety/licensing#h.p_vdAQVOMMVXe0).
* Journeyman electricians are required to have 4 years (8,000 hours) of experience and 576 hours of classroom instruction over a 4-year apprenticeship.
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