

CAREERS IN ASPHALT PAVEMENT

WHY SHOULD YOU CONSIDER A CAREER IN ASPHALT PAVEMENT?



Money. The industry provides high paying jobs for workers at every level. Workers on many asphalt pavement projects must be paid minimum wages that for most positions exceed \$30 per hour.



Job Security. Asphalt pavement jobs cannot be outsourced to other countries. Roads are built and maintained by people who live and work in the local community, there are miles and miles of roads in dire need of repair, and more workers are expected to retire than can be replaced in the near future.



Opportunity. Formal education is not a barrier to advancement. Asphalt pavement companies care more about desire to work and learn than degrees. Hard workers can get to top-level positions with or without formal education.



Variety. There are positions for employees who place asphalt pavement, prepare bids, administer contracts, test asphalt pavement in labs, manage projects, mix asphalt pavement, operate heavy equipment and trucks, fix equipment, advertise, and perform many other tasks.



WHAT ARE SOME FACTS THAT YOU MIGHT NOT KNOW ABOUT ASPHALT PAVEMENT?

Asphalt pavement is essential to the economy. Everything in your home or apartment traveled over an asphalt road at some point.

Most of our roads were built prior to 1980, are nearing the end (or are past) their expected life, and will need to be rebuilt in the very near future.

Smooth asphalt roads significantly reduce vehicle fuel use and wear-and-tear, and provide a surface that is quieter to drivers and surrounding communities.

Asphalt pavement is the most recycled product in the United States by weight – all existing asphalt pavement can be ground up and reused in new asphalt pavement.

Asphalt pavement is made of natural materials. The stone, sand, and gravel come from quarries, and the binder (the glue that holds everything together) comes from naturally occurring deposits or the oil refining process.



See the next page for information about specific opportunities

Asphalt Paving Career Opportunities

Baker Rock Resources, Beaverton, OR. Inquiries visit www.baker-rock.com/baker-rock-jobs.html

Bayview Transit Mix, Seaside, OR. Inquiries visit www.bayviewtransit.com/jobs/

CPI, Murphy, OR. Inquires contact Elana Ommert (541) 862-2390

Eagle-Elsner, Inc. Tigard, OR. Inquiries contact Mary Meirow (503) 628-1137

Granite Construction Company, Hermiston, OR. Inquiries visit https://granite.taleo.net/careersection/*gc_ext_cs/jobsearch.ftl

H&H Paving Co. Salem, OR. Inquires contact Jessica Ferge (503) 363-6719

Harney Rock & Paving Co., Burns, OR. Inquiries visit www.harneyrock.com/about-us/employment/

High Desert Aggregate & Paving, Terrebonne, OR. Inquiries visit www.harneyrock.com/about-us/employment/

Humbert Asphalt, Milton-Freewater, OR. Inquiries visit <https://www.humbertasphalt.com/contact>

Knife River, Multiple locations. Inquiries visit www.kniferiver.com/job-opportunities

Kodiak Pacific Construction Co., Sherwood, OR. Inquires email Sam Manley samm@kodiakco.com

Lakeside Industries, Portland, OR. Inquiries visit www.lakesideindustries.com/careers/

North Santiam Paving Company, Stayton, OR. Inquiries visit www.nspor.com/careers/

Oregon Mainline Paving, LLC, McMinnville, OR. Inquiries visit <https://www.oregonmainline.com/careers/>

Porter W. Yett Company, Portland, OR. Inquiries visit <http://www.porteryett.com/employment/>

Portland Road & Driveway, Gladstone, OR. Inquires call (503) 650-5006

River Bend Materials, Eugene and Salem, OR. Inquiries visit <https://career2.successfactors.eu/career?company=CRH>

Road & Driveway Co., Newport, OR. Inquires visit <http://roadanddriveway.com/> jobs under educational resources

ROBCO, Inc. Grants Pass, OR. Inquiries call Carla Robertson (541) 476-2132

Rocky Mountain Construction, Klamath Falls, OR. Inquires call (541) 882-8377 or email office@rmcpave.com

Roy L. Houck Construction Co., Salem, OR. Inquires call Rye Houck (503) 463-7177

S-2 Contractors, Inc. Aurora, OR. Inquires call Theresa Kirstein (503) 651-4000

S-C Paving Company, Tillamook, OR. Inquires call Brian Martindale (503)842-7541

Tidewater Contractors, Inc., Brookings, OR. Inquiries visit <https://www.twcontractors.com/employment-opportunities/>

Vic Russell Construction, Inc. LaPine, OR. Inquires call (541) 536-3478

Wildish Sand & Gravel Co., Eugene, OR. Inquiries visit <https://www.wildish.com/employment>