



# JOIN THE MASONRY ACADEMY

## OVERVIEW

The Eastern State Penitentiary Historic Site, in partnership with Rebuild and PowerCorpsPHL, is recruiting young adults and returning citizens from Philadelphia to join a **paid, hands-on job training** program for those interested in pursuing careers in masonry. At the end of each phase, successful participants will have the chance to interview for the next stage.

## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Philadelphia residency
- 18-28 years old
- A high school diploma or GED
- Ability to pass a drug screening
- Willingness to complete a background check (returning citizens are encouraged to apply)
- Ability to engage in strenuous physical work

## APPLY ONLINE



Interested applicants can apply through PowerCorpsPHL's online application, found here: <https://www.cognitofrms.com/PowerCorpsPHL1/MasonryApplication>

## QUESTIONS?

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## PHASE 1: MASONRY ACADEMY

Participants will gain hands-on masonry experience in a **4-week training program** that begins on **June 14th**. No experience required! This phase of the program will include:

- Exposure to the construction industry;
- Career development centered on the masonry trades;
- Completion of one restoration project at Eastern State Penitentiary Historic Site.



## PHASE 2: MASONRY FELLOWSHIP

Academy participants will have the chance to apply for an **8-week paid training program**. This phase will include:

- Additional hands-on training, preparing fellows to be ideal apprenticeship candidates;
- Work on various job sites in partnership with PULLMAN contractors;
- Mentorship and further exposure to the construction industry.



## PHASE 3: MASONRY APPRENTICESHIP

Masonry fellows will have the opportunity to interview **for full-time union apprenticeships**, such as BAC Local #1. This phase includes:

- Hands-on work on a variety of project sites;
- Employment opportunities with PULLMAN contractors and union membership;
- Eligibility for benefits and additional training through union apprenticeships.

# PRIORITY DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 26TH, 2021

