

To be a leader in the Materials Testing Industry, we strive to have a team of bright and hard-working individuals in order to truly succeed. At PES, we carefully search for the top talent - people who bring a fire and passion to be challenged and create solutions in their day-to-day tasks. We spoke with Brian F. - new hire in the Mechanical Lab - about what makes him special, his background, and why he was so excited to join PES.

“Brian, tell us a little bit about your background and experiences prior to joining PES.”

Brian: I graduated from Penn State New Kensington with a degree in Electro-Mechanical Engineering Technology. Prior to that, I had an internship with Siemens LDA which mostly involved engineering design work.

“What made you choose PES?”

Brian: I was interested in learning more about material properties, which were covered briefly in coursework but not nearly as involved as the testing here at PES.

“Tell us what you like to do outside of work?”

Brian: My hobbies outside of work include working on computers, 3D Printing, and video games.

“What would you tell your younger self?”

Brian: To lift weights so that CVN Testing is easier.

“What advice do you have for young professionals?”

Brian: Pursue as many internships as possible during college to gain more experience in things that college can't necessarily teach you.