

Right place, right time.

In some areas of the country, natural rainfall is all it takes. But in many places, parks, sports fields, gardens, yards and other green spaces need a little help to stay healthy and beautiful. Efficient irrigation systems deliver water where and when it's needed, keeping waste to a minimum.

Advanced technology, practical techniques.

Irrigation professionals are at the forefront of the green building and water conservation movement. They develop smart technology that reacts to weather and soil conditions, find ways to reuse recycled water, and apply the latest research on managing irrigation systems.



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“Water conservation is one of the most important issues the world faces. Because irrigation is one of the biggest water users, the irrigation industry has a critical role to play in solving that problem. I want to be on the front line, helping to save water and promote change.”

Jess Hole
Class of 2018
Kansas State University



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Specialized knowledge, targeted training.

Unless irrigation systems are designed, installed and maintained correctly, even the smartest technology can't prevent water waste. Landscape irrigation professionals have the technical know-how and skills to make sure systems run smoothly to get plants the water they need to grow and thrive.

“Contractor companies like ours need qualified, well-trained irrigation professionals more than ever. We are working closely with our clients to implement efficient irrigation and water management practices to conserve water — our number-one resource.”

Eric Santos, CAIS, CGIA, CIC, CID, CIT, CLIA, CLWM

Vice President, Irrigation Services
BrightView Landscape Services

Many employers, one objective.

Irrigation professionals are specialists who work for a wide range of companies.

- **Manufacturers** transform raw materials into finished products used in irrigation systems, such as pipe, sprinkler heads, pumps and controllers.
- **Distributors** offer one-stop shopping to contractors and other companies that install and maintain landscape irrigation systems.
- **Irrigation consulting companies** work with developers, property managers and government agencies to design and manage irrigation projects.
- **Contractors** install new irrigation systems and upgrade older ones to improve performance and reduce operating costs.
- **Maintenance and management companies** service installed irrigation systems and troubleshoot problems.
- **Irrigation professionals** at golf courses, sports fields, parks and other recreation facilities manage and maintain irrigation systems.

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Rewarding careers, promotion opportunities.

Climate concerns and policies to preserve long-term water supplies are driving increased demand for landscape irrigation professionals. Whether you're interested in sales, business management or in getting your hands dirty, there's an irrigation career for you.

In the field

- irrigation technician
- foreman/project manager
- bidder/estimator
- groundskeeper

System design and operation

- irrigation designer
- irrigation engineer
- irrigation auditor

Engineering and product development

- product/technical support
- product engineer
- product manager

Product and service sales

- inside/outside sales representative
- account/service manager
- branch/regional/national sales manager

“As an irrigation distribution company, everything we do revolves around water. We know that outdoor water efficiency is where our industry has the biggest opportunity for growth and leadership. Our business is growing and we're looking for knowledgeable irrigation professionals who can help us succeed.”

Warren S. Gorowitz, CLIA

Director of Corporate Social Responsibility
Hunter Industries