

NOTICE OF FUTURE CHANGES TO NCEES EXAMS

Spring 2019 Exam Changes

Principles and Practice of Surveying – The PS exam has new specifications starting in January 2019. The specifications are posted on the NCEES website.

PE Environmental - The PE Environmental exam had its last paper administration in October 2018. Since November 26, 2018, examinees have been able to register and schedule CBT appointments, which are available year-round starting on April 1, 2019.

PE Software Engineering – The PE Software Engineering exam will have its last administration in April 2019.

PE Industrial and Systems – The PE Industrial and Systems exam will have its last pencil-and-paper administration in April 2019 and transition to CBT in October 2020. *Note that there will be 18 months between these two administrations.*

Fall 2019 Exam Changes

PE Control Systems Engineering - The PE Control Systems Engineering exam has new specifications starting in October 2019. The specifications are posted on the NCEES website.

PE Petroleum – The PE Petroleum exam will transition to computer-based testing in October 2019. **This will be a single-day testing event similar to paper-based exam administrations and the PE Nuclear computer-based exam administration. The test date is Tuesday, October 15, 2019. Registration with NCEES for this exam began November 6, 2018. Examinees may reserve their seat at a Pearson VUE test center once they are registered with NCEES and approved by their board. Member Boards who manually approve candidates are encouraged to approve candidates as they register to allow them to reserve their seat for this single-day event as early as possible. The PE Nuclear exam will be offered on the same day.**

PE Fire Protection – The PE Fire Protection exam will be offered for the last time in pencil-and-paper format in October 2019 and transition to CBT in October 2020.

PE Mechanical – The PE Mechanical exams will be offered for the last time in pencil-and-paper format in October 2019 and transition to CBT in April 2020.

****Spring 2019 NCEES Pencil and Paper Registration Deadlines****

Spring 2019 Exam Dates - The Spring pencil-and-paper exams will be administered April 5 and 6, 2019. The PE exams and the Vertical Forces component of the SE exam will be administered only on Friday, April 5. The Lateral Forces component of the SE will be administered only on Saturday, April 6.

Spring 2019 Registration - Registration opened on November 26, 2018, and closes for examinees at 3:00 p.m. eastern time on February 7, 2019.

For additional information regarding exams, please visit the NCEES website, www.ncees.org.