

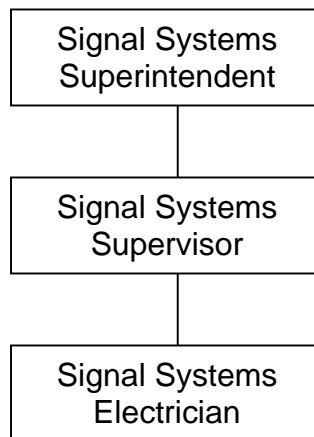
**CITY OF LOS ANGELES
PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT**

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES FOR SIGNAL SYSTEMS ELECTRICIAN

This information is being giving to you to describe potential promotional opportunities as a Signal Systems Electrician. The career ladder that Signal Systems Electricians most commonly enter into is diagrammed below. The duties and requirements for the first promotional level of the career ladder are also described. We encourage you to examine the options open to you and to prepare yourself for the promotions for which you qualify.

COMMON CAREER LADDERS FOR SIGNAL SYSTEMS ELECTRICIAN

The chart below shows the normal career path of Signal Systems Electricians. The normal advancement for Signal Systems Electricians is from Signal Systems Supervisor to Senior Signal Systems Superintendent.



**OTHER POSSIBLE PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR
SIGNAL SYSTEMS ELECTRICIANS**

Electrician
Senior Electrician
Electrician Supervisor

Specialized experience and/or education is required to qualify for these promotional opportunities.

Duties and Requirements for First Promotional Level

Duties:

Signal Systems Supervisor – Supervises a group of Signal Systems Electricians and other employees engaged in the installation, maintenance, and repair of traffic signals, electric and electronic controllers, including microcomputers and other digital microprocessor based traffic signal control devices.

Requirements:

Signal Systems Supervisor – Two years of full-time paid journey-level experience as a Signal Systems Electrician.

PREPARING YOURSELF FOR PROMOTION

1. Broaden your work experience by taking advantage of job rotation and transfer opportunities. Take advantage of on-the-job training opportunities relating to your work.
2. Take advantage of formal education opportunities relating to your work.
3. Learn and stay abreast of laws, procedures, policies and practices relating to your career ladder.
4. Carefully review examination bulletins and class specifications for promotional classes to determine the kinds of skills, knowledges and abilities you need to develop for promotion.
5. Request for Notification cards may be completed in Room 100 of the Personnel Building (847-9240) to notify you by mail when a specific examination is open for filing. Familiarize yourself with the areas in your work location where weekly job bulletins are posted.
6. Employees may obtain career counseling from the Personnel Department's Employee Development Section, (213) 847-9200, in Room 380, Personnel Building.