

2019 Exam calendar

February 2019

Examinations for certificates of competence granted under the Work Health and Safety (Mines and Petroleum Sites) Regulation 2014 are planned to be held on the dates below. These dates are subject to change. Sign up for updates at resourcesregulator.nsw.gov.au/safety-and-health/publications/mine-safety-news. An application form for examinations can be downloaded from our [website](#). A completed application form must be lodged before the closing date for the relevant exam.

Certificate of competence	Briefing session	Oral only closing date	Oral only date	Written/oral closing date	Written date	Oral date
Underground coal mines						
Mining engineering manager	21 Feb	5 Feb	5 Mar	11 April	25-26 June	21 Aug
Undermanager	4 Jul	16 April	22-23 May	21 Aug	15-16 Oct	26-27 Nov
Deputy	19-21 Feb	8 Jan	6-7 Feb	2 May	19 June	27-28 Aug
Electrical engineering manager	4 April	26 Feb	3 April	16 May	24 July	17 Oct
Mechanical engineering manager	9 April	19 Feb	20 Mar	30 May	8 Aug	30 Oct
Coal mines other than underground						
Mining engineering manager	31 Jan	8 Jan	27 Feb	7 Mar	5 June	26 Sept
Open cut examiner	31 Jan	8 Jan	27 Feb	14 Mar	5 June	24-25 Sept
Electrical engineer	4 April	26 Feb	3 April	16 May	24 July	17 Oct
Mechanical engineer	9 April	19 Feb	20 Mar	30 May	8 Aug	30 Oct
Underground mines other than coal mines						
Mining engineering manager	14 May	N/A	N/A	27 June	18 Sept	13 Nov
Underground mine supervisor	2 July	23 April	28-29 May	1 Aug	N/A	23-24 Oct
Mines other than underground mines or coal mines						
Quarry manager	30 April	N/A	N/A	13 June	4 Sept	7 Nov
Licensed activities at coal mines						
Cable repair signatory	2 July	N/A	N/A	29 Aug	N/A	20 Nov

Written examinations may be held at*: Kurri Kurri, Tocal, Lithgow & Wollongong

Oral examinations may be held at*: Cobar, Lithgow, Maitland, Orange, Thornton and Wollongong.

*Examination and briefing session venues are dependent on the number of candidates.

More information

Website: resourcesregulator.nsw.gov.au/safety-and-health/applications/mining-competence/certificate-of-competence

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