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Stanwell Power Station.

## An exciting time to join Stanwell's industries

STANWELL has welcomed the next generation of energy industry professionals, with four apprentices and one trainee beginning their careers this month.

The new recruits will develop skills in fields such as electrical instrumentation, power systems, mechanical, material handling and processing, and business administration over the next one to five years.

Stanwell Power Station acting site manager Angie Zahra said the new team members will get first-hand experience in maintaining one of Queensland's largest power stations.

"We are delighted to welcome the new apprentices and trainee to our site, with local employment remaining a key focus for our business," she said.

"It's also great to see the increasing number of women committed to learning new skills and trades, and taking on a demanding role in a traditionally male dominated industry," she said.

The structured learning program will be complemented by practical on-the-job training, alongside highly experienced and qualified trades people and mentors.

"It's an exciting time to be entering the energy industry, with plenty of change ahead.

"This is set to provide many valuable learning opportunities for our latest recruits. They have signed up for a role that will be challenging, but it will also be very rewarding," Ms Zahra said.

Across all of Stanwell's Queensland operations, 13 new apprentices and trainees were hired this year.

The 2019 intake brings the company's apprentice and trainee numbers to 43 across the state.

Stanwell recruits for apprentices and trainees each year, and encourages those seeking a trade in the industry to visit the career section on Stanwell's website for more information.