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UT Austin ARE Grad

Indoor Environmental Quality
*Specialization in Acoustics, Lighting,
Renewable Energy*



Acoustics, Noise and Vibration

Consulting Engineer
*Environmental Noise, Room Acoustics, Sound
Isolation, Manufacturing Tolerances*



Green Buildings

Engineer and Project Manager
*Reviewing Projects, Rating System, Policy and
Energy Code Development, Education*



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Rebate Programs

- Development of Demand Response Programs
- Utilization of Demand Response Optimization and Management Software
- Application of open protocols and the Internet-of-Things



Green Building Ratings

- Development of Green Building Rating Systems to align with local goals and market
- Project reviews and consultation
- Celebration and recognition
- Education



Policy & Advocacy

- Energy Code Development
- Green Building policy requirements
- COA Economic Redevelopment
- Partnering with like-minded organizations (USGBC, Workers Defense, Austin Water Utility)



Austin Energy Green Building Project Highlights



2400 Nueces
AEGB 4-Star and LEED Gold

The Austonian
AEGB 4-Star

Lifeworks
AEGB 5-Star

Dell Children's Medical Center
AEGB 5-Star and LEED Platinum

Mueller Visitor's Center
AEGB 4-Star and LEED Gold

UFCU Ben White Branch
AEGB 5-Star

