Industrial Maintenance Technician: Welding Instructor

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Organization: Aerospace Joint Apprenticeship Committee (AJAC)

Location Address: Bellingham Technical College | 3028 Lindbergh Ave, Bellingham, WA 98225

Position Type: Part-Time | 50 Hours over 12 Weeks

Compensation: $39.00/Hour

Travel Required: This position requires travel to Bellingham Technical College one night a week during the course of the 12 weeks.

Required Experience: Minimum 5 years’ experience as a maintenance welder in the aerospace-oriented manufacturing industry

Who We Are: The Aerospace Joint Apprenticeship Committee (AJAC) is a statewide non-profit organization with offices in south Seattle, Kent, and Spokane. We are an industry-driven apprenticeship organization, founded on the belief that mastery occurs on the job. Through pre-apprenticeship, youth apprenticeship and adult apprenticeship, all people have the opportunity to earn competitive wages, find meaningful and fulfilling work, and pursue lifelong learning. The organization annually serves 300+ manufacturing employers, 400 apprentices (including 100 high school juniors and seniors), and nearly 270 pre-apprentices. We have a small staff of entrepreneurial, smart and motivated team members – this work is fast and dynamic but also rewarding and highly collaborative.

About this Job: We are seeking an innovative and experienced industrial maintenance welder to instruct a welding class at Bellingham Technical College. Instructors use AJAC’s curriculum to teach current apprentices a variety of key industrial maintenance concepts and skills in both a classroom and lab environment.

Some key duties of this position include:

- Teach apprentices welding and cutting skills commonly used for industrial maintenance applications.
- Use our online system to report apprentice attendance and progress on a weekly basis
- Able to adapt to a variety of teaching situations, including working effectively in both the classroom and the lab environment
- Establish safety guidelines and manage conduct of students as appropriate for the classroom and shop
- Work with the Program Director and make suggestions regarding the curriculum to ensure apprentices receive training in machining operations that address industry needs
- Participate in instructor training and curriculum development meetings
- Communicate effectively in oral and written English
- Perform other duties assigned
Qualifications:

- Industry knowledge and experience in any maintenance welding
- Ability to work with diverse populations in a team environment
- Apply common sense understanding in carrying out instructions furnished in written, oral, or diagram form
- Excellent communication skills

Preferred Qualifications:

- Journey-Level welder or equivalent
- Prior experience teaching or mentoring in a college, technical, or vocational environment
- Current first aid and CPR certification

How to Apply: Please send your resume and letter of interest to employment@ajactraining.org. Please include “Welding Instructor” in the subject line.

Deadline to Apply: Open Until Filled

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