

Savant Steering Technologies—a navigation services company for the Horizontal Directional Drilling industry—is proud to offer the position of Apprentice Steering Technician to qualified applicants. This position will require working, traveling, reporting, and training directly under the supervision of the Operations Manager until such a time as your apprenticeship is complete at which point you will be traveling and working in the field alone.

Duties will include, but are not limited to:

- Travel via driving Company vehicles and flying across the Continental United States to Customer job sites/the Office in Portland, Oregon
- Topographical, ROW, obstruction, and landmark surveying in all terrain and weather conditions (within reason) via a GPS mapper such as a Trimble Geo7X or a Total Station such as a Nikon DTM-322
- Planning Horizontal Directional Drills (HDDs) via requisite software based on survey data, equipment tolerances, and site conditions
- Navigating and locating a drill head via an electromagnetic (EM) steering tool with requisite uphole and downhole tooling and software
- Keeping records, notes, photos, daily reports, and billable days/hours accurate and up to date
- Disseminating Customer files, Asbuilds, photos, and reporting necessary information to the Operations Manager
- Properly and accurately submitting receipts, expense reports, and purchase orders to the Operations Manager/Office
- Maintaining and accounting for all Company owned equipment, vehicles, and property
- Obeying all local laws and adhering to traffic regulations
- Developing proficiency with software systems and tools used by the Company in a timely manner
- Minor field repairs on Company tooling
- Obeying and adhering to all Customer job site, legal, and environmental regulations
- Involvement in Company R&D depending upon experience and knowledge

Position Requirements:

- Signing a Non-Compete and Non-Disclosure agreement prior to hire
- Moderate knowledge and proficiency with Microsoft Windows and computers in general
- Ability to parse and prepare .csv, .txt files, send emails, download/install software, maintain updates and databases, troubleshooting, connect peripherals, etc.
- Knowledge and understanding of basic geometry and trigonometry
- Ability to walk, climb, stand, slog through rough terrain for 6-12 hours. Topographical conditions and flora/fauna will greatly vary from site to site
- Ability to safely lift and briefly carry up to 100 lbs.
- Attention to detail and thoroughness

- Willingness and ability to ask questions and admit mistakes
- Proper handling, storage, and disposal of hazardous materials
- Safe and responsible use of hand tools and power tools.
- Adherence to all Company policies as outlined in the Company handbook and other documentation

Benefits:

- This is an exempt salaried position with potential for profit sharing and advancement within the Company
- Generous Per Diem with hotels, flights, baggage, and fuel covered by the Company
- A share of any Overtime Charges billed to a Customer
- Health insurance
- 401k
- Company paid life insurance
- Paid vacation
- Company provided accommodations when working in the Yard or Office.
- Use of Company vehicles for local/on-the-job personal errands and a personal travel allowance with approval from the Operations Manager on weekends, breakdowns, and stoppage.

Please send a resume with references and skills to: dustin.jones@savantsteering.com for consideration.

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