

JOB DESCRIPTION

Workshop Technician

Overview

Whether it's industrial embedded computing, custom lithium battery packs, secure communication systems, antennas, or imaging technology we design, manufacture and supply it.

From the ocean floor to the edge of space, Steatite innovation is making sure that vital technology operates consistently, reliably, and above all safely, around the clock.

Our products can be found gathering scientific insight in the cold and crushing depths at the ocean floor, transmitting high bandwidth data across hostile terrain, processing colossal amounts of traffic data, and enabling secure ticket sales on board a train.

From the first day of your employment with us, you will be part of an organisation that cares for your safety and wellbeing and strives to make every day at work rewarding.

Reporting to the Workshop Team Leader, this role will be integral to the successful manufacture of products such as antennas and sub-systems.

Summary Details

Job Type:	Site Based
Job Title:	Workshop Technician
Location:	Leominster, Herefordshire
Hours:	37.5 hours per week, worked Monday - Friday
Salary Package:	Competitive
Benefits	<p>26 days holiday, plus Bank Holidays, increasing with length of service</p> <p>Discretionary annual bonus</p> <p>Pension – 5% employee, 4% employer (salary sacrifice)</p> <p>Enrolled in Employee Share Scheme following 12 months service</p> <p>Access to Westfield Healthcare scheme, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Corporate Health Cash Plan including cover for dependents • Employee Assistance Programme • Discounted Gym membership • Retail & Travel discount scheme • Wellbeing App <p>Cycle to Work Scheme</p> <p>EV scheme</p>

Qualifications	Relevant technical qualification or equivalent experience in precision machining and assembly.
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The type of person we are looking for

We are currently in a phase of substantial growth and are seeking a skilled and detail-oriented Workshop Technician to join our existing team. In this role you will be responsible for machining a diverse range of precision components, primarily in aluminium and thermoplastics.

Additionally, you will play a crucial part in the assembly of antenna components and bench fitting, ensuring that specifications are met.

The ideal candidate will come from a background in engineering or mechanical work and should be comfortable working with a variety of hand tools and machinery.

While prior experience in our specific industry is not required, applicants must demonstrate a strong aptitude for hands-on work and a willingness to learn new skills.

This is your chance to become an integral part of a dynamic team, contributing to our continued success in the industry. If you are motivated and have the skills and qualities we are looking for, then apply now!

The Role

This role encompasses the following responsibilities:

- Perform precision machining of components using manual mills and lathes, with a focus on aluminium and thermoplastics
- Conduct assembly of antenna components with meticulous attention to detail, ensuring adherence to specifications
- Bench fitting to achieve precise dimensions for seamless integration of components
- Manufacture assembly and test fixtures to support the production process
- Interpret and work from engineering drawings to meet design specifications
- Utilise measurement tools to verify and maintain the accuracy of machined parts

Key Competencies

- Proficient use of manual mills and lathes, preferably at the toolmaker level
- Familiarity with band saws, finishers, grinders and other manual workshop equipment
- Skill in using various measurement tools to ensure precision of machined components
- Ability to read and interpret engineering drawings accurately
- Exemplary attention to detail and quality craftsmanship.

Useful Additional Expertise/Qualifications

The following are advantageous but not a requirement:

- Ability to programme a CNC
- Brazing/soldering ability