THE UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING
JOB DESCRIPTION

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The following statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed. They are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties and skills required of personnel so classified.

Title: ELECTRICIAN, SENIOR
Reports To: Designated Supervisor
UW Job Code: 6010
UW Job Family: 62 – Crafts/Trades
SOC Code: 47-2111
FLSA: Non-exempt
Pay Grade: 22
Date: 5-10-12 (revised 6-1-21)

JOB PURPOSE:
Perform Master’s level electrical work required to install, maintain and repair a variety of university electrical systems. Assist with supervision, scheduling and training.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:
- Read and interpret construction drawings, sketches, diagrams, and specifications to properly install or modify electrical wiring and equipment to comply with codes and statutes.
- Install and repair wiring associated with electrical fixtures, power equipment, receptacles, components of machinery and equipment following electrical code, manuals, specifications, schematics, and blueprints.
- Install and repair feeder, branch circuit, control and distribution wiring.
- Diagnose and resolve problems in electrical circuits, systems, and equipment using testing instruments and equipment.
- Work in the maintenance, and repair of utility distribution cables related to equipment/facilities, up to 15,000 volts.
- Inspect, test, repair, maintain, install, replace & operate (switch) medium & low voltage power systems and related equipment.
- Repair (splice), replace, pull and terminate underground electrical cables.
- Perform switching procedures as necessary to facilitate operations.
- Perform troubleshooting procedures to determine the cause of outages and corrective action to restore service.
- Install, troubleshoot, repair, maintain fire alarm systems and associated devices.
- Inspect, test, repair, maintain, install, replace & operate emergency backup systems including generators, transfer switches, uninterruptible power supplies and various emergency lighting systems.
- Inspect, test, repair, maintain, install, replace & operate lighting control systems.
- Install, repair, and maintain security/door systems.
- After-hours on-call duties on a rotational basis.
- Assist with Supervision, project prioritization, and training.
- Complete complex technical work and troubleshooting. Perform site inspections and review work of others.
- Train and mentor new staff.
- Act as team leader on job site.

SUPPLEMENTAL FUNCTIONS:
- May prepare sketches documenting existing and proposed electrical wiring layout.
- Recognize and report hazardous materials including asbestos, lead and mercury.
- Perform miscellaneous job-related duties as assigned.
- Attend and participate in training and other professional development activities.
- Participate in performance-related goal setting and achievement to meet personal and organizational goals and objectives.

COMPETENCIES:
- Analysis/Problem Identification
- Attention to Detail
- Initiative
- Individual Leadership
- Quality Orientation
- Safety Awareness
- Technical/Professional Knowledge
- Work Prioritization

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:
Education: High School Diploma or GED, plus completion of a four-year electrical apprenticeship that meets the U.S. Department of Labor requirements
Experience: 8 years work-related experience
Required licensure, certification, registration, or other requirements:
- Valid driver's license
- Must hold current State of Wyoming Master Electrical License

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES:
Knowledge of:
- Electrical systems and wiring principles.
- Electrical troubleshooting and repair principles.
• Construction drawings, sketches, blueprints, diagrams, and specifications.
• Testing electrical circuits and equipment for compatibility and safety.
• Occupational hazards and safety precautions of the trade.
• Current trade methods, materials and equipment.
• Applicable state and federal regulations.
• Local fire and national electrical codes.
• Training methods and procedures.
• Scheduling and supervisory techniques.

Skills and Abilities to:

• Apply NEC standards.
• Use tools applicable to the trade.
• Select appropriate materials based on application and amounts required.
• Communicate effectively both orally and in writing.
• Troubleshoot and isolate defects in wiring, switches, motors, and other electrical equipment and systems.
• Measure, cut, thread, pull, and install electrical wire in conduit.
• Read and interpret construction drawings, schematics, sketches, diagrams, blueprints, and specifications.
• Read, understand and follow safety procedures.
• Discern colors.
• Move objects weighing up to 50 pounds regularly.
• Work as a team member and foster a cooperative work environment.
• Lead and prioritize projects.
• Schedule and manage in Manager’s absence.

**WORKING CONDITIONS:**
Shop and in/outdoor environment; regular exposure to electrical and associated mechanical hazards; frequently subject to confined spaces, (mechanical rooms and utility tunnels) containing electrical, chemical and mechanical hazards and temperature extremes exceeding 100°.

Authorized by Classification/Compensation, Human Resources

Employees may be requested to perform job-related tasks other than those specifically presented in this description. Participating in the University’s hazardous waste minimization program is part of the job of each employee who uses (or may come in contact with) hazardous materials. Fair Labor Standards Act (exempt/non-exempt) is designated by position. University of Wyoming actively supports Americans with Disabilities Act and will consider reasonable accommodations.