

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: STAGE TECHNICIAN, SENIOR

Reports To: Designated Supervisor

UW Job Code: 5254

UW Job Family: 51 - Technicians

SOC Code: 27-3099

FLSA: Non-exempt

Pay Grade: 18

Date: 8-1-00 (revised 7-1-02; 7-19-02; 7-1-04; 7-1-06; 7-1-08)

JOB PURPOSE:

Provide senior-level technical assistance for theatre, auditorium, concert hall, cultural affairs, production companies, and outside school organizations by setting up and/or operating stage, lighting and sound equipment; provide custodial services for designated facilities.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Design, analyze, interpret, build and safely operate complex and advanced theatrical stage lighting and audio systems for performances, events, rehearsals and classes.
- Provide technical assistance for performances and events, including troubleshooting and problem solving during performances.
- Provide and assemble equipment for performances, rehearsals and classes including electrical, lighting, sound, and other stage equipment; assist with load-in/out of shows.
- Inspect temporary technical equipment to ensure it is functioning properly.
- Train assigned support staff in proper usage of lighting and sound equipment.
- Ensure that facilities are locked and secure after performances.
- Effectively communicate with supervisor, support staff and members of performance group.
- Perform custodial duties according to established standards for cleaning and maintaining buildings and facilities in a designated area.

SUPPLEMENTAL FUNCTIONS:

- May plan, assign and check work of support staff.

COMPETENCIES:

- Attention to Detail
- Individual Leadership
- Technical/Professional Knowledge
- Developing Organizational Talent
- Work Standards
- Safety Awareness

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Education: **High School Diploma or GED**

Experience: **3 years of related experience including technical theatre with stage lighting design and basic electronics and custodial experience**

Required licensure, certification, registration or other requirements: **None**

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES:

Knowledge of:

- Stage setups.
- Basic construction methods.
- Basic and advanced lighting and sound systems.
- Advanced and theatrical lighting and sound systems.
- Design, building and operation of complex and advanced lighting and sound systems.
- Computerized and conventional stage production methods, processes, and techniques.
- Basic cleaning methods and procedures.
- Occupational hazards and safety precautions of the trade.

Skills and Abilities to:

- Follow routine and advanced verbal and written instructions.
- Understand and follow specific instructions and procedures.
- Read, understand, follow, and enforce safety procedures.
- Work as a team member and foster a cooperative work environment.
- Effectively communicate with supervisor, support staff, and members of performance group.
- Maintain effective supervisory relationships.
- Provide advanced technical assistance for performances and events.
- Troubleshoot and repair basic and advanced lighting and/or sound equipment.
- Perform basic and advanced maintenance to lighting and/or sound equipment.
- Operate a variety of lighting and sound systems.
- Build stage setups to standards.
- Perform a variety of custodial and cleaning tasks.
- Lift and/or manipulate objects weighing up to 100 pounds regularly.

WORKING CONDITIONS:

Theatre, stage, auditorium, or concert hall environment; exposed to confined spaces and heights associated with lighting rigs and catwalks; regularly subject to vapors, fumes and dust.

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES:

Stage Technician: Provides technical assistance for theatre, auditorium, concert hall, cultural affairs, production companies, and outside school organizations by setting up and/or operating stage, lighting and sound equipment; provides custodial services for designated facilities; majority of work is performed in the Fine Arts Building.

Stage Technician, Senior: Provides senior-level technical assistance for theatre, auditorium, concert hall, cultural affairs, production companies, and outside school organizations by setting up and/or operating stage, lighting and sound equipment; program and operate computerized lighting and sound control boards; design, analyze, interpret, build and safely operate complex and advanced theatrical stage lighting and audio systems for performances and events; coordinate facilities and set needs with visiting performers; train assigned support staff in proper usage of lighting and sound equipment; provide custodial services for designated facilities; majority of work is performed in the Arts and Sciences Auditorium.

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.