



Overhead Crane Lead Technician

Kistler Crane & Hoist is looking to hire a talented overhead crane technician to lead our crane repair services in the Midwest. This is a unique opportunity for a talented technician to take on a critical role with a 50-year-old organization. Several years ago, new ownership began a period of significant growth and we are looking for the next talented individual to be a part of our fast-growing team.

Job Description

This position is a full-time position. The position involves repairing and inspecting overhead cranes and hoists and other overhead lifting equipment to ensure equipment is compliant with manufacturers, OSHA, and ASME Standards. Lead Technician interfaces with customers to create service and inspection programs and ensure full customer satisfaction in their execution. Technician communicates between customers, Kistler management, and other technicians related to schedules, evaluations, and repairs. Typical schedule is Monday through Friday 8am-5pm (1-hour lunch). Some overtime and occasional weekend jobs.

Skills and Knowledge

1. Significant experience with electrical control circuits for three and single phase power
2. Strong experience regarding equipment modifications, including VFD retrofits, radio remote installs, motor and gear replacements, hydraulic to electrical braking retrofits, and bar to festoon conversions
3. PLC knowledge a plus
4. Ability to read electrical schematics and troubleshoot electrical equipment
5. Motor repairs a plus
6. Machining and welding skills
7. Mechanical gearing knowledge
8. Experience in solid state / magnetic motor control AC/DC
9. Installation of Overhead Lifting Associated equipment; electrification, ASCE Rail, hoists and cranes (structures a plus)

Job Requirements

- 5+ years of experience performing the above listed skills and knowledge on similar type equipment
- Minimum of High School Diploma or equivalent
- Valid driver's license and excellent driving record
- Must pass drug and background check (no felonies in the last 10 years)
- Must be comfortable working in tight spaces and at heights
- Some heavy lifting will be required
- Overtime and travel will be required

Benefits

- Pay Rate: Dependent on experience
- Relocation Benefits
- Health Insurance
- Life Insurance
- Paid Time Off / Overtime Pay
- Retirement Plan
- Company Truck
- Cell Phone

To apply for this position please email: laura@kistlercraneandhoist.com

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