Invites applications for the following position(s):

COMPETITION NUMBER: 294

C.U.P.E. Local 3338 – Temporary Position
TECHNICIAN, GRADE 9
WOODWARD’S CULTURAL UNIT PROGRAM – SFU VANCOUVER

POSITION NUMBER: 106863

(If you applied to the original posting, you will be included in this competition.)

POSITION OUTLINE:
As directed by the Manager, Production & Technical Services, the Theatre Production Technician assists in the delivery of technical services to support all events within the SFU Vancouver Campus Woodward’s Performance Complex. Maintains a presence on site during performances, exhibitions, and events, as assigned by the Manager, Production & Technical Services. Applies thorough specialist technical knowledge of at least one aspect of theatre production (e.g., lighting, audio, video, costumes, props, stage management, rigging, and stage carpentry), to ensure the provision of high quality technical services and support for all theatre productions. Acts as group lead responsible for coordinating the Junior Theatre Production Technicians in the operation, installation, and maintenance of technical equipment and systems, as assigned by the Manager, Production and Technical Services, Faculty, and the Resident Theatre Technicians. Please note: There are 3-5 part-time positions available working up to 70 hours bi-weekly. This position is located at Woodward’s, 149 West Hastings Street, Vancouver, BC. Priority will be given to qualified registered SFU students who must submit a Summer 2013 class schedule with their cover letter and resume.

QUALIFICATIONS:

• **High school graduation and one year post-secondary education with training towards a formal program certificate/diploma program equivalent in theatre production.
• **4 years of related experience.
• Good knowledge of theatrical and performance technologies, systems, and practices.
• Thorough specialist technical knowledge of at least one aspect of theatre production (e.g., lighting, audio, video, costumes, props, stage management, rigging, and stage carpentry.
• Good knowledge of Environmental Health & Safety and Work Safe BC safety protocols and practices in addition to the safety protocols standard to the performance industry.
• Excellent oral and written communication skills.
• Excellent customer service and client relations skills.
• Ability to operate personnel lifts, dollies, risers, platforms, decking, drapery, chain motors, pulleys, ropes, cables, and other such devices.
• Ability to interpret drafted floor plans, plots, and elevations.
• Ability to climb and to work at heights.
• Ability to coordinate, train, motivate, and provide direction to technical staff and crew.
• Ability to coordinate the work of others in a fast paced environment within strict timelines.
• Ability to appreciate and support the delivery of educational opportunities.
• Ability to work flexible schedule including early mornings, evenings, and weekends, and to work extended hours, as required.
• Ability to lift and carry equipment up to 25 kg.
• **or an equivalent combination of formal education, certificate/program of study and experience is acceptable.

HOURLY SALARY: $25.45
START DATE: ASAP
POSITION END DATE: October 31, 2013

A detailed resume and cover letter quoting Competition #294 must be received in our office by 4:30 pm on August 28, 2013, addressed to the attention of Sheva Bridgmohan, Human Resources Advisor. Please follow the application instructions at: http://www.sfu.ca/hr/prospective_employees/HowToApply.html.

We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only those selected for interviews will be contacted.

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