

Open Positions – Okuma America Corporation

Field Service Representative

The primary function of this position is responsible to, under the direction of the Field Service Manager, assist customers / distributors with electrical and / or mechanical issues concerning Okuma machines and machine systems. Support includes site visits, phone support and aid in training distributors and customers.

Candidate must possess Associates Degree in Electronics or equivalent experience; strong mechanical/ electrical skills; minimum of two years experience in CNC controls, axis drives, spindle drives, PLC's, hydraulics, and pneumatics; ability to read blueprints, electrical schematics; install service and troubleshoot industrial Electro/Mechanical equipment used in machine tool industry. 75% travel domestic and international.

Software Engineer

This position is responsible for development of and interfacing with Windows based applications for open architecture CNC Machine Tool Systems. Ideal candidate will have 3 – 5 years of Visual C++, ASP.Net, and Visual Basic.NET applications development experience. Candidate must have strong communication and technical leadership skills with the ability to identify customer requirements and create clear, concise technical specifications to meet those requirements. Mon – Fri, office position.

Purchasing/ Planner

This position will be responsible for purchasing material to support Field Retrofit/ RDT orders using MRP and Shortage Report; Item master maintenance; generate project schedules and purchase order; maintain specification changes and arrival dates; invoice discrepancy resolution and receiving discrepancy resolution; plan and schedule production activities; chair daily meeting with Production/ Planning/ Inside Sales to review/adjust schedule; prepare monthly reporting; review BOM's and confirm material availability; analyze recurring orders and implement process/material improvement plan to reduce tact time; create USA Sourcing Plan for new product/control introductions; follow Purchasing/Planning procedure to ensure conformance to ISO Standards. Ideal candidate will have a degree in Business Management, Purchasing/ Supply Chain Management or accounting; minimum of 3 years' experience in purchasing/ planning; experience with ERP based MRP/ MPS functionality. APICS Certification, BaaN and MS Office experience are desirable.

Sales Engineer

The Sales Engineer at Okuma America Corporation will support a regional sales team by providing technical or sales expertise and help in the coverage and management of the territory. An integral part of the sales team, this individual must possess a strong self-starter mentality and a passion for applying Okuma machine tools. Attention to detail and the ability work in hand with distributors to communicate Okuma capabilities are critical. The position will be responsible for implementing direction given by Regional Sales Manager; phone and E-mail support of Territory Sales staff; perform training for distributor sales on Okuma systems and/or products; perform training for distributor sales on Okuma systems and/or products; sales support of events; work closely with other Okuma departments in regards to sales issues; traveling inside Territory to support sales related activities. Ideal candidate will have a 4-year degree in Manufacturing related field or at least 5 years of work experience in machine tools; Knowledge of creating specification for machine tool quote; Understanding of machine tool terminology for Lathes, Mills, and CNC controls; good communication skills and comfortable in presenting materials to a group; Microsoft Office knowledge (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)

Okuma offers competitive compensation and benefits. Interested candidates should send resume and salary history to Okuma Fax: (704) 504-6485 or e-mail Careers@okuma.com