

JOB VACANCY - Fire Engineer

Folgate Safety are looking for a qualified, experienced fire alarm and emergency lighting engineer to join our team.

Working alongside our Electrical Engineers you will install, service and test commercial fire alarm / emergency lighting systems and develop your knowledge of fire safety matters.

Training in the servicing of fire extinguishers will be provided.

- 50% Servicing
- 30% Installation / Modification
- 10% Assisting electrical team
- 10% Commissioning

Based in Desborough, Northamptonshire we primarily work in the Midlands areas, and a van / mobile phone will be provided for work use.

You will share an 'on call' rota with two other engineers meaning you will be available to respond to fire alarm activations and emergency call outs 24/7 for additional hourly pay.

Working the on call shift is one week in three.

You must live in Northamptonshire or a surrounding County, e.g. Leicestershire.

Your qualifications need to reflect your experience (e.g. FIA training modules) and be fully knowledgeable about BS:5839-1 and BS5266-1 - evidenced by qualifications and interview Q&A.

We are a fast growing company, established in 2010 who want to invest in training / developing our own staff.

Salary Negotiable (based on experience and competence) ranging from:

£27,000.00 - £30,000.00 per annum
(Overtime usually available)

+ Van and tools
+ Mobile phone

For more info / to apply visit www.folgatesafety.co.uk/Jobs

Closing date for CV's is Friday 14th July 2017 5pm

SECTION ONE

Business: Folgate Safety	Post Title: Fire Engineer
	Grade: £27,000 - £30,000

SECTION TWO

Responsible to: Electrical Manager, Leon Lucas and Director Dan Folgate

Responsible for: Ensuring that client's fire safety systems / equipment are compliant to current standards and installing or modifying where required.

SECTION THREE – Overall purpose of job

1. The demand for our services is increasing rapidly and a vacancy has arisen to join the team in an exciting industry.
2. To service, install and maintain fire safety systems, equipment and undertake assessments as required.

SECTION FOUR – Principal Responsibilities / Requirements

1. Undertake driver checks on business van and take responsibility for its clean and tidy condition. Drive in a professional and safe manner at all times.
2. Undertake installation works with small hand tools in a safe and productive manner
3. Undertake tasks in line with British standards, training and work policies
4. Train clients in their responsibilities for legal compliance
5. Must create and develop own ideas for moving the business forward.
6. Have, (and develop) knowledge of health and safety, particularly must have knowledge of BS5839-1 & BS5266-1
Keep up to date with changes in legislation and news.
7. The post holder should have knowledge of all Microsoft Office computer programmes (Word, Excel, Powerpoint).
8. Post holder should be confident and knowledgeable of the internet and search engines (like Google) Only minor training will be provided
9. The post holder may from time to time be required to carry out other duties provided they are within the general level of responsibility of the post and within the abilities of the post holder.
10. Assist with the owners other business in the local area, as required in line with level of responsibility.
11. Candidate will be customer facing, and must be professional and presentable
12. Initial disciplines will be:
 - Fire alarm service and installations
 - Emergency lighting service and installations
 - Fire extinguisher servicing

The business currently undertakes 35 disciplines / services of which further development opportunities will be offered if requested / required.

SECTION FIVE – Required Skills/Expertise

- Good communication and customer relation skills
- Ability to work unsupervised and provide documentation to a high standard
- Attention to detail and ability to apply analytical thinking in problem solving.
- Knowledge of procedures for servicing of fire systems and other associated products to British Standards.
- Ability to build successful relationships with customers to facilitate the resolution of problems in an appropriate manner to ensure business for the future
- Full UK Driving Licence

SECTION SIX – Special features of the post

The post holder will be required to work Monday – Friday, Typically 8am – 6pm and expected to work a minimum of 40 hours per week.

The post holder will live in Northamptonshire (or a surrounding County), and share an 'on call' rota, one week in three.

Some infrequent overnight stays will be required, expenses paid for by the company.

The post is permanent, subject to successfully completing a 3 month probationary period.

Holiday entitlement is per the staff handbook. Statutory Sick pay only after completion of probationary period when in permanent employment..

There is no formal bonus scheme but, bonuses will be paid depending upon performance of the post holder and the overall business.

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