

West Virginia Broadcasters Association

Assistant Chief Engineer

Jobs in Broadcasting ,United States

EYEWITNESS NEWS



Job Description

WCHS/WVAH is seeking an Assistant Chief Engineer that can be a dynamic team lead to help grow the impact of our engineering team.

Qualified candidates will play an imperative role in a high-energy environment as a resource for the engineering team, leadership and the Station's personnel. Our Assistant Chief Engineer works on a team focused on meaningful relationships while being supported, influenced, and lead by some of the Broadcast Industry's leading innovators.

Responsibilities include:

- Working at the TV station and transmitter regularly & traveling with the News team routinely
- Daily opportunities to learn the art of how-to (re)prioritize
- Understanding that the station's obstacles and challenges are your challenges
- The possibility of unexpected and/or late-night calls for engineering-emergencies at the station or transmitter.
- Acting as the subject matter expert and point of contact for all things as it relates to equipment and technology at the location, as well as staying up-to-date on any new industry standards
- Providing additional support and resource subject matter expertise in the absence of the Chief Engineer to all staff (including leadership and location personnel, and the onsite Engineering team)
- Supporting and assisting the News department in maintaining must-have for live production
- Implementing, installing & maintaining engineering systems and providing end-user support across all departments
- Communication of all things Engineering to all staff, including documentation of problems and repairs, replacements including tracking of issue.
- Providing RF transmission support as necessary
- Replacing or adjusting defective and/or improperly functioning equipment
- Networking / Wiring
- Administrative "musts" (i.e., tracking and organizing department-related budget information)

Required Skills and Experience:

- 2-3 years of demonstrated people leadership experience
- 5 years of experience working in a TV station environment preferred
- On-the-job and/or formal training repairing transmitters
- Valid & unencumbered driver's license

- Work experience, education, and/or formal training/certification in one or more of an engineering-related fields (e.g., technology; information systems; computer science; electrical engineering and/or electronics)
- Ability to lift 40-50 lbs.
- Bonus points for...
 - Previous broadcast and overall on-the-job experience
 - Familiarity with FCC regulations
 - Engineering-related certifications

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About the Team

The life-blood of our organization is our people. We have a compelling story, a goal-oriented culture, and we take really good care of people. How good? Here is a glimpse: great benefits, open-door policy, upward mobility and a strong desire to see you succeed. Ready to be part of a winning team? Let's talk.

Company Details

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Business Name	WCHS-TV
Education	Undergraduate
Job Type	Full Time
Job Status	Interviewing
Job Shift	As Scheduled
Required Travel	As Assigned
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