



## Freelance Lighting/Install Technician

Des Plaines, IL

Our community of Freelance Lighting & Install Technicians propel our projects forward. Technicians work closely with our Project Managers and System Engineer and are responsible for completing technical work both in the Protolight shop and on job sites. Freelance Technicians will utilize their prior lighting, electrical, and other technical experience to contribute to our project goals and timelines.

### WHAT YOU MIGHT WORK ON:

#### On-Site Installations

- Assist Project Managers and Engineers on-site for equipment and system installations including:
  - Terminate low voltage connections
  - Install field devices (button stations, sensors, touchscreens, etc.)
  - Fixture addressing
  - Hanging and focusing fixtures
  - Assist with system programming and testing
- Work independently on-site to complete the above tasks
- Support system troubleshooting efforts under direction of the Engineer/Project Manager
- Maintain an organized workspace on-site which includes cleaning up debris, packaging material, equipment, and tools
- Work off-hours as needed to accommodate site availability/dark times (evening, weekends, etc.)
- Travel between work sites and office as needed to complete jobs in multiple locations

#### Project Prep Work

- Perform project pre-build, addressing, programming, or other prep work in the Protolight shop
- Help with gathering proper tools, PPE, and other equipment that will be needed on each job site
- Assist with deliveries of equipment if needed

### WHAT WE LOOK FOR:

- Theatrical lighting experience strongly preferred (i.e. past experience as a freelance electrician, programmer, or ALD) or other technical theatre experience helpful (audio, stagehand, etc.)
- Focused, diligent, and motivated
- Attentive to detail and an experienced multitasker, able to troubleshoot
- Reliable and punctual, with a track record of completing tasks on time
- Strong communication skills, not afraid to ask questions and bring up issues
- Team player who is also able to work independently
- Positive attitude with a desire to learn about the industry
- Ability to lift 50-75 lbs, stand for periods of time, and not afraid to work at height (ladders, lifts)
- Has reliable transportation and a valid driver's license

### WHAT WE OFFER:

- Freelance/overhire work with a variety of shifts
- Opportunities to work on a number of interesting projects
- Newly renovated office and shop space
- On-the-job training from highly experienced industry pros

Please include your resume/job history in your application! Specific hourly rate will vary based on your background and experience.