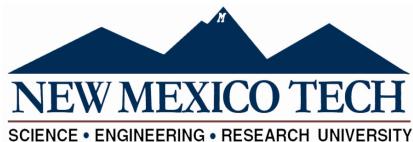


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**REVISED
POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT**

TITLE: TEST RANGE GUNNER I

DEPT: EMRTC

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TEMP

FULL TIME

PART TIME

STARTING RATE or SALARY RANGE \$ 21.00 - \$23.00

Employees being promoted to a higher classified position receive the minimum for the position or a pay rate adjustment of 8% whichever is greater.

All regular positions also entitle the employee to several benefits including health, dental, vision, life insurance, and retirement which is largely paid by New Mexico Tech for the employee and dependents.

INTERNAL POSTING THROUGH: Concurrent* CONSIDERATION WILL BE GIVEN FIRST TO TEMPORARY AND REGULAR TECH EMPLOYEES WHO APPLY WITHIN THE 7 DAY INTERNAL POSTING. APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE 7 DAY POSTING MARGIN WILL BE CONSIDERED WITH OTHER OUTSIDE APPLICANTS.

JOB SUMMARY:

Coordinates and participates in activities engaged in the firing of various types of experimental gun systems, utilizing knowledge of operation, repair and maintenance of gun systems; handling and storage of artillery rounds; special gunnery tools such as bore sighting equipment, gunner's quadrant, proficiency in range safety. Performs all duties in a safe and practical manner.

JOB FUNCTIONS:

Prepares and conducts gun firing operations: Retrieves and prepares test round(s) as to specifications and the equipment necessary to conduct gun firing; transports test round(s) and equipment to test site where equipment systems are setup and pre-tested; coordinates with test engineer/instrumentation as to times, method of initiation, sequences, etc.; loads round(s), makes final connections, returns to firing bunker, when all clear fires gun, after firing assure gun is clear, allows personnel to leave bunker to continue working; adjust inventory by filling out the proper forms, maintaining, organizing and assisting with inventory which may include the use of a database.

Assembles, repairs and performs maintenance on the various gun systems located throughout the EMRTC field laboratory; trains other personnel in use of experimental gun systems, range safety, use of special tools and maintenance/repair of experimental gun systems.

Operates equipment such as wreckers, forklifts and front end loaders for storage and clean up purposes; uses mechanical hand tools, operates power tools, and special equipment.

Attends safety meetings, acknowledges and abides by sick/annual leave policies, communicates with all essential personnel, presents a positive/professional attitude, acknowledges and abides by New Mexico Tech/EMRTC Safety policies/SOPs/ Security policies, etc.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

High School (or GED) level ability in spelling, grammar, composition and math. Working knowledge of personal computer, Microsoft Office and similar applications for Windows. Ability to pass hazardous driver's physical examination. Ability to pass pre-employment drug test. A valid New Mexico driver's license is required. Commercial Driver's License (CDL) with hazardous materials endorsement to be obtained after employment. This position requires a Department of Defense security clearance through Secret to be obtained within reasonable time after employment. Must be able to obtain an Employee Possessor Clearance through Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives.

DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

Military/Civilian experience in the operation, maintenance and/or repair of military armament systems.

LIFTING REQUIREMENTS:

(f)requently, (o)ccasionally, or (s)eldom

0 - 15 pounds	F
15 - 30 pounds	F
30 - 50 pounds	F
50 - 100 pounds	F
100 + pounds	S

PHYSICAL DEMANDS:

Standing 30%	Sitting 20%	Walking 10%	Pulling 5%
Pushing 5%	Lifting 10%	Stooping 5%	Kneeling 5%
Crawling	Climbing 5%	Reaching 5%	Other

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