

HR Training Specialist - Manufacturing - Sumter, SC Plant

Your tasks

YOUR TASKS

We are seeking an experienced Training Specialist to lead and manage our training initiatives for hourly, non-exempt and exempt employees. In this role, you will oversee hourly trainers, develop effective training programs, and ensure that all employees are equipped with the skills needed to succeed. You will collaborate closely with department managers and the Lead Talent Development Manager to align training with business objectives, foster growth, and improve retention.

HOW WILL YOU MAKE AN IMPACT

- Assess training needs for hourly and non-exempt employees, planning and developing materials to support training and retention goals.
- Supervise and assign tasks to trainers, ensuring they are competent and fully equipped to support the development of the workforce.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of training programs, providing feedback and implementing improvements.
- Mentor and provide direct support to trainers or arrange additional training to enhance their capabilities.
- Administer time and attendance policies for trainers, ensuring compliance with company standards.
- Oversee performance evaluations for hourly employees, facilitating a smooth feedback process.
- Act as the Learning Management System (LMS) administrator, developing and implementing innovative training solutions.
- Collaborate with the Lead Talent Development Manager to ensure that shop floor development plans align with overall plant performance objectives.
- Coordinate onboarding processes for new hires and employees transitioning into new roles.
- Conduct needs assessments and design training programs to improve hourly and non-exempt employees' job performance.
- Develop lesson plans, incorporating diverse instructional methods and materials for classroom or group training sessions.
- Partner with area managers to ensure competency-based training is completed, maintaining accurate training records.
- Utilize Microsoft Office Suite (Excel, PowerPoint, Word) and LMS to create and manage training content.
- Apply problem-solving skills and adapt your schedule as needed to meet departmental demands.
- Leverage your technical knowledge of equipment and production processes to ensure relevant and effective training.
- Promote Environmental, Safety, and Health (ESH) responsibilities, modeling exemplary behavior and encouraging others to follow suit.
- Perform additional duties as assigned.



Job ID

REF97073J

Field of work

Human Resources

Location

Sumter

Leadership level

Leading People

Job flexibility

Onsite Job

Working time

Full Time

Salary classification

68,000 USD - 72,000 USD yearly gross

Legal Entity

Continental Tire the Americas, LLC

Your profile

Basic Qualifications:

- Bachelor's Degree in a related field or 3 to 5 years of Continental supervisory or training experience.
- 2+ years of experience in a training, mentoring, or supervisory position in manufacturing.
- Legal authorization to work in the U.S. (**no visa sponsorship available**)

Preferred Qualifications:

- At least 2 years of experience as a primary trainer within the last decade in manufacturing.
- Experience with LMS administration and content creation in manufacturing..

NOTE: May not be inclusive of all work required and may be updated as needed.

THE ENVIRONMENT

- Safety is our highest priority and safety procedures / guidelines must be always adhered to. This includes safety wear such as steel toes, hearing protection and eye protection where required.
- The job is within a non-climate-controlled environment where you will be exposed to temperature swings (hot/cold), forklift and pedestrian traffic, and noise
- The role involves various physical tasks, including lifting and operating machinery, with comprehensive training provided
- Must be able to stand for long periods, frequently stoop, twist, bend, walk long distances, climb stairs/ladders, and lift 50 or more pounds occasionally.

Our offer

All your information will be kept confidential according to EEO guidelines.

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