

Surveying Technician I - Rodman

Vaughn & Melton Consulting Engineers, Inc. is seeking Surveying Technicians I - Rodman for our Charleston, Spartanburg, SC and Asheville, Boone, Charlotte, NC locations. The Surveying Technician I - Rodman is responsible for setting up and operating surveying equipment, and compiling notes, making sketches and entering data into computers.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

- Place and hold measuring tapes when electronic distance-measuring equipment is not used.
- Position and hold the vertical rods, or targets, that total station / level operators use for sighting in order to measure angles, distances, and elevations.
- Record survey measurements and descriptive data, using notes, drawings, sketches, and inked tracings.
- Run rods for benches and cross-section elevations.
- Search for control, property irons, and survey points.
- Compile information necessary to stake projects for construction, using engineering plans.
- Maintain equipment and vehicles used by surveying crews.
- Perform manual labor, such as cutting brush for lines, carrying stakes, rebar, and other heavy items, and stacking rods.

POSITION QUALIFICATIONS

- Energetic - Ability to work at a sustained pace and produce quality work.
- Reliability - The trait of being dependable and trustworthy.
- Responsible - Ability to be held accountable or answerable for one's conduct.
- Safety Awareness - Ability to identify and correct conditions that affect employee safety.
- Technical Aptitude - Ability to comprehend complex technical topics and specialized information.
- Detail Oriented - Ability to pay attention to the minute details of a project or task.

SKILLS & ABILITIES

- **Education:** High School Graduate or General Education Degree (GED): Required
- **Experience:** No prior experience necessary

- **Skills & Abilities:** May use Computer Assisted Drafting (CAD), accurate data entry skills, ability to learn and master various electronic devices and software programs as needed for surveying and mapping.
- Must have and maintain valid driver's licenses.
- Applicant will submit to drug tests and background checks.
- Applicant must be able and willing to work outdoors in all weather conditions and on any terrain.