
Identifying Manual Content: Working with Applicators to Ground Truth Our Manuals

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Applicator one-on-one interview

A close-up, over-the-shoulder view of a person wearing a light blue long-sleeved shirt, sitting at a dark wooden table. The person's right hand is holding a black pen and is in the process of writing on a white sheet of paper. A black wristwatch with a white face is visible on their left wrist. In the background, another person's hand is visible, gesturing with fingers spread. The background is blurred, showing what appears to be an office or meeting room environment with windows.

Applicator small group discussion





Applicator Observation

Applicator job literature

Job Description

For Senior Welder Position

Job Title:	<i>Senior Welder</i>	Job Category:	<i>Non-Exempt</i>
Location:	<i>Colorado Springs CO</i>	Travel Required:	<i>None</i>
Level/Salary Range:	<i>\$16.00 - \$21.00 per hour</i>	Position Type:	<i>Full-Time</i>
HR Contact:	<i>Mr. Jonathan Biggs</i>	Date posted:	<i>09/13/2019</i>
Will Train Applicant(s):	<i>No</i>	Posting Expires:	<i>10/13/2019</i>

Job Brief

We are looking for a skilled welder to cut and join metals and other materials at our facilities or construction sites. You will operate appropriate equipment to put together mechanical structures or parts with a great deal of precision. Your job is important as it provides the foundation for strong infrastructure. A welder must be competent in using potentially dangerous equipment following all safety precautions. The ideal candidate will also have a steady hand and great attention to detail. Knowledge of different kinds of metals and their properties is essential.

Responsibilities

- Read blueprints and drawings and take or read measurements to plan layout and procedures*
- Determine the appropriate welding equipment or method based on requirements*
- Set up components for welding according to specifications*
- Operator angle grinders to prepare the parts that must be welded*
- Align components using calipers, rulers, clamp pieces, etc.*
- Weld components using manual or semi-automatic welding equipment in various positions*
- Repair machinery and other components by welding pieces and filling gaps*
- Test and inspect welds*

A pair of safety glasses is resting on a job description document. The document is titled "Job Des For Senio" and contains a table with job details and a list of responsibilities.

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The applicator is the writer's source
of authenticity and realism

Question

Observe

Listen

Read

