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IRONWORKER Apprenticeship Opportunities

Visit our website: <http://www.iw29appr.org>

What is an apprenticeship program?

- Earn while you learn. Work with experienced IRONWORKERS to learn the trade while earning a good wage.
- Work anywhere. You will earn a nationally recognized journey card upon completion of the program.

How much can I Earn?

- \$23.86 to start, 65% of journeyman pay
- Advance to \$36.71 per hour - the average wage until June 30, 2017 for those journeymen employed by the participating employers.

How Do I Get Started?

- You must meet these minimum qualifications:
 1. Eighteen years of age
 2. Physically able to perform the work of the trade.
- All applicants must speak, read and write the English language at a level to correctly complete the application.

Note: Employers will require a substance abuse test and may require a current valid driver's license.

Applications are ranked based on points from documentation provided by the applicant and a graded interview.

Apply in person:

Ironworkers' Training Center

11620 NE Ainsworth Circle, Ste. 100
Portland OR 97220

Every Wednesday – except holidays
9:00 -11:00am; 1:00 – 3:00 pm

For more information contact:

Phone: 503.775.0877

E-mail: info@iw29appr.org or visit our website
at <http://www.iw29appr.org>.

Applications received by the last Wednesday of the month will be processed to final disposition by the last Wednesday of the following month.

Applicants that meet the minimum qualifications will be scored and ranked and placed on the list of eligible applicants.

Employers are located in the State of Oregon; and 5 ½ counties of Southwest Washington.

Apprentices are required to travel for work within the jurisdiction of Ironworkers Local 29 which covers all of Oregon and 5 ½ counties of Southwest Washington.

What do Ironworkers do?

Perform the rigorous manual labor required by the trade. Erect the steel structure of bridges, buildings and other projects.

- Work outdoors and frequently at great heights.
- Have a natural ability to work safely at high elevations with a good sense of balance.
- Noise and vibration are common.
- Cut, weld and install steel structures of concrete buildings.
- Hoist steel beams up and set into place, forming the framework of the project.
- Install Stairs & Handrails, Ornamental work
- Install decking, Metal Buildings
- Read Blueprints, use math
- Operate forklifts, Use rigging, scaffolds
- Hazards include injury from falls.
- Are prepared for emergencies, disaster response, First-Aid and CPR, OSHA 30
- Ironworkers must be prepared to travel.

Points:

Points are earned by providing documentation of the following and attending an interview.

- Driver's License
- Education: Transcripts high school & college: points are based on GPA and course work taken. Extra points given for Math/Shop/ Drafting
- Personal references- maximum 3 letters
- Honorably Discharged Veteran * Note: DD214 form required 4 years maximum time
- Work Experience - Ironworking, Construction, general work

A complete list of points available can be found at iw29appr.org Interview by the JATC

Selection: Apprentices will be selected in rank order from the ranked list of eligible applicants.

Application information may be updated once every 6 months; however a change in contact information may be called in at any time. You may re-apply every 2 years. Each completed application process replaces the previous application.

Pacific Northwest Ironworker & Employer Joint Apprenticeship & Training Committee (Local #29)

MA#1013 a registered training program with the Oregon Bureau of Labor & Industries.

ATTENTION VETERANS: PROGRAM QUALIFIES FOR EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS
MINORITIES AND WOMEN ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY

The recruitment, selection, employment and training of apprentices during their apprenticeship shall be without discrimination because of race, sex, color, religion, national origin, age, disability or as otherwise specified by law.