Texas Tech University  
Department of Physics and Astronomy  
Senior Technician Position

The Department of Physics and Astronomy at Texas Tech University invites applicants for a senior technician position. The position will support the technical needs of the department's research and teaching responsibilities. This includes assisting in design work, fabricating, modifying, or repairing equipment. Fabrication work will include machining parts out of metal using mills, lathes, and other equipment to produce and perform dimensional verification of precision parts.

The candidate must demonstrate extensive knowledge and skill using both manual and CNC lathes and milling machines. The candidate must be proficient in programming, setting up, and operating CNC machines and be proficient in the computer-aided design and computer-aided manufacturing software needed. The candidate will also be responsible for maintaining equipment and supervising/training students working in the department's machine shop. A high school diploma, or equivalent, plus five to seven years of experience is required. Additional job-related education may substitute for the required experience on a year for year basis. The candidate must hold a Texas driver's license and be insurable. Candidates with some experience in academic, or other research-focused environments, and formal machinist training are preferred. The preferred starting date is September 1, 2021.

Applicants should apply online at www.workattexastech.com (Requisition ID 24789BR) by submitting a letter indicating qualification and interest in the position, a resume, and the names and contact information for at least two professional references.

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