



Changing lives through learning

Subject Specialist - Cable Installation and Testing

RESPONSIBLE TO: Product Development Manager

STATUS: Contractor

Introduction

Open Awards offers a range of specialist qualifications to help meet our company ethos to Change Lives Through Learning. We are looking for a sector specialist(s) to support us to develop and review assessment materials relating to the following:

- Open Awards Level 3 Network Cable Installer Experienced Worker Assessment (Copper and Fibre);
- Open Awards Level 3 Network Cable Installer Experienced Worker Assessment (Copper);
- Open Awards Level 3 Network Cable Installer Experienced Worker Assessment (Fibre).

The primary purpose of these assessments is to enable experienced workers to gain accreditation for that experience and allow them to become eligible for the ECS Network Infrastructure Installer (Level 3) card.

These assessments have been designed with the Joint Industry Board & Electrotechnical Certification Scheme, which comprises experienced network infrastructure installers.

The assessments focus on the knowledge and skills required to fulfil the role of a Network Infrastructure Installer, covering either copper installation, fibre installation or both copper and fibre installation.

Role Purpose

- To produce and/ or review assessment materials to ensure they are appropriate for their intended purpose and conform to Open Awards' specifications;
- To make recommendations for improvement and to support an ethos of continuous quality improvement;
- To report all findings to Open Awards, using the appropriate report format, and in language that is appropriate to its audience;
- Attend/contribute to Open Awards training and standardisation events as required.

Skills and Experience Required

- Current professional registration (where appropriate);
- Current subject sector specialist knowledge and qualifications;
- Relevant sector specialist knowledge;
- Recent experience of working for, or with, employers in the sector;
- Computer literate.

A teaching or assessment background and/or experience of developing or delivering assessments and/or qualifications would be an advantage.

About You

Key characteristics:

- Able to work unsupervised in a timely manner;
- Excellent attention to detail, with high standards of quality and accuracy;
- The ability to produce excellent reports to agreed deadlines;
- Excellent interpersonal skills and proven organisational ability;
- A commitment to equal opportunities and widening participation;
- Able to provide and receive constructive feedback.

This position is on a freelance self-employed basis, and we consider our payment structure to be in line with industry average.

Please note that appointment does not necessarily guarantee that work will be available in any particular year.

There may be additional opportunities to support development and review, or external quality assurance of other closely related qualifications.