

# Journeyman Machinist (Red Seal) - Production

Are you ready to dive into the exciting and innovative world of Engineered Wood? Kadant Carmanah Design has a great opportunity for a well-rounded individual within its Unionized Production team as a Machinist.

Located in Surrey, B.C. Canada, Kadant designs and manufactures equipment for the panel and engineered wood products, pulp and paper, and sawmill industries. Providing leading edge technology and equipment to optimize fiber use for production of wood-based panels. Our products include SmartDISC stranders, SmartRING stranders, rotary debarkers, chippers, conveying/feeding equipment, and the repair and manufacture of equipment for the Pulp Mill industry.

Our company is growing and looking for talented, ambitious, and unique individuals to join our team. If you are looking to join a company that values its employees and what they bring to the table, we invite you to submit a resume.

## **POSITION OVERVIEW:**

As a Machinist, you will work closely with the Machine Shop Chargehand and Production Team and be required to:

- Follow all safety rules and regulations
- Review drawings, samples and follow instructions to produce parts to specifications
- Utilize best machining practices (i.e. feeds / speeds)
- Select appropriate machines and tooling to complete jobs in a timely manner
- Monitor output to ensure consistency with specifications
- Perform routine maintenance and repair minor issues on the equipment

## **EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE:**

- Minimum 5 years experience as a Machinist, preferably in a heavy manufacturing environment.
- High school degree or equivalent
- Working knowledge of safety protocols
- Apprenticeship or vocational training a must
- Excellent manual dexterity, accuracy and attention to detail
- Great verbal and written skills
- Experience in using and editing Mastercam for programming
- Ability to read blueprints, schematics and manuals
- Outstanding mathematical skills and analytical abilities
- Ability to use precision tools to take accurate measurements
- Physical stamina and strength to lift heavy items (50lbs)
- Operate 20T & 10T overhead bridge cranes in a safe manner

**THE IDEAL CANDIDATE WILL POSSESS:**

- Ability to work in a fast-paced environment and deal with priority changes to meet customer demands.
- Understanding of manufactured parts and best practices for machining manufactured goods an asset.
- Lead and participate in a continuous improvement ideology, including improving procedures, quality, process flow and efficiency
- Maintain a very clean and organized work area
- Be an outstanding team player and communicator. Work well with the KCD team on achieving on time deliveries, take direction from machine shop chargehand and productions teams on daily priorities, be flexible to frequent customer requests.
- Possess strong computer skills (MS Office), ERP experience is an asset.
- Ability to lift and carry up to 50 pounds.
- Be courteous and professional at all times

Note that this position is a unionized role and is bound by a collective agreement.

To apply for this position, please send a cover letter and resume to [hr.carmanah@kadant.com](mailto:hr.carmanah@kadant.com)  
We thank you for your interest; however only short-listed applicants will be contacted.