VACANCY

The Institut Laue-Langevin (ILL), situated in Grenoble, France, is Europe's leading research facility for fundamental research using neutrons. The ILL operates the brightest neutron source in the world, and welcomes over 2000 visits of scientists per year to carry out world-class research in a wide variety of scientific fields.

Are you interested in joining our international institute? We currently have vacancies for:

2 Mechanical Technicians M/F

Duties:

Within the Diffraction Group, you will work closely with the scientists in charge of the D7, D9 and D19 instruments (experimental stations), as well as with the other technicians of the group. You will carry out the following missions:

- Perform maintenance work and undertake repairs on the instruments
- Improve the instrument and experiments with optimum technical solutions
- Perform simple machining of mechanical parts (lathing, milling, drilling) accurately and at short notice
- Organise the purchase of new equipment and spare parts
- Ensure compliance with the safety regulations.

Qualifications and experience:

- NVQ Level 4 or equivalent qualification (e.g. BTEC HNC/HND) in Mechanical Engineering, together with a professionnal experience in the production, assembly and alignment of mechanical precision assemblies, as well as in mechanical design.
- Knowledge of CAD software.
- Experience in instrumentation, in particular in the field of cryogenics, would be an advantage.

Specific skills:

For this position we are looking for someone who has:

- A practical approach to his/her work and a willingness to learn new techniques,
- The ability to work independently on a wide variety of projects,
- good interpersonal skills to work with our users.

Language skills:

As an international research centre, we are particularly keen to ensure that we also attract applicants from outside France. You must have a sound knowledge of English and be willing to learn French (a language course will be paid for by the ILL). Knowledge of German would be an advantage.

Notes:

We offer 2 full-time permanent positions.

Medical fitness for work under ionising radiation is required.

Benefits:

Generous company benefits (expatriation allowance), relocation assistance and language courses may be offered (for more information, please consult our employment conditions).

How to apply:

Please submit your application on line, no later than **04.11.2018**, via our website: www.ill.eu/careers (Vacancy reference: **18/46**).

We are committed to equal opportunity and diversity; we therefore encourage anyone with relevant qualifications to apply.