



Position: Apprentice Marine Service Technician - Quadrant Marine Institute

Join a growing company with a passion for helping boaters enjoy the water. Work at the water's edge in one of Bluewater's Metro Vancouver locations and become part of a dynamic work environment and vibrant marine community.

We are a marine service company specializing in upgrade, repair, and maintenance of recreational boats and yachts. We are currently seeking a paid Apprentice Marine Service Technician to join our team to become a certified MST through a combination of on-the-job apprenticeship and off work classes from September to May at the Quadrant Institute on Granville Island in Vancouver. The apprentice will develop skills and become a certified technician working in the following areas:

- Service, maintenance, and repair of power and sailboats in the boatyard and at marinas
- Hull protection including anti-fouling paints, gelcoat polishing, hardware installation and repair
- Composite finishing and repairs including gelcoat, fiberglass, laminates, painting
- Installation of onboard systems including heaters, watermakers, hydraulics, plumbing
- Sailboat rigging, sails, lines
- Marine wood and metal structures, finishings, and accessories

Keys to success with Bluewater are:

- A desire for a long-term career
- Interest in diversity of work on a variety of boats, systems, and tasks – every day is different
- Interest in continual learning
- Solid work ethic
- Professional attitude
- Strong communication skills
- Interest in technology
- Ability to complete tasks in a safe and timely manner
- Working in a team environment
- Working in both sheltered and outdoor environments
- Valid BC driver's license and clean driving history

Although marine experience isn't required for this position, the successful candidate may have technical aptitude or experience from a non-marine background like automotive or industrial, a connection to boating, or experience in another trade.

Bluewater offers competitive compensation based on experience, a benefits plan, and a welcome environment for team members looking to learn, grow and thrive around some of the coolest boats in BC. If interested, please reply with your resume.

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