



Chance Rides Manufacturing, a family owned and operated company located in Wichita, KS has been delivering entertainment to the amusement industry since 1961. We take pride in being a leading manufacturer of amusement rides and people movers worldwide.

For over 50 years, Chance Rides has been at the heart of manufacturing excellence in the amusement industry and we are committed to continuing that standard of excellence for another 50 years and beyond.

As we continue to develop and manufacture new and exciting product lines, we are currently seeking an experienced **Certified Welding Inspector (CWI)** to join our team. This position reports to the Quality Manager.

Job Summary includes (but not limited to):

- Perform day to day inspections of welds per AWS D1.1 standards and all other applicable codes.
- In process inspection during fit-up and welding of root pass
- Final inspection on all welds
- Interact with welders, weld shop supervisors and management using good written and oral communication skills.
- Test welder applicants to determine their ability to set up welding machines and perform different welding processes prior to job offers.
- Oversee certification testing of all welders.
- Work with and coach all welders to achieve higher quality work and keep them current on all applicable process per Chance Rides quality manual
- Monitor and build in-house welder WPS booklets.
- Inspect received parts.
- Tag mill certs to materials through ERP software.
- Assist with in-house quality audits.
- Assist with annual review of the Chance quality manual.
- Oversee welding machine and precision tool yearly certification.
- Responsible for the proper documentation of all inspections.
- Assist with the continual flow of production through the shop.
- Conduct NDT magnetic particle and dye penetrant inspection tests as required by the customer's contract, jurisdiction, or engineering drawing requirements.
- Secure outside 3rd party inspection services as required and to monitor and oversee the work done by this 3rd party.
- Maintain efficient and concise inspection records per product.
- Keep inspection areas clean and orderly
- Assist with field repairs

**Required Education and Experience:**

- High school diploma and equivalent technical degree (higher degree preferred).
- Proficient in all AWS D1.1 codes
- Candidate must currently hold AWS certification
- Ideal candidate will have at least 2 years of certified weld inspection experience, 5 years as a certified welder (GMAW, FCAW, SAW) and 5-10 years in a heavy fabrication environment.
- Prior experience with ERP Software (Global Shop) preferred
- Must be able to read blueprints and use precision measuring devices accurately.
- Must have experience with weld testing and nondestructive testing methods.
- Strong communication (verbal and written), computer and organizational skills.
- Ability to mentor/train all welders
- Ability to travel as needed

Chance Rides Offer:

- Competitive salary (commensurate with experience)
- Comprehensive benefits including medical/dental/vision
- 401(k) with company match
- Flexible Spending Accounts
- PTO, Vacation and Holiday Pay

Other Duties

Please note this job description is not designed to cover or contain a comprehensive listing of activities, duties or responsibilities that are required of the employee for this job. Duties, responsibilities and activities may change at any time with or without notice.

Chance Rides is an Equal Opportunity Employer

Candidates who meet the skills/requirements for the position are encouraged to submit their resume to eric.stoecklein@chancerides.com