

Crazy Horse Memorial Foundation is accepting applications for the position of:

Mountain Carving Crew Member

Crazy Horse Memorial Foundation is a 501c3 Public Charity of International scope that is a cultural, educational and humanitarian project of 74 years dedicated to protecting and preserving the culture, traditions, and living heritage of the Indigenous people of North America. The Foundation demonstrates its commitment to this endeavor by continuing progress on the world's largest sculptural undertaking by carving a Memorial of Lakota leader Crazy Horse; by providing educational and cultural programming; by acting as a repository for American Indian artifacts, arts, and crafts through THE INDIAN MUSEUM OF NORTH AMERICA® and the NATIVE AMERICAN EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL CENTER®; and by establishing and operating THE INDIAN UNIVERSITY OF NORTH AMERICA®, and when practical, a medical training center for American Indians.

As a mountain carving crew member you would be part of the largest mountain carving in the world. The position holds the possibility of challenges, variety of work, and a feeling of satisfaction. You will have the chance to learn new skills and contribute to something that will last for centuries.

The job is physically and mentally demanding and crew members must be prepared to work in an outdoor environment exposed to the elements. This position requires the operation of rock drills, diamond cable saws, rotary rock saws, and various pieces of construction equipment, among other things. To that end, a background in dimensional stone or masonry can be an asset. Additionally, experience with cranes, scaffolding, and ropes is valued. Crew members must be comfortable with yet have a healthy respect for heights. Willingness and ability to follow safety regulations is required.

A good candidate will have three or more years' experience with hands on manual labor. Experience working with stone (i.e. drilling, dimensional stone, or demolition and removal) or rope safety are preferred. While we use tools and equipment you may be familiar with, the unique nature of the project means we often must customize them to our particular needs. The workers on the crew most successful at this task are deeply familiar with the various tasks required to carve the mountain *and* have fabrication skills. Experience with welding, machining, electrical knowledge, equipment maintenance, and so forth will give your application an edge.

This is a Full-time year round, non-exempt, hourly position with competitive compensation.

Benefits includes medical, dental and vision, paid time off, paid holidays, a retirement plan, an annual trip to the top of the mountain carving for family and friends, and the opportunity to be a part of history.

Qualified candidates should submit cover letter, resume and three professional references to:

hr@crazyhorse.org

Apply on line at <https://crazyhorsememorial.org/dream/employment/open-positions/> or mail cover letter, resume and references to:

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