



TRUSS DESIGNER

On behalf of our client, Prairie Truss Ltd., we are seeking a Truss Designer to join their growing team in Balmoral, Manitoba just north of Stonewall. Since 1995 Prairie Truss has been designing and manufacturing roof and floor truss systems for residential, commercial, and agricultural projects of all sizes across Western Canada. As a community-owned and operated company, they have worked hard to earn their customers' trust and have developed an outstanding reputation of excellent custom design work, quality products, with reliable and trustworthy delivery dates while remaining competitive in the marketplace.

Reporting to the Team Leader, the Truss Designer is responsible for preparing placement plans, designing roof and floor trusses using the Mitek design program, estimating and quoting trusses. The Truss Designer will prepare truss layouts and designs for various building projects and assist in the review of design work providing pre-and post-technical support to customers. We are seeking a creative problem solver who is service-oriented, has strong communication skills to deal with various customers courteously and effectively with attention to detail ensuring that every product designed meets or exceeds code standards.

Key Responsibilities

- Produce floor and roof truss plans, layouts, truss design drawings, and truss quotes through the understanding of blueprints and customer requirements for specific projects
- Read, interpret, and understand architectural and structural drawings and the building codes as it relates to construction projects
- Using Mitek, design roof and floor trusses for residential, commercial, and agricultural settings.
- Respond to sales inquiries and provide quotes quickly, efficiently, and accurately for customers
- Work alongside the Team Leader to produce quality designs, implement design changes, and communicate with other related departments to ensure designs are accurate
- Interact with customers, answering technical questions concerning trusses

Skills and Qualifications

- Technical diploma such as Structural Engineering Technology or Design Drafting Technician
- Understanding of Manitoba building codes and construction practices
- Construction background with knowledge of wood trusses, floor designs, layouts, and current building codes
- Experience in drafting and design in the construction industry; framing experience is preferred
- Ability to examine drawings and blueprints for intent, conformity, and error
- Proficient in Microsoft Office programs and drafting and design software (MiTek).
- Excellent oral and written communication skills with the ability to effectively communicate with others
- Detail-oriented with excellent problem solving and technical skills
- Exceptional organizational skills with the ability to balance multiple priorities and meet deadlines.
- Able to work cooperatively with team members in a positive and respectful manner.

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- Valid driver's license and access to a reliable vehicle
- Travel to sites and overtime may occasionally be required

If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity and want to learn, grow, and contribute to the success and continued growth of the company, please forward your resume to anne.thomson@mnp.ca or call Anne Thomson at 204.927.2941.