

Route-Setting Staff

Pay Rate: \$17-20 per hour

Hours of work: Part-time, weekdays & weekends

Duration of Employment: Late August 2024 through April 2025

A. NATURE & SCOPE

The Outdoor Centre is looking for route-setting staff for the climbing and bouldering walls. Employees work as a team to maintain and set routes at the climbing facilities on campus. Shifts available may vary with current needs, but a minimum availability of 5 hours per week is required. This position is ideal for students. Previous route-setting experience is preferred, but this is also suitable for those with a strong climbing background looking to gain route-setting experience.

Successful hires will report to the Climbing Facilities Supervisor and the Outdoor Centre Manager

B. CHARACTERISTIC DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Work as a team to provide high-quality re-sets catered towards our unique facilities
- Deliver facility route-setting that is safety conscious and caters to a range of skill levels
- Rig ropes and use ascending and rappelling tools as well as ladders to set on climbing wall
- Use hand and power tools according to safe workplace practices

C. QUALIFICATIONS

- Strong interpersonal and communication skills
- Careful attention to detail
- Willingness to learn new things and be part of a team
- Ability to lift more than 50 pounds
- Passion for and experience in top roping, lead climbing, and bouldering
- Current Intermediate (Standard) First Aid & CPR certification
- ACMG CGI1 or CWA CWI 2 certification a strong asset (required for setting on climbing wall)
- Previous experience with route-setting and/or power tools a strong asset

Apply by 1 August for best Fall 2024 availability, but applications will also be accepted on an ongoing basis while positions remain available. Successful candidates will be contacted for an interview.

Please submit resume to Sam at climb@ucalgary.ca