

## Job Announcement: Worker Health & Safety Curriculum Development

## **OVERVIEW**

UCLA-LOSH is collaborating with the IATSE Entertainment & Exhibition Industries Training Trust Fund\* on an exciting project to support the development of industry-wide standards for worker health and safety across a range of crafts in the U.S. and Canada. The curriculum developer will assume the lead role in creating customized entertainment health and safety modules in consultation with content and technical experts from IATSE locals throughout the industry and with occupational health, safety and adult education experts from LOSH. The Trust Fund will distribute curriculum modules through orientation/Train the Trainer sessions with IATSE locals.

**RESPONSIBILITIES** - Work with LOSH staff, IATSE and Training Trust Fund representatives to create customized modules for the entertainment and exhibition industries:

- Phase 1: a) Research and compile existing worker health and safety materials for relevant crafts, b) Conduct and
  compile results from a targeted needs assessment survey of local unions and from interviews with industry health
  and safety committee representatives.
- Phase 2: a) Develop instructor teaching guides and handout materials for topics identified through the needs assessment. Each module will include lesson plans, craft-specific case studies or other activities, references, handout materials, and assessment measures b) Pilot test selected modules and revise as needed.

## SKILLS, KNOWLEDGE & EXPERIENCE

- Experience developing curriculum for use in adult education programs; specifically integrating creative and interactive materials and activities with technical information and skills
- Ability to work independently and with a team; ability to supervise graduate student researchers
- Experience conducting and/or evaluating worker health and safety education programs a plus
- Experience with labor unions and/or labor-management programs preferred; working knowledge of labor union structure and functions required
- Ability to collaborate in a respectful way with diverse groups
- Ability to use Windows-based software such as Microsoft Word and PowerPoint

\*WHO WE ARE: UCLA-LOSH was established in 1978 and is a nationally recognized program dedicated to improving workplace health and safety conditions through outreach, education, research and policy initiatives (www.losh.ucla.edu). The IATSE Training Trust Fund is a partnership between the IATSE and their employers that facilitates training opportunities for workers in the industry (www.iatsetrainingtrust.org).

**COMPENSATION AND LOCATION:** Position is based at UCLA. Salary commensurate with experience and education. Full benefits provided. Funds are available for a one year contract with the possibility of continued employment pending additional funding. Position will remain open until a qualified candidate is identified. Applicants must travel to meetings within the region and, occasionally, in other regions of the U.S.

## **HOW TO APPLY:** Submit a cover letter and resume to:

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