



OPPORTUNITIES

**KTBC - TV FOX - 7
AUSTIN, TEXAS**

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The following represents brief/broad descriptions. It is not intended, nor should it be construed, to represent a comprehensive and/or exhaustive description of all duties/responsibilities and requisite skills of each position. Unless otherwise noted, positions are full-time.

REPORTER

Enterprising reporter to perform general assignment and investigative reporting, emphasizing creativity and originality. Good story teller who can find stories that affect viewers, and take on tough stories and stay with them. Have excellent live shot abilities. 4-6 years experience as television news reporter. Significant investigative reporting experience desired and a huge plus. College degree preferred in communications related field. Strong command of English language; working knowledge of libel laws and generally accepted journalistic ethics. Must have a broad working knowledge of police procedures, the court system, and municipal, state and federal government operations. Must have a strong knowledge of legal and ethical parameters of reporting for mass media. Strong knowledge and use of social media, including work for station website. Must be a highly creative, motivated self-starter and be a team player. Must exercise good judgment. Must be able to drive company vehicles. Must have a good driving record.

PROMOTION PRODUCER

FOX 7 AUSTIN promotion is a creative, fast paced, high energy department where passionate producers thrive. Our promo predators are responsible for compelling copy writing, strategic conceptualization and solid editing. Producers work closely with the Promotion Manager and Design Director to create high-end spots that are focused on creative ideas that develop the station brand and connect with the FOX audience. The ideal candidate will have a strong knowledge of topical news promotion as well as an interest in a variety of non-traditional platforms including video, print, social and interactive media. The successful self-starter must be innovative, edgy and willing to pitch concepts and ideas that may not be the norm. Qualifications: Must Have: 1-2 years professional experience in television promotion, advertising, marketing or other related creative field. 1-2 years professional experience in non-linear editing (Final Cut Pro preferred). Must be willing to work a flexible schedule as some nights and the rare weekend is required. Also desired: A strong interest in new technology. A sense of humor and engaging writing style. Self-directing, self-motivating and able to meet deadlines in a fast paced environment. A versatile team player with the ability to thrive under pressure. Competitive spirit and strong team collaborator. A knowledge of the basics of Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop & After Effects).

VP, ENGINEERING AND OPERATIONS

FOX O&O station with cutting edge, innovative technology seeking leader to manage capital budget and coordinate with GM and corporate office on acquisitions. Assist GM with technical aspects of lease agreements and other associated senior level executive duties. Provide monthly reports to Corporate Engineering department. Coordinate with other department heads on their engineering and operational needs. Oversee purchase and installation of broadcast and related equipment. Coordinate with other VPs of Engineering of other O&Os. Responsible for station operation and engineering staff. Manage all the technical aspects of the television station - audio, video, data and communications. Responsible for studio automation, graphics, electronic news gathering, and broadband technologies. Responsible for all transmission of the broadcast to over the air transmitter, cable and satellite providers. Explicit responsibility for FCC compliance. Oversee station security. Oversee facility maintenance. Degree in Electronic Engineering or related field. SBE/FCC certification strongly preferred. Five years Operations/Engineering experience in a live newscast environment with three years management experience. Working knowledge of station budgetary process. Overall knowledge of television production, analog and HDTV broadcasting facility. Overall knowledge of RF transmitter and microwave systems. Competence with IT as pertains to broadcasting, including file transfer and data network technology. Proven leadership and people skills. Strong communications, coordination, scheduling and departmental oversight. Must be able to drive company vehicles; good driving record required. Must be willing to be on-call.

Send cover letter and resume (and non-returnable tape if applicable) to:

Human Resources
KTBC-TV FOX-7
119 E. 10th Street
Austin, TX 78701

(Reference position title and job referral source.)

No phone calls, please.)

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