Carpenter

San Francisco Playhouse is the second-largest nonprofit theatre company in San Francisco. Having grown from storefront to 199-seat theatre in just 18 years, we are powered by a team of energetic and innovative theatre lovers. Founded in 2003 as a 501(c)3 not-for-profit theatre company, our programming includes a six-play mainstage season and a three-play Sandbox Series of world premieres, plus a Rising Star Education Program for high school students. Refer to our website, sfplayhouse.org, for more information on our company.

We are seeking an experienced professional to join our dynamic, agile production staff. Reporting directly to the Technical Director, the carpenter works closely with Set designers to realize all scenic design elements. The carpenter collaborates with fellow production personnel to ensure the smooth, day-to-day operation of all production departments.

Status: Full-Time, Hourly, Non-Exempt
Hours: 40 per week
Schedule: Mon-Fri, plus some 40-hr work weeks will include Saturdays and/or Sundays at load-in and strike.
Start Date: ASAP

Key Responsibilities as Carpenter

Carpenter reports to the Technical Director and Asst. Technical Director

- Be able to read plans
- Work independently to build, using carpentry and welding techniques, all varieties of scenic elements
- Expert level skills on all scene shop equipment
- Help lay-out other carpentry and painting workers
- Assist with load-In and note schedules in the theatre,
- Assist with set maintenance during runs of shows.
- Other tasks to be assigned.
- Haver valid CA driver’s license and be able to drive load-in truck

Qualifications:

- BA in technical theatre recommended.
- 3 years progressively more responsible experience
- Expert level knowledge of all shop tools.
- Good strength for lifting heavy scenic elements.
- Knowledge of rigging in the theatre
- Welding skills
- Knowledge of sound and projection equipment a plus
- Must be a flexible team player who can think on their feet
- If you can have fun at work while maintaining a professional, positive attitude, you are the person for us!
Compensation:

- $20-22 per hour
- Benefits:
  - Health and dental insurance.
  - Paid Sick Leave (per state and local ordinances)
  - Pre-Tax Commuter Benefits