***CHEMOXY INTERNATIONAL LIMITED***

***Pipefitter***

***Advanced Level Apprenticeship***

**ABOUT US**

Chemoxy International Limited, part of the Novacap Group, is one of Europe’s largest contract manufacturers with almost 150 years of operating experience. It has two sites on Teesside employing 152 people. We have a long established reputation for technical excellence, confidentiality and EH&S compliance

Our Middlesbrough site has been carrying out distillations since 1868 and our Billingham site was added to the portfolio in 1994. Chemoxy is now one of Europe’s largest providers of custom manufacturing services to blue chip petrochemical and speciality chemical companies as well as to smaller companies with niche applications.

We like to build partnerships with our customers and we work very closely with their technical teams to develop innovative solutions to operating challenges. We enjoy long term relationships on many levels with many of our customers and we pride ourselves in our integrity, customer focus and reliability, amongst many other attributes.

**ABOUT THE ROLE**

Chemoxy is a great place to work and as a Pipefitter Apprentice you will be working in a busy workshop environment with a highly experienced team of tradesmen and engineers. You will be employed directly by Chemoxy International Ltd under a maximum 42 month apprenticeship agreement, following the Engineering Construction Pipefitter Apprenticeship Standard. Your training plan will include a mixture of internal and external training, and will include a Level 3 Diploma in Installing Engineering Construction Plant and Systems – Pipefitting qualification. You will also be mentored by a senior member of the team. The position will be predominantly be based at the Middlesbrough site but can also expect to work at the Billingham site.

You can expect to:

* Assist pipefitter/welder technician to carry out pipefitting, steelwork fabrication/repair & welding activities, planned and reactive, at either site, as directed, to ensure facilities are maintained in compliance with company processes and EH&S, design and maintenance standards
* Assist maintenance team members, support staff and contractors in day-to-day maintenance activities on site (including mechanical isolations, pipework fabrication, repair & installation, preparation works for vessel entry and equipment inspection & testing, etc.)
* Assist with the control and coordination of spare parts and the optimisation of stock levels
* Ensure appropriate maintenance records are kept up to date to facilitate data analysis for reliability improvements; CMMS reports to be completed on a timely basis, data checked for accuracy and updated as appropriate.
* Have outstanding approach to personal safety as well as the safety of others

The position is a 40 hour working week with a salary that aligns with the national minimum wage rate for apprentices. In addition to working on site with an experienced mentor, training will include time at a local training provider to learn the technical knowledge and skills of engineering.

**FUTURE PROSPECTS**

Due to the technical experience you will gain from working at Chemoxy, you will gain skills which many graduates have yet to develop. If you have the practical ability, mind-set to solve problems and have good communication skills and subject to proven competence at Level 3 and interest in progression, the company will consider supporting progression towards higher qualifications.

**ABOUT YOU**

You will have a great aptitude for learning - this is a role where you will need to get involved! You’ll work hard, but will have fun doing so. We welcome new team members who bring fresh thinking but who are also ready to roll up their sleeves and get “stuck in”. You will need to be confident, articulate and have very good communication and interpersonal skills. You will have a thirst for knowledge & understanding of mechanical engineering principles and practices & willingness to ask questions

**Requirements:**

* Must have a minimum of 5 GCSE’s at Grade 4 (previously grade C) or above including Maths, English, Engineering & preferably Science
* Must be eligible to work in the UK
* Excellent IT skills with experience of Microsoft Word and Excel
* Enjoys practical and hands-on approach to work
* Enjoy physically demanding work that requires working at heights, indoors and outdoors

To apply for these roles send a CV and covering letter to careers@chemoxy.com. Closing date for applications is 24th June 2018.

Interviews will be held in June/July 2018 and we would like the successful candidate to start in September.

Your letter must cover the following points:

* Why you would like to work for Chemoxy International Limited
* What makes you the best candidate for this apprenticeship position