

WV Apprenticeship Program Information White Paper

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Organization Name: IUOE Local 132 Apprenticeship Program

More than one program: *NO*

Name of TRADE(s): *Operating Engineer*

Occupations in the TRADE(s): *Operating Engineer*

Address: *Route 2 Box 137 - A* **City:** *Ravenswood* **State:** *WV* **Zip:** *26164*

Website URL: *http://iuoe132/apprenticeship.htm*

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Program Description

Brief description of craft: *Operating heavy equipment such as: dozers, cranes, graders, loaders, hoes, etc.*

Machines such as cranes require constant use of both hands & feet. some machines require the operator to turn valves, adjust hand wheels, and press pedals to drive machines to control the attachments.

Av. Apprentice rate: *not given* **Av. Journeyman rate:** *not given*

Conditions to expect: *Indoor, Outdoor, Extreme Cold, Extreme Heat, Small/Confined Spaces, Heights*

Jurisdictional area: *WV*

Average travel distance to work: *All of WV*

Location(s) to apply: *Workforce WV*

When are applications accepted: *Once per year, usually Nov/Dec* **Application fee:** *NO* **If fee, how much:**

Minimum requirements: *18 yrs of age, High School Diploma/GED, WV resident for 1 year, WV driver's license*

Application prerequisites:

Entrance exam: *YES* **Name of entrance exam:** *TABE*

Physical required: *NO* **Drug screen required:** *YES* **Background check:** *NO*

Av. number of applications annually: *200-300*

Av. number of apprentices accepted annually: *10/20/2011*

Av. number of apprentice classes annually: *5*

When are classes usually accepted: *June/Spring*

How long are applications retained: *1 year*

Training Information

Location(s) of training: *IUOE Local 132 Training Site, Ravenswood, WV*

Length of apprenticeship: *3 years*

Total CLASS hours: *200 hours*

Total OJT hours: *100 hours*

Training schedule/occurs: *TBD*

Is housing available during training: *YES*

Additional information: