

COMPANY:

Final Span, LLC - "Linking Communities"

Final Span, LLC is a rural fiber-optic based internet service provider start-up based in the Ridgeland area of Madison County, Mississippi (MS). The company was officially founded in November 2023 by Gene Logan, CEO, Edwin Mitchell, VP Business Development and Marcellus Nixon, COO.

The firm's goal is to close the digital divide by offering high-speed internet to the un(der)served. We plan to begin construction in Vicksburg in March 2024, enabling internet service delivery mid-May.

We are in search of our initial staff to fill critical roles as we begin our start-up journey.

JOB TITLE:

Specialist, Outside Plant (OSP)

DEPARTMENT:

Outside Plant (OSP)

JOB SUMMARY:

The **Specialist, Outside Plant** manages outside plant projects through design, engineering and construction. This position requires technical experience in outside plant design working collaboratively with our outsourced design firm and fiber construction management platform vendor to achieve success. We are looking for candidates with a demonstrated aptitude for learning technical concepts and who will take an analytical approach, using step-by-step logic to meet challenges in an environment with the internet touching all aspects of daily life.

REPORTING RESPONSIBILITIES:

Reports to - Chief Operations Officer ("COO")

WHAT YOU'LL BE DOING:

- Coordinate with fiber engineering design firm with associated cost estimates as part of conceptual design
- Perform low level engineering using Vetro Fiber
- Perform field work, and travel to various locations as priorities require
- Review aerial and underground plant per design components (fiber cabling standards, splice closures, hand holes, terminals, etc) and make recommendations to support builds

- Work with municipalities and department of transportation contacts to coordinate make-ready management, permitting and fielding
- Review as-built plans, test results and provide post construction inspection
- Work in Environmental Systems Research Institute (ESRI)-based Geographic Information System (GIS) platforms as well as Google Earth
- Maintain orderly records and project documentation electronically

WHAT YOU'LL NEED - Willing, aptitude for learning:

- Fiber optic infrastructure design, implementation and operations
- Desktop and field quality control to support deliverables
- Prepare documentation packages for review
- Verbal and written communication skills with a broad base of fundamental technical and non-technical audiences
- Recommend tactical approaches for the delivery of internet services
- Foster teamwork

TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT USED:

Mobile phone, laptop computer, tablet

This job description includes major responsibilities of this position. It is not intended to cover every aspect of the position, as the scope and duties may change or be temporarily altered based on the business needs of Final Span. The basic requirement of every position is to perform all tasks as assigned by the supervisor.