

## AN OPPORTUNITY TO MIX WITH CELEBRITIES AND PERSONALITIES – IS THAT YOU?

### APPRENTICE VIDEOGRAPHER

**Location:** Costock, near Loughborough, Leicestershire

**Hours:** Full Time

Champions (UK) plc is one of the UK's leading award-winning band agencies, boasting an enviable portfolio of clients, regionally, nationally and internationally.

A family-owned business with traditional family values, Champions has grown over the past 17 years and has evolved significantly.

Proudly, we continue to invest in our staff and new technology to ensure we are at the cutting edge of providing our clients with the most up to date services that achieve results.

Today, with over 120 highly-skilled staff and still expanding, Champions' continued success is creating additional and exciting employment opportunities.

You will be part of our After-Dinner Speakers, Talent, and Music & Entertainment departments, working around the country filming speeches, performances, meeting celebrities, high-profile personalities and business people, as well as interviewing them – is this you?

We are looking for an organised and creative Videographer who is able to plan, film and edit video content according to the various departmental briefs.

You will be expected to stay up to date with industry trends and tools that will make our projects more marketable, and ensure that the necessary filming equipment is available for use.

Hours of work vary depending on the production schedule, and you will be expected to work evenings and at weekends.

#### 🔗 Responsibilities

- Operating video cameras, on location or in the studio, in the production of professional pre-recorded programming
- Designing, transporting, setting up and operating production equipment, including audio and lighting equipment, for field and studio productions
- Planning the shoot as per the departmental brief
- Computer editing video segments on a variety of tape and digital formats
- Inserting closed-captioning, graphics, or other on-screen text into a video
- Adding computer graphics and special effects to a video
- Completing trouble and preventative maintenance reports on video and audio production equipment, assisting in the repair and upkeep of studio and production sets and properties
- Maintaining an equipment inventory and field and studio production schedules
- Performing miscellaneous job-related duties as assigned

#### 🔗 Experience, Qualifications and Skills

- Some film or media production experience is essential
- A keen eye for detail, beauty and a critical mind
- Creativity, attention to detail, and a passionate interest in film and video editing
- Patience and concentration for the perfect shot
- The ability to listen to others and to work well as part of a team
- A high level of self-motivation, commitment, dedication and energy
- Organisational and time management skills
- The ability to work under pressure and to deadlines
- Excellent communication skills, both written and oral
- Manual dexterity, physical mobility, and some physical strength/stamina
- Bravery to get the camera shot in risky situations
- The ability to capture snippets of film and be able to edit it into a cohesive story
- The technical acumen to be able to operate, configure, set up and fix video, audio, lighting, or other production equipment
- Must know computerised editing software and equipment
- Understanding of post-production techniques

#### 🔗 Benefits

- Weekly complimentary bootcamp in our on-site gym every Monday
- £500 sick bonus at the end of the year
- New starter goodie bag
- Monthly massages
- Weekly fruit baskets
- Above and beyond bonus scheme
- Enhanced holiday allowance after three continuous years with the company
- Modern, clean and spacious offices
- Individual 1-2-1 coaching and development programme
- Departmental social outings
- Training throughout the year
- Contributory pension scheme
- Birthday bottle of bubbly
- Weekly cake club
- Yearly Christmas party – all expenses paid

**Closing date:** Friday 27th September 2019

If you ready for a challenge and looking to unleash your creative mind, please send a current CV and convincing covering letter outlining your experience, your suitability for this position, and why we should invite you for an interview, to [careers@championsukplc.com](mailto:careers@championsukplc.com)