



JUNIOR PACKHOUSE INDUSTRIAL IT TECHNICIAN (PIIT)

Kromco (Pty) Ltd is offering an IT
Junior Packhouse Industrial IT
Technician (PIIT) Learnership.

LEARNERSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Kromco (Pty) Ltd is one of South Africa's largest fruit-packing and marketing companies, situated close to Grabouw in the Western Cape. Applications are invited from individuals interested in undertaking a 3-year development process to become qualified as a junior packhouse industrial IT technician (junior PIIT technician). The program aims to develop individuals with potential into junior PIIT technicians so that they are qualified to apply for junior PIIT technician positions in the job market.

Industrial IT is a challenging and dynamic field, particularly in the area of Information Technology, where the most significant improvements, developments, and growth take place. Packhouse Industrial IT pertains to Industrial IT as applied to Manufacturing, Logistics, and Refrigeration in the Warehouse environment.

Qualified PIIT Technicians can typically specialize further in career paths such as networks, servers, client systems, industrial automation & instrumentation, etc.

REQUIREMENTS:

THE IDEAL CANDIDATE SHOULD HAVE AT LEAST THE FOLLOWING:

- ✓ National Senior Certificate with at least 50% in:
 - Mathematics or Technical Mathematics (NOT Mathematical Literacy)
 - Physical Sciences, or Information Technology, or Technical Sciences
- ✓ Proficiency in English for technical communication, training, and examinations.
- ✓ Basic computer software and hardware skills.
- ✓ Eagerness to learn and adapt to self-learning.
- ✓ Good interpersonal and communication skills.
- ✓ Willingness to attend periodic external IT courses.
- ✓ Willing and driven to pass international certification exams.
- ✓ Good observation, problem-solving, and decision-making abilities.
- ✓ Willingness to work overtime and night shifts.
- ✓ Ability to handle pressure.
- ✓ Physically fit and healthy.

The successful candidate will undergo a 3-year development program where they will receive practical exposure, responsibilities, and training (formal and informal) to possess the experience, knowledge, and training required to function as a Junior PIIT Technician. This is not a permanent appointment, and candidates will be evaluated every 6 months regarding their suitability to continue with the development program.

- ✓ Certifications to be obtained over a 3-year period include:
 - CompTIA ITF+
 - CompTIA Linux+
 - CompTIA A+
 - CompTIA Network+
 - Principles of Customer Service
 - Introduction to Industrial Automation & Control

The closing date for applications is 15 February 2024

Applications can be sent to training.officer@kromco.co.za or delivered in person