

Worker Justice Wisconsin is hiring a half-time Lead Organizer!

Worker Justice Wisconsin builds collective worker power through training, labor rights education, collective action and community engagement. We prioritize worker-member involvement and leadership development, while working as a coalition to make change. Worker Justice WI is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Our offices and worker center are located in the Madison Labor Temple, at 1602 S. Park St in Madison WI. More information at workerjustice.org

Location: Madison WI Job Type: .5 FTE non-exempt Salary: \$18.00/ hour and paid time-off

We are hiring a Lead Organizer to strategically increase and engage our worker membership. The organizer will be both in the center and in the community, doing targeted outreach and training. This grant-funded position will support workers in developing leadership and exploring options, including action campaigns and employment options such as union and cooperative models of business. Work will be done in both English and Spanish, and will include weekend and evening hours. The organizer will need a reliable means of getting around Dane County and surrounding areas. This position will report directly to the Board of Directors and supervise part-time staff, interns and/or volunteers.

Duties to include:

- Recruit, train, and develop worker leaders
- Coordinate and lead workshops, meetings, and social events
- Support workers in carrying out actions and campaigns
- Document and report on activities
- Become and stay up-to-date on worker rights, organizing, and cooperative models
- Promote the organization and participate in fundraising

Desired Qualifications:

- Excellent interpersonal skills with people of varied beliefs, identities and backgrounds
- 1-2 years of successful community organizing, ideally around worker rights
- Demonstrated strategic planning and leadership skills
- Strong commitment to the rights of all workers
- Proven ability to teach adults and facilitate meetings
- Proven reliability and time management
- Ability to work independently and collaboratively toward goals
- Computer literacy
- Ability to utilize social media in a strategic and ethical manner
- Fluent in English and Spanish

***Applications accepted until filled; preference given to those received by Sept. 7.
Send a resume and cover letter to Mary Bell, Board President,
rapidsbell@charter.net***