



ANGELA MISHERALAK

Truck Operator

MELIADINE, AGNICO EAGLE

Angela works as a truck operator though she is also qualified to replace on scoop, another piece of heavy equipment used to haul ore and waste rock. Her formal training includes studying as a mechanic in college for eight months, after which she worked with CMAC for two years.

Angela eventually began working at Meliadine, starting out as a mechanic helper. Although she is originally from Rankin Inlet, near the Meliadine mine, Angela met her now fiancé through work and moved to Québec, where she lives during her 14 days off.

Thanks to her hard work and her making the most of all training opportunities, including underground training, truck training, and Scoop training, she made her way up to her current position. Angela wants to keep moving up in the company, and has her sights set on becoming a bolter next.

A bolter is a piece of heavy equipment used in underground mining. They are used install rock bolts along the mine's tunnel walls ensuring the areas are safe.

JOB GOALS

- Operate jackleg and stoper equipment
- Inspect equipment daily
- Inspect work environment by scaling rocks
- Drill holes according to drawings and specifications
- Ensure rehabilitation of the site using the good bolt patterns
- Load and blast the rounds
- Participate in the implementation of water, air, and ventilation services using the scissor lift, jackleg, and stoper
- Ensure health and safety of team during work

SKILLS THAT PLAY A PART

- Mining engineering plan reading skills
- Good work ethic, positive attitude, ability to work in a team
- Strong ability to communicate in English (oral and written)
- Physically able to do the job

EDUCATION AND TRAINING NEEDED

- High school diploma
- NAC Certification or DEP in mineral extraction or equivalent
- Certification and 4,000+ hours of experience on jackleg and stoper
- Valid approval letter under explosives regulations or equivalent
- Underground certification or equivalent