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PROFESSIONAL CAREERS FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES DEVELOPED BY PROMOTIONS AT WECO

Three of the original group of ten beta testers, who all are disabled, have trained, volunteered and worked their way through the WeCo Certified Test Consultant (CTC) Career Path to be promoted to Sr. Certified Test Consultants. They were recognized at a recent annual company event.

WeCo is a website accessibility testing company which hires individuals who are disabled to become trained website testers. The WeCo Accessibility Test Platform Beta Test was conducted in October 2011. There were ten individuals who were trained to participate in the beta test, representing four major disability groups: sight, hearing, motor skill and cognitive-related disabilities. As the business grew three of these testers combined their own experience in navigating the Internet, with the extensive WeCo training, to become proficient at testing websites. The commitment to their work along with optional volunteer activities gave them the skills required for this promotion.

This promotion provides each CTC with optional privileges to become leaders in the rapidly growing company.

“CTCs advance on the career path by delivering quality testing work and participating in business and team building activities within WeCo. Each career path level provides the test consultant with an opportunity to earn more and, if they wish, to take on leadership roles within our company. These leadership roles groom the test consultant for team training and management positions which may eventually result with employment as an internal staff member. The natural flexibility of the WeCo Certified Test Consultant Career Path enables individuals to work when they wish, and are able to, and to also have the personal time they may wish to take for family, friends and hobbies as well as to address medical needs that may arise.”

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