



Apparel CAD Pattern Technician & Product Development (Part-Time)

Soft Goods Detroit — Corktown, MI

On-site · ~5+ hours/week (project-based) · Start Date: ASAP

Soft Goods is a knitwear-focused cut & sew factory located in Corktown. We work with established brands across the country, focusing on quality, consistency, and long-lasting, well-made garments. We handle the full development process in-house—from patterns development to complete production runs—and we're looking for part-time support with pattern development and grading. Hours are flexible and shift based on project needs.

Role Overview

This role is responsible for driving our technical pattern development process from initial sample review to production-ready styles. You will collaborate with our team to review client samples, create and refine digital patterns, and adjust patterns during sample iterations. A strong technical understanding of apparel construction is essential, as you'll help determine how garments should be built before they reach the sewing floor.

Skills Needed

- Proficiency in fashion CAD software (StyleCAD experience is a huge bonus)
- Strong foundation in pattern development, garment construction, and industrial sewing
- Ability to draft, adjust, and grade patterns accurately
- Comfortable reviewing samples and translating them into production-ready patterns
- Familiarity with knitwear is preferred but not required.
- Experience in a production facility is preferred but not required.
- Industrial sewing experience is highly preferred, but not required

How to Apply:

Interested candidates should email their resume to alex.marx@softgoodsdetroit.com