

For the Global Procurement team we are looking for a

Category Manager Indirect Materials – Fulltime-Hybrid

You will be in particular responsible for technical purchasing of equipment & automation, and MRO supplies and developing and implementing procurement strategies, including optimized options for future supply and demand development, in coordination with the requisitioners and taking market developments into account.

RESPONSIBILITIES & TASKS

In the above-mentioned areas, the Category Manager is responsible for all processes related to the above-mentioned topics:

- Analysis of the responsible category/procurement groups, implementation and evaluation of risk analyses and supplier assessments, development of KPI-supported strategic goals
- Planning the medium and long-term development of requirements together with the requisitioners
- Developing, planning and implementing measures for the responsible procurement groups as part of the procurement strategy to increase/maintain competition, secure supply, increase efficiency and leverage potential savings
- Monitoring and communicating market trends and conducting market, supplier and competition analyses
- Supplier search, development, collaboration in the approval process, supplier segmentation
- Contact person for strategic supplier relationships and first escalation stage in incident and complaint management
- Planning and implementation of tenders, preparation of tender documents and evaluation of offer documents, contract negotiation and contract management
- Collaboration in the planning and implementation of supplier days and supplier meetings
- Optimization of payment terms and material inventories to manage current assets
- Reporting to management on activities and events in the assigned area of responsibility
- Compliance with legal requirements in contract and procurement law, as well as internal guidelines
- Representation activities of other category managers within the purchasing organization (during absences)
- Collaboration in the operational ordering process

PROFILE

- At least 3 years of professional experience within a purchasing organization in the strategic procurement fields of Indirect Purchasing, preferably in Technical

Purchasing in the areas of Equipment & Automation, MRO Supplies, knowledge in other purchasing areas of Indirect or Direct Purchasing advantageous

- Knowledge of catalog systems desirable
- SAP knowledge in the modules of the MM purchasing area required, S4/HANA desirable
- Basic legal knowledge / basic legal understanding
- Business fluent in written and spoken English. German / Dutch desirable
- Looks for opportunities for continuous improvement
- Takes initiative and works independently and energetically
- Motivates others and delegates tasks and responsibilities
- Adapts own style to different people or situations
- Aligns his/her behavior with the company's code of conduct and regulations

WHAT WE OFFER

- Hybrid working
- Minimal 26 vacation days + 8 ATV days on fulltime basis
- 13th month
- Flexible working hours
- Pension provision largely paid by employer
- Fiscal arrangement for commuter expenses
- Comprehensive learning programs
- Employee discounts on insurances, bicycle plan and sports subscription

INTERESTED?

For more information or question about the function, please contact Kevin Schneider as the Hiring Manager, via kevin.schneider@polyvantis.com

If you want apply, can send your resume and motivation to HR Operations Partner Caroline van Marle, via caroline.vanmarle@polyvantis.net

All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, or disability.