Project Engineer-Omega Plastics

Who we are and what we do:

The Omega Plastics Group was created in 2015 by bringing together two tooling and plastic injection moulding businesses – Omega Plastics and Signal Plastics.

We provide a full turn-key solution of low to high volume tooling and plastic injection moulding services, operating across 4 main sectors: Automotive, Medical, Industrial and Technical Products, and Consumer Products.

Our technical expertise and reputation for delivering solutions to challenging problems or in short timeframes allows us to assist customers from product conception through the development cycle and into serial production.

We are a growing business with a workforce of over 160 colleagues and we continue to invest in our people, infrastructure and facilities. Omega Plastics has a 45,000 sq. ft facility on Team Valley Trading Estate in Gateshead, which is also our Group head office, and Signal Plastics operates from a 43,500 sq. ft facility on Bentall Business Park in Washington.

All colleagues contribute to the success of the business. To recognise this, we offer a competitive salary and benefits package and invest in the training and development our colleagues. We believe this ensures they are engaged and motivated to drive the Group forward.

More information about us can be found at http://www.omegaplasticsgroup.co.uk/

The vacancy

We are recruiting a **Project Engineer** to join our Project Management team, reporting to our Head of Projects. This is a fantastic opportunity for someone with the right skills, experience and enthusiasm to join a growing team in a dynamic business.

The role involves coordinating, planning and qualifying project requirements through liaising with customers and other teams in the Group to take a project from the initial order stage to production. You will also maintain business information reports to support planning and sub-contract of tooling and associated components. Full details are set out below.

It is a permanent, full-time role based mainly at our head office on Team Valley but may also visit Signal Plastics in Washington.

The role comes with a salary of **between £28,000** and £32,000 (depending on qualifications, skills and experience), 25 days annual leave (plus public holidays), Death in Service, Company Pension, Employee Assistance Program, Cycle to Work scheme and other benefits. It is a permanent, full-time role based at our site on Team Valley.

All candidates must be currently eligible to live and work in the UK.







Main duties and responsibilities

Main duties include:

- Assist in the preparation, scheduling, coordinating and monitoring of assigned projects
- Interact daily with relevant internal departments on project deliverables
- Manage communication between the customer and the business during the product development phase
- Co-ordinate between the customer and business to ensure timely acknowledgement of customer orders and critical points are addressed
- Work with other teams in the business and suppliers to develop our supply chain audits
- Liaise with Projects and Operations teams to support smooth transition of all products into production and to ensure critical areas of quality, cost and delivery are achieved
- Work with other teams in the Group to support UK sub-contract outsourcing of tooling;
 liaising with suppliers and customers to ensure product compliance
- Maintain and file project and quality control documentation in accordance with ISO 9001 and IATF 16949 requirements

The ideal candidate:

We are looking for someone with the right skills and attitude to join our team of Project Managers. These include:

- Proven working experience as a Project Engineer
- Commitment to delivery of an excellent customer journey
- Project management skills
- HNC minimum or proven experience
- Time management and organisation skills
- Excellent communication and presentation skills
- Advanced MS Office skills
- Familiarity with automotive and medical practises
- Knowledge of plastic injection moulding process and 3D CAD systems would be advantageous but not essential
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team

To apply for this role, please send a covering letter setting out why you are suitable for this role together with a CV setting out qualifications and experience to careers@omega-plastics.co.uk by 5pm on Friday, 13 August 2021.







Person specification

Successful candidates are expected already to possess all the essential requirements, and be capable of, or have the potential to be trained to, an acceptable standard in the desirable ones.

Category	Essential	Desirable	Method of assessment
Qualifications	GCSE Grade C/Level 4 or equivalent in English and Maths HNC minimum or proven experience		Application – evidence of qualifications may be required
Experience	Proven working experience as a Project Engineer Familiarity with automotive and medical practises Experience of working within ISO 9001 and IATF 16949 standards		Application and interview
Knowledge and skills	Project management skills. Advanced skills in MS Office packages, especially Word, Excel and PowerPoint Excellent written and verbal communication skills Time management and organisation skills. Building relationships	Knowledge of Plastic injection moulding process and 3D CAD systems	Application and interview
Personal qualities	Organised Motivated Responsive Attention to detail Adaptable Professional and courteous	Innovative approach	Application and Interview





