Quality Manager

Department : Quality Assurance
Reporting to : General Manager

As a key member of our senior leadership team, the Quality Manager will embody our company's mission and values by promoting integrity, ownership, respect, teamwork, and excellence throughout all business relationships and decision-making.

This role is instrumental in upholding our commitment to quality, continual improvement, and service, providing strategic oversight to ISO9001 and AS9100 systems and supporting a positive, purpose-driven culture.

Collaboration with the Director of Quality and Compliance at Turbocam USA ensures that best practices and innovative improvements are continually shared across our business.

Department Responsibilities

- Managerial activities for the company's Quality Assurance systems and policies, including development training, implementation, accreditation, auditing and maintained compliance. To ensure compliance with relevant international, national and customers quality system requirements.
- Managerial activities for the inspection department.
- Strategic planning activities to continuously improve and maintain all aspects of the quality assurance infrastructure within the company. The role also entails keeping up to date with the latest legislation.
- Ensuring the above departments function effectively together and with other sections of the Turbocam business.

Quality and Responsibility Metrics

 Quality – responsible for collating, recording and reporting on the company's quality results on a monthly basis. This includes to the UK management team, all UK staff and Director of Quality Manager and Compliance (Turbocam USA).

Management Responsibilities

- Supporting the Companies Mission Statement and up-holding policies and procedures set out in the Company Handbook.
- Safety to ensure that safety standards and practices are adhered to within the company and everyone is working in a safe environment.
- Quality to ensure that the department meets and exceeds our customer's expectations for quality of goods and services.
- Delivery to ensure the departments targets are reached to enable the customer's delivery requirements to be met.
- Personnel Lead and develop the department team by ensuring staff are effectively engaged, fully utilised, and supported to meet business needs while upholding company culture and values.
- Foster a positive environment of cooperation, excellence, and strong relationships within the department and across teams, motivating employees to reach their potential through regular reviews, feedback, and training plans.
- Manage performance, conduct, staffing levels, and recruitment in line with company processes, ensuring issues are addressed fairly and resources align with organisational goals.
- Resources to regularly evaluate and undertake strategic reviews of equipment, plant, machinery and systems to ensure optimal ways of working are implemented and maintained.
- Management Team to be actively engaged in the setting and reporting of the company goals, objectives, strategic company planning, polices and guidelines.
- Continuous Improvement to ensure that improvements are made on a sustainable basis to all of the above, deploying appropriate strategic management tools, systems, communications or innovations as necessary.
- Participate in the programme of Layered Process Audits (LPA's)
- Perform other related duties or projects as necessary.

Job Qualifications

Experience, Education & Skills

- 5 years' experience in a Quality Assurance environment, preferably in manufacturing, and conversant with industry standard quality systems and standards such as ISO9001, AS9100, TS16949, etc.
- Degree qualified in Quality Assurance or equivalent related qualification.

- Proficient with standard levels of computer systems and software such as QMS and ERP systems, SPC software.
- Strong maths, analytical and problem-solving skills.
- Strong written, verbal and visual communication skills.
- Certified Internal Auditor (essential)
- Fully conversant with drawing protocols and able to determine metrology methods and requirements.
- Proven experience in leading and developing teams, fostering positive culture, and managing performance, staffing, and engagement to achieve organisational goals.

Personal Qualities

- Must be able to direct and lead the company towards the highest standards of Quality Management systems and assurance.
- Must be honest and reliable and act with integrity on all people and company matters.
- Must be able to lead and motivate other members of the department team and resolve any conflicts or differences while maintaining respect and integrity.
- Must be able to work effectively with others as well as independently.
- Must be able to organise and prioritise work on multiple projects with accuracy and attention to details.
- Must be self-motivated and flexible in performing any task necessary for the good of the company.
- Must be flexible regarding working hours.
- Innovative and forward-thinking.