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Role profile

Job title	Senior Estimator
Reports to	Commercial Lead
Department/Business stream	Estimating

Main purpose of the role:

To lead estimates for engineering works in accordance with estimating systems and procedures, working with other members of tender teams to develop effective client solutions.

Main duties and responsibilities

Key Accountability and Responsibilities

- Undertake estimates in accordance with company procedures.
- Lead team of estimators for larger tenders, mentoring and developing junior estimators.
- Identify opportunity and risk during tender process.
- Co-ordination of external and internal inputs for tender preparation.
- Liaise with business unit to agree methodology and principles.
- Maintain register of key assumptions within estimate.
- Maintain tender estimate file.
- Provide indicative pricing support for business development.
- Provide sales support as required.
- Meeting tender deadlines.
- Production of tender documents and completion of clients' documentation for submittal.
- Upkeep of costs, estimating and pricing information necessary for the preparation of tenders.
- Present basis of estimate and key assumptions.
- Prepare estimating "adjudication pack"
- Maintain notes of adjudication meetings.
- Close out actions and monitor customer negotiations, seeking amended authority as required.
- On successful award, summarising overall bid and handing over to Projects, including continuing involvement as necessary during contract execution.
- Prepare estimating "handover packs"
- Maintain notes of handover meeting.
- Provide on-going support to site teams relating to estimate and key assumptions.
- Obtain feedback from site teams on estimating adequacy and current costs.
- To comply with all Health and Safety responsibilities commensurate with the role, as outlined in the Health and Safety policy.
- Any other duties commensurate with the position as may be assigned from time to time.

Collaborative Working

- Liaison with tender Bid Manager & Planner.
- Liaison with and support to project and site teams relating to estimate and key assumptions

Key measures & targets		Key relationships	
•	Winning work to meet the Company's objectives. Quality of tenders submitted Accuracy of cost estimates Meeting of tender deadlines	 Developing a coherent and consistent tender submission with the use of key estimating assumptions. 	



 Quality of sales support Communication Degree of creativity/innovation Team working 	 Developing a tender win strategy alongside the business unit teams and issuing handover documents following the contract award. Providing temporary works support for tenders and for the design element of design and construct tenders.
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Person specification

Criteria	iteria Requirement	
Knowledge and experience	Engineering or commercial background.	Essential
	• Experience in water and civils are a must; knowledge of waste, rail, or the tunnelling sector would also be advantageous.	Essential
	 Proven track record working on tenders ranging up to 50m 	Desirable
Skills/Qualifications	HNC or above (or equivalent qualification) in a relevant engineering discipline	Essential
	Numerate and familiar with estimating software and Microsoft Excel.	Essential
	Chartered, incorporated status or similar	Desirable
Personal Qualities	Confident dealing with customers at a senior level.	Essential
	Able to ensure all tender submissions are both feasible and profitable.	Essential

How to apply please send your details to:

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