

Job Title: Supplier Commodity Project Engineer**Location: Salt Lake City, UT****Job Details:**

This position leads supply chain engagement efforts to increase capacity, decrease costs, drive realization of Operation's objectives, and improve customer satisfaction.

This position serves as a management resource and facilitator to support Supply Chain engagement initiatives with historically underperforming suppliers, as defined by the company supply chain scorecard; red and yellow suppliers. The supplier engagement project manager will drive industry best practices first through process and ultimately through cultural change with underperforming suppliers.

The supplier engagement project manager will work with the Buyers, Subcontract Managers, supply chain engineering, and supplier quality engineers to plan the overall supplier improvement strategy. This position requires the candidate to have previous experience leading an integrated product team (IPT). The supplier engagement project manager is responsible to manage the IPT's of the company and drive process and supplier improvement initiative.

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- He/she must build relationships in order to maintain high levels of service and quality.
- Will be required to track status and action item completion weekly.
- Routinely lead executive management reviews to assess the progress and identify risks.
- Must be able to comprehend various and complex program interdependencies and be able to provide clear and consistent priorities to his/her suppliers.
- Must also be able to manage several improvement efforts and deadlines at any one time with the ability to multi-task and communicate status on a daily basis.
- Will train, develop, mentor and assist his/her peers and subordinates in all of the departments that affect the supply chain process.
- Must have experience in commodity management, IPT management, supplier management, auditing proficiency and process improvement.
- Must have the ability to differentiate between symptoms and understand the true root cause in complex systems.

Ability to obtain and maintain a US security clearance is required.

Qualifications:

Bachelor's Degree and minimum 9 years of prior relevant experience

7 years professional experience with FAR, DFAR, ITAR, DPAS requirements

7 years professional experience and advanced knowledge of Microsoft Office (Word, PowerPoint, Outlook, Sharepoint, Excel), Microsoft Project, Lean, and Six Sigma process improvement methodologies

7 years professional experience leading a supply chain Integrated Product Team (IPT)

Ability to travel up to 50%, domestically and internationally on an as needed basis is required. A valid U.S. passport will be required.

Additional Preferred Qualifications:

Graduate Degree, MBA preferred, and a minimum of 7 years of prior related experience.

PMP certification

AS9100D lead auditor certification

Experience with and able to use tools such as 5-why analysis and cause and effect (fishbone) diagrams.

Active and Current Secret security clearance, or higher

SKILLS AND CERTIFICATIONS [note: bold skills and certification are required]

Must have comprehensive experience with AS9100

Must have Lead Auditor experience