



Project Engineer (Edinburgh)

Company: Nova Innovation

Location: Edinburgh, UK

(We are also advertising for other vacancies. We welcome applicants with a combination of skills from these job descriptions.)

If you would like to apply, please email your CV with a **tailored covering letter** to applications@novainnovation.com explaining why you think you would be suited to this position, your reasons for applying and other pertinent information e.g. available start date, relocation/visa status.

Applications without a covering letter will not be read.

For the Subject field in your email, please use: **Job application: 22003 Project Engineer.**

Summary

Nova Innovation is recruiting for a Project Engineer to join our talented and energetic team working at the forefront of the marine energy industry.

The Role

Nova Innovation is looking for a Project Engineer (with at least 3 years' industrial experience) to complement the existing skills within our Engineering Team. Work will include supporting projects from concept, all the way through to operation and maintenance.

Responsibilities

Responsibilities will be tailored to the experience of the successful candidate(s), and to ensure best fit within the engineering team. They will include:

- Managing the engineering delivery of projects, including scheduling, budget, logistics, HSE and quality
- Working closely with manufacturers, the production team and with contractors on-site (including near-shore marine operations)
- Working alongside the design team to develop product solutions to meet challenging cost and timescale constraints
- Feeding improvements to design from build and operation feedback
- Preparing and improving production documents where relevant to your engineering background (BOMs, specifications, procedures, quality improvements, test plans), in particular with regards to assembly, test and commissioning
- Other engineering and company duties required by the business



Attributes

We are looking for applicants with the following essential attributes:

- Able to manage engineering delivery of projects, co-ordinating with a team including design engineers, project managers, production, procurement and operations
- Positive and friendly personality, with a 'can-do' attitude
- Track record of management of suppliers and external contractors
- A combination of technical knowledge from a relevant engineering discipline alongside project engineering experience
- Able to work flexibly and communicate well within a small, cross-discipline team
- Self-motivated and capable of meeting deadlines
- A keen interest in renewables and marine energy
- Relevant Engineering degree, or equivalent experience

Examples of other beneficial experience include:

- Good product cost optimisation and manufacturability knowledge
- Experience within a relevant industry e.g., marine, wind or marine renewable industry
- Competent user of Microsoft project
- Engineering definition or analysis, for example using tools such as mechanical or electrical drawing software (preferably Inventor/E-Plan), MATLAB etc.
- Relevant manufacturing or marine operations experience
- Cross-discipline knowledge e.g., across some of structural, mechanical, hydraulic, electrical, control systems, project management

Background to Nova Innovation

Nova Innovation is a world-leading tidal energy company delivering a proven technology with global potential. We design, build, and operate tidal energy turbines and have offices in Scotland, Ireland, Wales, Canada, and Belgium.

Nova has a strong track record for growth and delivery including deploying the world's first offshore tidal array in Shetland, Scotland in 2016; successfully building the world's first baseload tidal power station in partnership with Tesla in 2018; and winning our first international projects in Canada in 2020.



With a full order book, Nova is looking for a Project Engineer to help drive the continued development of Nova's tidal technology and scale-up of the business. Nova's success to date has been due to the team we have built. As we grow, we believe it's important to keep that 'small-company' feel of a friendly close-knit group with a passion for what we do. To be truly innovative we need enthusiasm, imagination and diversity.

Conditions, remuneration and benefits

The position can either be part-time or full time depending on the candidate and/or level of experience.

Competitive salary is negotiable depending on experience. We also offer a pension scheme starting at an employer matching contribution of up to 5% of salary for new employees.

Annual holidays are 25 days per annum plus 8 public holidays (pro rata).

Nova values an inclusive and diverse team and will always try to make a role work for a promising candidate. If you would like to discuss this role, including any adjustments you may require please get in touch via the email above.

We look forward to hearing from you.