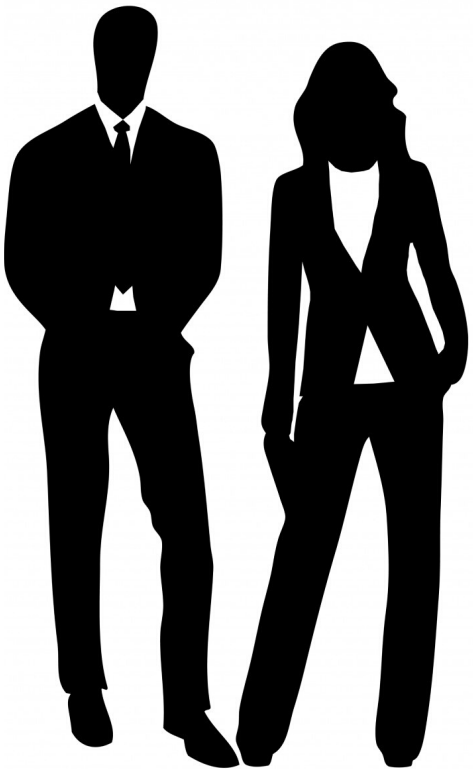
QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS & QUALITY OPERATIONS

DIRECTOR QUALITY

ZUG, SWITZERLAND



ARE YOU PASSIONATE ABOUT QUALITY, LEAN PROCESSES AND A CULTURE OF CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT?

IN THIS ROLE, YOU WILL WORK FOR A MID SIZE MEDICAL DEVICE COMPANY, WITH A BROAD AND VARIED PRODUCT PORTFOLIO, AND STRONG FOOTPRINT IN EUROPE.

THEY ARE MARKET LEADERS IN EUROPE WITHIN THEIR FIELD, ARE SELLING IN OVER 100 COUNTRIES ACROSS ALL MAJOR CONTINENTS, AND ARE GROWING WITH THE GOAL TO BE GLOBAL MARKET LEADERS.

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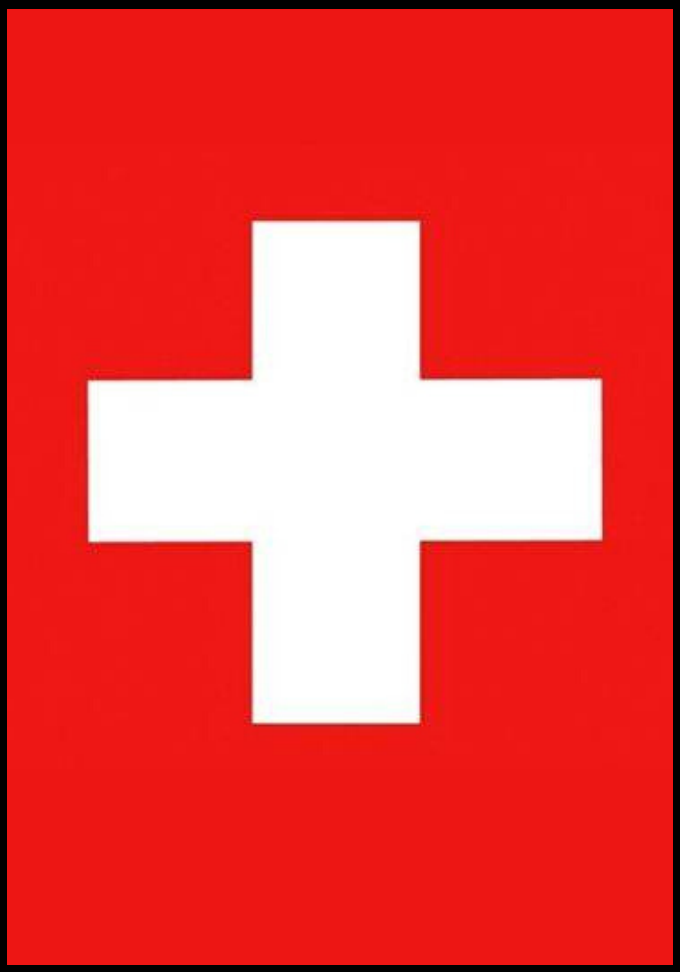

THE ROLE

This is a great role for someone who likes solving problems, with 3 major areas to work on

1.Building up a lean QA Operations organization

2.Simplifying QMS processes

3.Become a trusted partner for Operations

You will oversee both the quality operations and quality management system teams within the organisation,and help to contribute to their “culture of quality” transformation.

You’ll be responsible for their professional development, hiring, mentoring and performance management of a team of over 20 people within Quality.

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IN THIS ROLE AS DIRECTOR QUALITY YOU WILL:

- Build the strategy for simplifying the existing QMS so that it is easy to use and workable for all major partners
- Create strategies for QMS implementation and improvements, ensure compliance and lead inspection preparations across the company site
- Improve the Quality operations organisation with a view to build up lean QA processes
- Work with other key partners within the organization, providing strategic direction and support where needed, especially on the topic of Quality management and Quality Operations
- Be responsible for educating other partners and employees from the company's business units on topics regarding quality, to build a culture of quality across all levels and functions of the organisation
- Continuously monitor, develop and improve the quality policy and QMS, to ensure it is compliance with changing regulations - keep the Senior Leadership Team informed of relevant and upcoming changes
- Monitor product compliance tracking and related projects
- Co-operate with partners, as quality representative for the organisation. Your partners will be from all areas and disciplines of the company; suppliers, regulatory, product development, operations, process validation and more
- Strong communication skills and ability to influence would be well received in this role

ARE YOU MOTIVATED BY HAVING THE CHANCE TO MAKE IMPROVEMENTS?

DO YOU FIND INNOVATIVE WAYS TO SOLVE PROBLEMS?

DO YOU SEE CHALLENGES AS PROBLEMS OR OPPORTUNITIES?

- 9+ years experience in a quality role in the medical device industry
- 5+ years experience leading teams of around 20 people
- Strong experience with Quality Management systems ISO 13485, 21CFR/820 AND quality operations
- Good German and English skills (reading and writing)
- Confidence and ability to make independent decisions based on sound principles
- Experience with ISO13485, ISO 9001, ISO14971 and relevant regulatory standards i.e MDD 93/42/EEC
- Ability to influence through communication

We'd love to hear from you!
Please send your CV to elena@elemed.eu to arrange a confidential career discussion.