

QUALITY DIRECTOR

Zug, Switzerland

Scope: Quality Engineering

Relocation possible



The Company



Does the idea of leading a global quality transformation interest you? In this role, you will work for a mid size, high volume medical device company, undergoing an exponential growth trajectory! This company is growing in all directions; people, products, markets, and they are looking for a strong Quality leader, to design and implement the strategy for a Quality Engineering transformation!

The goal: for Quality to become more embedded into key processes and become a trusted partner to the business

The Opportunity

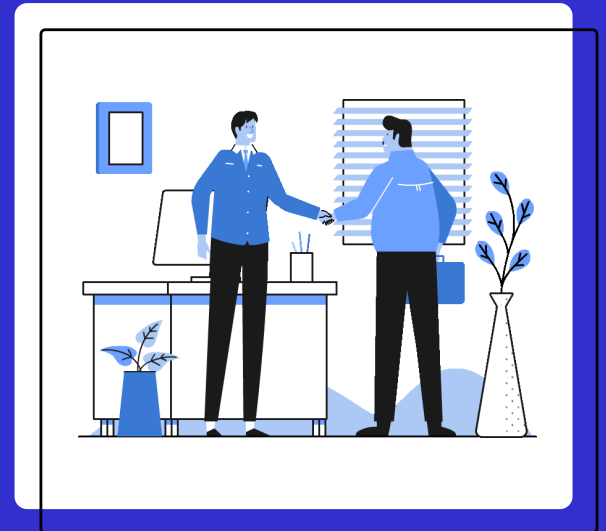


This is a corporate level role, heading the Quality engineering function across sites globally (Asia, Europe, USA). You'll operate strategically and lead via a matrix organization; so you can focus your efforts away from transactional management and more into transformational leadership. You'll be located in the company's HQ, meaning lots of exposure to the CEO and SLT!

The Quality engineering function covers all activities from the design phase through to transfer into production for new and existing products and processes, with the responsibility to ensure these products are developed and manufactured in compliance with global regulations, standards such as: ISO 13485, ISO 14971, 21 CFR/820, MDR and company policies and procedures.

Quality Engineering Scope of activities (upstream):

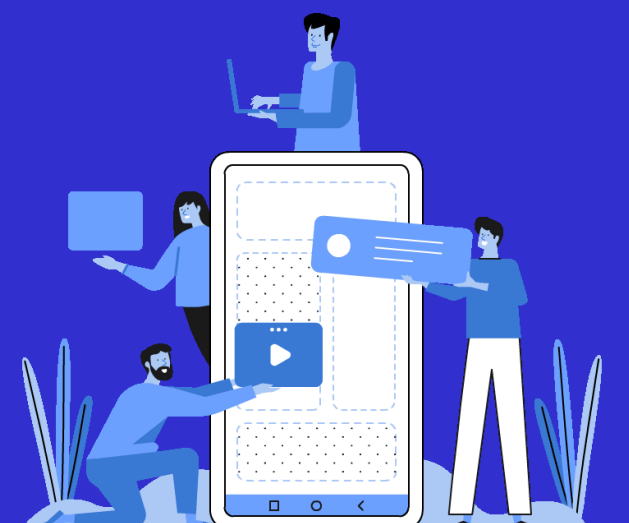
- Product, process, equipment design
- Inspection planning
- Design Transfer
- Validation and risk management



As Director Quality Engineering

In this role as Director Quality Engineering you will be part of the company's transformational quality journey to enhance skills, processes and structures. This is a great opportunity to come up with your own ideas, to be a problem solver, and see your fresh, new ideas implemented in the

company. Even better, this company operates with a dynamic fast moving decision making process so if you're in a corporate company having meetings about meetings, and waiting months and months for simple decisions, you can rest assured that these frustrations will be a thing of the past!



Your responsibilities

As Director of Quality you will set the vision and define the strategic roadmap related to quality engineering: (not exhaustive)

- Have responsibility for making sure that all the processes falling under this role's responsibility are compliant with company and global standards/requirements
- Oversee and ensure that quality goals and objectives are aligned with the strategic plan of the sites
- Work with other key partners within the organization, providing strategic direction and support on topics within your scope such as design controls, risk management, design transfer, test methods and assembly, validation
- 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, analyse and improve quality KPIs
- Strong communication skills and ability to influence across multiple cultures, countries and continents would be well received in this role

Why not step into a newly created role, instead of someone else's shoes?

Why not work on something transformational instead of something transactional?

Why not have the chance to implement your own ideas, instead of being an executor of someone else's orders?



Required Experience

If you fulfill all of the below requirements we would love to hear from you:

- 8+ years experience in a quality engineering role in the medical device industry
- Experience in continuous improvement
- Experience with ISO13485, ISO 9001, ISO14971 and relevant regulatory standards relating to medical devices i.e MDD 93/42/EEC
- Experience leading international teams or programs for quality engineering
- Fluent English
- Strong leadership skills; ability to influence through communication

Relocation from all over the world to Switzerland is possible! (for candidates fulfilling all requirements of the role)

Are you interested in this exciting role ?

Please send your application directly to elena@elemed.eu

Good luck!

