



FUCHS is the world's largest independent supplier of innovative lubrication solutions, covering almost every industry and application. Our products and solutions keep the world moving even though they are not always visible. What matters is that each of our over 6,000 employees in over 50 countries is visible – their entrepreneurial spirit, ideas, and skills are the foundation of our global business. Come be seen at FUCHS by joining us as:

## **Purchasing Specialist**

## Your areas of responsibility:

- Responsible for £65m annual spend on raw materials, packaging, and finished products and £5m indirect spend, this position will cover a broad area of responsibilities, including:
- Daily management of raw material and packaging purchase orders to meet customer and manufacturing requirements.
- Analysis and interpretation of MRP information to react to changes in demand.
- Daily communication with production staff, and suppliers, to ensure timely delivery of critical raw materials
- · Communication of critical supplier-related information to customer-facing staff
- Updating purchasing and supplier information records
- Analysis of vendor performance, including tracking of non-conforming material deliveries
- Base Oil Pricing and Quotas
- Base Oil Forecasting
- Working closely with Commercial Divisional Heads and R&D
- Ensuring quality supply and avoiding supplier dependence
- Monitoring Base Oil Usage Monthly/Yearly
- New Supplier Approvals
- Price List maintenance
- Undertake project-based work for specific business strategies & initiatives.

## **The Ideal Candidate**

- Candidates should be CIPS qualified with experience in a manufacturing environment.
- Excellent IT skills
- SAP experience would be advantageous.
- High level of attention to detail and accuracy.
- Self-motivated, able to prioritise and meet all deadlines.

## **Our Benefits**

- Competitive salary + profit-related bonus.
- Holiday Entitlement above Statutory.
- DC Pension Scheme.
- Employee Assistance Program
- Training opportunities for personal development
- Supportive working environment
- · Discounted private medical cover
- Free Parking

If you would like to apply for the role, please send your full, up-to-date CV to Susanne McClurg, susanne.mcclurg@fuchs.com

