

Project Manager



Job Description

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Company Profile



At Mocean Energy we have built an expert team combining scientific principles and real-world experience to develop new renewable technologies which can harness the power of waves – and accelerate the transition to a zero-carbon world.

While wave energy companies of the past have focused on large, utility-scale devices, Mocean develops products targeted at niche markets where wave energy has a significant value proposition. Our first product, Blue Star, is a small wave energy converter (WEC) used to power subsea equipment, supporting the energy transition in the oil & gas (O&G) industry. Future products will address industries from ocean science to utility-scale power.

Our technology is proven through offshore trials in 2021 and further ongoing trials with customers and partners in 2023.

The next stages for Mocean are growing the team, becoming more commercially and operationally focused and developing larger scale technologies.

Mocean is an Equal Opportunities and family friendly employer, we value our team's wellbeing and work life balance. We aim to create a safe and inclusionary

work environment where everyone feels like they belong.

Opportunity

The Project Manager (PM) will work within our Projects Team, leading on complex projects.

Project management experience is required, preferably with a technical and/or operational background and experience with electrical machines and / or offshore projects, in order to work successfully on our technology-focused projects.

Mocean is a small, fast-growing start-up with a fun and enthusiastic culture. You will have exposure to a variety of aspects of business from technology R&D to business management. You will have the opportunity to grow with us and help us reach our ambitions of developing wave energy to address climate change.

Duties

- Manage complex technical projects involving multiple internal and external stakeholders
- Work alongside Mocean's technical team and contractors to deliver R&D and operational projects, with a particular focus on projects in the operational phase.
- Work alongside Mocean's commercial and operational teams to support commercial efforts.
- Interface with project funders
- Manage the full lifecycle of prototype and product development including design, build, commissioning and offshore testing
- Use IT for project management including Microsoft Project and SharePoint
- Write-up and present project related documentation information
- Keep project and systems organised.
- Delegate tasks and track completion.

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- Engage in training and development courses to progress skills and capabilities.
- Report to our Head of Projects
- It is likely that travel will be required, within the UK and possibly overseas

Requirements

Education: Relevant Bachelors degree, Masters degree or PhD desirable but not essential.

Experience: Work experience in science, physics or engineering preferably related to offshore technologies and experience with electrical machines. Work experience in marine operations would also be an advantage.

Qualities:

- Self-starter with a can-do, positive attitude.
- Experience managing complex projects with multiple stakeholders
- Technical background, particularly with electrical machines
- Experience working within small / start-up organisation
- Well-developed planning / organisational skills
- Willingness to engage in a wide variety of tasks
- Diplomatic and confident communicator with strong interpersonal skills
- Well-developed leadership / delegation skills
- Cultural fit within the wider organisation
- Enthusiastic, passionate about our mission
- Ability to see the bigger picture
- Work well within a team

Details

Timeframe Accepting applications until 18 Sep 2023, followed by interviews.

Location Edinburgh or Aberdeen is preferred, but we are flexible on location / home working

Salary £40-60k depending on experience.

Benefits EMI share options scheme
Pension scheme
35 days holiday (including public holidays)
Flexible hours and working pattern.

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Our Purpose and Values

Mocean Energy is a purpose and values driven organisation with a focus on wellbeing, work life balance, diversity and inclusion.

Our values are:

We are **PIONEERS**. We forge our own path driven by our curiosity and vision. We are willing to take bold and innovative steps.

We **TRUST** each other. We build that trust within our team, likewise with our business partners and stakeholders, by our integrity and honest communication, especially when faced with challenges.

We are **INCLUSIVE**. We create a work environment where each and every person can bring their whole self, can be accepted, and can flourish.

We are **GROUND**ED. We continually and critically assess our progress. We support our goals with robust engineering, realistic roadmaps, sound financials, and successful project delivery.