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MANUFACTURERS OF THE WORLDS LARGEST RANGE OF DISC BRAKES FOR ANY VEHICLE

JOB DESCRIPTION – QUALITY CONTROL ENGINEER

Opportunity to join a world leading automotive and motorcycle brake and components, manufacturer based in Northampton. We are looking to appoint a highly experienced and self reliant Quality Control Engineer.

This role will provide you with the chance to learn about the whole business and work with a variety of different functions. You will have the opportunity to investigate the root causes of failures and implement improvements to prevent recurrence of failures; whilst managing and taking responsibility for routine Quality activities without immediate supervision.

The ideal candidate will have the ability to

- build relationships & influence within the team and the business
- provide guidance and coach people on quality
- work within a team as well as autonomously at times.

EBC Brakes was established in 1978 and has enjoyed much success during the past four decades in the automotive and motorcycle brake industry. We have a purpose built facility, with a variety of manufacturing department with various machine and equipment; including but not limited to Presses, CNCs, Vertical Machining Centre, Lathes, Grinders, Lasers, CMM inspection centre and other machinery.

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Creating and maintaining the Company's Quality Standards; develop, implement and maintain the Company's quality documentation, such as quality procedures, reports etc...
2. Establishing, implementing and maintaining the quality awareness throughout the various departments
3. Responsible for continual improvement activities to enhance the products and the environment; through training and work instructions
4. Builds relationships internally with department managers and technical team leaders
5. Liaise with managers and operators to ensure the smooth introduction of new products and processes and for reporting and reducing quality issues
6. Work with cross-functional teams to generate Manufacturing Inspection Test Plans that ensures good quality products are produced
7. Inspect to ensure that products and processes comply with requirements, using established engineering techniques
8. Ensure all quality data is captured
9. Conduct audits, creating audits finding reports and determine proper corrective and preventive actions
10. Analyse the root causes and implement corrective actions for processes or parts that have concerns
11. Analyse customer warranty returns and implement corrective and preventive plans/actions
12. Responsible for organising and managing the activities of receiving and outgoing quality functions
13. Continuously improving Quality procedures



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14. Ensure quick resolution of supplier quality failures, and implement corrective and preventive actions, through working with Purchasers and Department Managers
15. Ensure supplier assurance and if necessary perform quality audits
16. Preparation of QA reports
17. Any other reasonable duties.

KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS

1. Qualifications in Mechanical and Production Engineering
2. Previous experience in a Production Engineering environment and in a Quality/ Inspection role
3. Must be able to show a good knowledge of SPC and its applications
4. Must be able to show a good practical use of measuring equipment and measuring techniques
5. Capable of making independent decisions; whilst being appreciative of department managers and existing protocols
6. Excellent computer skills; Word, Excel, Outlook
7. Excellent organisational and strong verbal and written skills
8. Excellent team working and adaptability
9. Knowledge of Health & Safety requirements
10. Attention to detail
11. Ability to prioritise workload
12. Flexible and trustworthy.

Reporting to the Press Works Manager

Hours of Work:

Total hours: 40.5 hours per week.

Hours to suit, between; Monday – Thursday 7.30-8.30 as a start time and between 4.30pm-5.30pm as a finish time and Friday start time between 8.00-8.30 and finish time between 3.00-3.30pm, with 30 minutes unpaid lunch break each day.

Benefits:

Free uniform and PPE
Free Wi-Fi
Free on-site, secure parking
Staff Discount on EBC products

Please submit your CV and covering letter to:

Lisa White, HR by post or email: lisa.white@ebcbrakesuk.com