job specification



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Senior Consultant - Industrial Design

Reports to: Principal level Location: Shanghai

Summary

To understand our clients' business challenges in order to propel their products, experiences, services, and brands into the future and delivering new, relevant and engaging opportunities and propositions to their target audiences.

Key Responsibilities & Accountabilities

- Lead design projects project scoping & planning, client and team management, budget control, full project facilitation, design, report and present as appropriate
- Collaborate with other PDD teams and projects to define UX and design opportunities and directions
- Collaborate with PDD new business team to build long lasting client relationships and frame proposals to win new clients. This also includes understanding the market and competition and appropriately applying innovative methods.
- Work closely with Directors and Principals to develop, present and sell a compelling design service
 offering as a key point of differentiation to our clients

Requirements

We are looking for a talented and dynamic individual with the broad design, communication and self-management qualities leading to innovative solutions and excellent client relations.

Minimum requirements include:

- Written and spoken Chinese and English language
- At least 5+ years' consulting experience in UX and product design
- A degree in product / industrial design
- Preferably a demonstrable track record of managing design projects with a diverse team of practitioners from Human Sciences, Design and Technical
- Front end research and data synthesis experience
- Technical knowledge and the ability to consider the engineering design
- Ability to communicate ideas through hand sketching and illustrations
- Brand identity and graphic communication experience
- Adobe Creative Suite, strong working knowledge of a 3D CAD package (preferably Solidworks), 3D visualisation and excellent MS office skills
- Ability to consider the entire user journey, conceptualise and prototype solutions in physical or digital form using interactive tools (Sketch, Adobe XD etc.)
- Ability to confidently and clearly discuss design process and project activities with clients from both a business development and project perspective
- Ability to lead internal and client workshops

Additionally:

• Preferably experience in the Healthcare sector

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With studios in London, Hong Kong, Shanghai and Boston, and working in 6 continents, our experienced managers and talented researchers, designers and engineers help companies in the Medical & Healthcare, Consumer and Industrial & Commercial sectors to grow their businesses through innovation.

We ensure that product and experience solutions are successful by ensuring they are appealing to customers, are feasible and viable for clients to make and are responsible given regulation, society and the environment. Such success creates our future- and it's this sustainable 'win-all-round' business model that excites us- we call it 'Meaningful Innovation'.

We are committed to a workplace environment that promotes diversity across all our studios and this applies to the talent we hire, the customers we work with and the people we interact with on our projects. We offer competitive compensation, a range of excellent benefits and opportunities for international travel. Working with us also opens up new networking opportunities and a chance to engage with colleagues at social events.

To apply for this position, please email <u>careers@pddinnovation.com</u> with a cover letter, your CV and portfolio, if applicable.

We look forward to hearing from you.

PDD Talent Management