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Logistics & Procurement
Manager



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Founded in 2017, CuanTec is a ground-breaking biotech company ready to help make incremental changes that positively impact the world we live in. CuanTec's scientists have developed propriety technology to biologically separate Chitin, proteins, minerals and lipids from shellfish and other chitin sources. The Chitin is further refined into more valuable Chitosan.

CuanTec is targeting a rapidly growing market for Chitosan due to its multiple uses across multiple valuable categories. At the same time, it continues to develop added-value products derived from Chitosan, with its internal research and development resources and, in collaboration with external partners, using the biodegradable, high-end biomedical attributes of chitosan.

The company wants to leverage its know-how to create a viable, circular business with the well-being of our planet at its core. It is confident that, with a high demand for its product in a market with limited supply, it can create a rapidly growing and valuable business. This success in 2024 will lead to a planned and ambitious expansion by the end of 2024.

The business is currently pre-revenue and is about to embark on an exciting new chapter as production to begin at its first factory in Glenrothes. CuanTec's ambition is to expand rapidly through further investment to exploit the market for waste-based sustainable, biopolymer-based products.





CuanTec is seeking a Logistics & Procurement Manager to help manage the logistics and operations of both inbound and outbound products. The post-holder will work closely with the Plant Manager, Sales Manager and other key stakeholders to understand supply and demand of CuanTec's offering and facilitate both.

Key Tasks and Responsibilities

- To manage the effective and efficient delivery and storage of inbound feedstock (raw shell) and consumables (chemicals, energy)
- To manage the efficient logistics to/from drying operation and the storage and delivery of outbound product (and by-product) to customers (national and international)
- To source suppliers for by-products and chemicals used in the production process
- To negotiate contracts for the procurement, transportation and storage of products

A summary of the key candidate requirements are as follows:

- Demonstrable experience of managing the logistics (transport and storage) of industry biomass-based by-products (sometimes categorised as waste, but also for upcycling)
- Demonstrable experience of managing the logistics (transport and storage) of industrial chemicals
- Demonstrable track record of managing negotiations with storage and logistics organisations
- Candidates should have excellent numeracy and communication skills, with an aptitude for problem solving
- This role is suited to someone who is a self-starter, proactive, energetic, and can make decisions based on fact and commercial awareness
- Full driving license required



Salary and Holidays:	Competitive salary (dependent on experience). 33 days holiday inclusive of 4 fixed holidays (Christmas Day, Boxing Day, 1 st January and 2 nd January). After 2 years and 5 years of service, the holiday entitlement will increase by a further 2 days and 1 day respectively
Pension:	NEST pension 3% employer pension contributions
Other Benefits:	Critical Health Care (1x Annual Salary) and Life Insurance (2x Annual Salary after 3 months).
Location:	Glenrothes, with occasional travel to visit customers, relevant 3rd parties and suppliers as per the needs of the business
Hours:	Monday-Friday 9-5 with flexibility expected from both post-holder and employer

For more information on remuneration and the recruitment process, please contact Rachel Sim at Livingston James.



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