

**ESTIMATOR/ENGINEER
INFLITE ENGINEERING SERVICES
STANSTED OR BISHOPS STORTFORD**

Inflite Engineering have a great opportunity for an experienced **Estimator/Engineer** based at either our Stansted or Bishops Stortford sites.

Inflite Engineering Services Ltd are one of the UK's larger and most accomplished manufacturers of machined and fabricated detailed parts from most types of metals, hard and soft.

The job purpose will be to play a key role in the submission of quotations and tenders on behalf of the company. To interact with customers directly and fulfil their product requirements. To work with a team to ensure accurate estimates are provided and that jobs are costed as per instruction.

Main Responsibilities:

- Ensure stable, transparent and traceable market driven cost structures and provide accurate costing and pricing figures to the company's business development team
- Support the development, implementation and optimization of market driven costings and manage and analyse all materials against a project
- To estimate CNC 3, 4, 5 Axis Milling and Turning.
- To estimate complex fabricated parts, pressings, stretch form, heat treatment, pipe/ducts and wet/dry Assembly.
- Produce accurate costing estimates in response to customers / product developments
- Read and assess drawings confidently, be able to interpret MODELS and Lofts
- Ensure that Customer expectations are met and exceeded and identify areas for improvement
- Preparation of quotes/submission, putting bids together and agreeing contracts
- Liaise with internal colleagues regarding product set-up, routings and other technical aspects
- Perform any other duties within your capabilities as directed by the Company
- Stay compliant with the latest manufacturing technologies

Skills and Experience Required:

- Estimating within either CNC milling in 3,4,5-axis / CNC Turning/ Fabrication and/or Assembly is essential
- Previous experience in estimating and costing is essential
- Aerospace experience is advantageous
- Experience working with Titanium, Aluminium and Steel
- Ability to obtain material, AGS and treatment quotations, and working with suppliers and procurement to secure long term pricing.

- Prior Milling and/or fabrication experience
- Ability to work to deadlines is essential
- Previous experience in a manufacturing environment is essential
- Proficient in the use of MS Office programs, particularly Excel and CATIA
- Must be capable of producing work to a high standard
- Have excellent communication skills and will be expected to develop working relationships across all departments of the business
- Self-motivated, enthusiastic and capable of working to challenging deadlines