



Example of Supplier Development Engineer Job Description

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Our innovative and growing company is looking to fill the role of supplier development engineer. To join our growing team, please review the list of responsibilities and qualifications.

Responsibilities for supplier development engineer

- Lead quality concerns via 8D and NCRs with the the supplier
- Drive trend improvements on the Quality metric in support of strategic business objectives
- Visit local supplier facilities/locations on an as needed basis in order to improve relationships, follow up on corrective action validation and/or due to quality spill
- Lead PPAP Process at Suppliers, assure that supplier PPAPs are complete and meet SQM requirements
- Audit potential and current suppliers QMS or manufacturing processes
- Coordinating Process Audits activities within the Supplier Quality Assurance (SQA) Community
- Negotiating and signing Quality Specification with Suppliers
- Organizing and leading regular Quality Management meeting also performing regular technical visits to Suppliers for continuous development
- Driving escalation process in case of major and/or cross Business Lines Quality issues
- Periodical monitoring of the Supplier Quality performances, leading crash programs towards Top Offenders

Qualifications for supplier development engineer

- Core tools knowledge and application

- Ability to travel to global operations and assisting outside suppliers
- Knowledge of supplier quality processes (Production Part Approval Process, Advanced Product Quality Planning, First Article Inspection Reports)
- Position requires long hours and some nights and weekends when required
- Ability to travel - up to 60-75% work week travel is required, valid driver's license mandatory