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# **International Sales Manager**

Location: Europe, Asia (to be determined) Employment Status: Salary Full-Time Function: Sales, International

## **Key Responsibilities:**

## **Territory Development & Distribution:**

- Develop, organize, and manage distribution channels within the assigned territories.
- Build long-term relationships with internal teams, distributors, and end customers to ensure seamless operations and business success.

## Sales & Relationship Management:

- Meet personal and team sales targets as established by the business.
- Actively manage and grow an existing portfolio exceeding \$10 million.
- Develop and implement annual business plans for distributors and end-users, with quarterly reviews to assess performance.
- Promote the full range of company products, focusing on the Harris Value Proposition.
- Build strategic business relationships at corporate and local levels within all assigned accounts.

## Customer Engagement & Support:

- Provide technical and product knowledge support to distributors and end-users.
- Organize and conduct end-user training sessions, especially in areas like Braze Training and Gas Apparatus Safety.
- Follow up with customers to ensure satisfaction, resolve issues, and generate new sales leads.

## Market & Competitor Analysis:

- Identify new market potentials and analyze competitor products, sales, and marketing strategies.
- Collect and analyze market and product data to inform sales strategies.
- Provide ongoing market pricing feedback and submit sales leads to the global team.



#### Sales Tools & Forecasting:

- Develop and implement sales tools to enhance distribution and market penetration.
- Submit accurate sales forecasts and support logistics planning to ensure customer needs are met.
- Collaborate with internal teams to ensure cross-functional support and align with broader company goals.

#### **Reporting & Documentation:**

- Report monthly action plans and sales results to senior management.
- Maintain commercial and sales documentation according to company policies and legal standards.
- Regularly update personal selling skills and technical knowledge of the products.

#### **Project Leadership & Cross-Functional Collaboration:**

- Lead complex business negotiations and project initiatives with cross-functional teams to develop new product or service solutions for key accounts.
- Collaborate with internal teams and sales counterparts to drive cross-selling and expand market penetration across industrial accounts.

#### **Basic requirements:**

#### Education:

 Bachelor's degree in Business, Marketing, Engineering, or related field. Master's degree or MBA preferred.

#### Experience:

• Minimum 5-7 years of experience in international sales, preferably within the industrial sector.

#### Skills:

- Proven track record in managing large sales portfolios and achieving sales targets.
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills, with the ability to build and sustain relationships.
- Strong knowledge of market analysis, distribution management, and sales forecasting.
- Experience in technical product sales, with a focus on providing customer training and support.
- Ability to lead business negotiations and work collaboratively with cross-functional teams.
- Strong analytical skills for market data interpretation and strategic planning.
- Proficiency in CRM systems and sales software tools.
- Fluent in English spoken and written.

#### Interested? Send your CV and application to: RGuridi@lincolnelectric.eu

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