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Professional Summary

Energetic and results-oriented procurement professional with extensive experience in managing both direct and indirect global sourcing across the semiconductor and medical industries. Proven track record in strengthening vendor relationships, improving supply chain efficiency, and driving cost savings. Strong leadership skills with a focus on team motivation, policy implementation, and performance improvement. Expert in procurement methodologies, contract negotiation, and supplier development to support sustainable business growth.

Work Experience

Procurement Manager – Procurement & Sourcing (Gloves)

Molnlycke HealthCare | Apr 2023 – Present

- Own and manage supplier relationships to ensure continuity of supply and maximize value creation.
- Lead end-to-end direct procurement activities including sourcing, negotiation, and supplier development.
- Develop and implement sourcing strategies aligned with global objectives.
- Apply SRM and RFx tools to enhance procurement efficiency.
- Negotiate and manage high-value contracts to secure long-term supply.
- Conduct spend analysis and cost tracking to identify savings opportunities.
- Collaborate with R&D, operations, and finance to support innovation and supply continuity.
- Monitor market trends and supplier performance to mitigate risks.
- Ensure compliance through supplier evaluations and audits.

Senior Buyer (MRO), Global Supply Chain – Procurement

Teleflex Medical | May 2020 – Mar 2023

- Managed indirect procurement for transfer projects from Germany to Malaysia.
- Lead supplier selection, RFQ, and purchasing of complex machinery and tooling.

- Interpreted technical drawings and coordinated FAT/SAT evaluations.
- Handled customs clearance and liaised with authorities for import/export approvals.
- Supported a RM12 million infrastructure expansion project.
- Ensured compliance with procurement policies and audit readiness.
- Collaborated with finance on PPV and pricing updates.
- Identified cost reduction opportunities and tracked monthly savings.
- Maintained supplier catalog and supported new supplier onboarding.

Commercial Engineer

Kinetics Systems Malaysia (Infineon Site, Kulim) | Jan 2016 – Jul 2019

- Managed project budgets, RFQs, and supplier negotiations.
- Handled commercial issues, material tracking, and vendor coordination.
- Liaised with clients and resolved complaints efficiently.
- Led cost control initiatives and process improvements.
- Prepared BOMs, costings, and attended client walkthroughs.
- Supported QA/QC compliance and project documentation.

Key Projects:

- IFKM FAB 1 & 2 Hook-Up Tools
- IFKM 470K & 490K Projects
- STWP Wafer Test Drain, CDA & Bulk Gas Projects
- Facility Upgrade (Caverion Project)

Assistant Project Engineer

Kinetics Systems Malaysia (Infineon Site, Kulim) | Aug 2011 – Jan 2016

- Supported project engineers in installations, BOM prep, and client meetings.
- Led final handover documentation and ensured timely submission.
- Gained strong understanding of wafer fabrication utilities and systems.

Education

Bachelor of Biotechnology Industry

Universiti Industri Selangor | Graduated 2010

- CGPA: 2.93 (Second-Class Honours)
- Major: Microbiology

Certificate in Business Communication & Customer Service

Scicom Academy | 2010

High School

SMK Sultan Badlishah, Kulim, Kedah

- STPM: 2P 2R (1A, 1C+, 2D+) | MUET: Band 4 (219 marks)
- SPM: 4A, 5B, 1C

Skills

Technical Skills:

- Microsoft Excel, Word, PowerPoint (Advanced)
- QAD, MFGPRO System

Languages:

- English, Malay, Tamil

Core Competencies:

- Strategic Sourcing & Procurement
- Supplier Relationship Management
- Contract Negotiation
- Cost Reduction & Spend Analysis
- Cross-Functional Collaboration
- Risk Mitigation & Compliance
- Leadership & Team Development

Conferences & Workshops

- Swagelok Tube Fitting & VCR Fittings Training
- PVC, CPVC Fitting & Flange Training
- Effective Communication Skills at Workplace

Interests


Travelling | Cooking | Project Management

Reference

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Senior Strategic Category and Project Manager

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