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Have we sparked your interest in this new and exciting challenge? Then send your complete application to

**SEK-06-16@holzconsulting.de**

Please also state your salary expectations and your earliest start date. We would ask you to indicate any non-disclosure notices or exclusion of businesses. We are an equal opportunity employer and the position advertised is equally open to women and men.

## Any questions?

Should you have any questions regarding this position, Mr. Niedermeier will be available on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 4.00pm and 7.00pm on the following mobile phone number:  
+49 170 2080265

The content of conversations will be treated as confidential. For general information you may call us any time on the following phone number:  
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## Current status?

Please check the current status of this position on:

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Our international client is looking to fill the following position immediately:

## Strategic Purchasing Manager (m/f) - International timber industry -

**EXPIRED**

The ideal candidate will have several years of experience in purchasing/sourcing in the (timber) processing sector. You will analyse global sourcing markets and develop suitable strategies. In addition you will be responsible for managing our supplier portfolio, price negotiations, the conclusion of framework contract and the timeliness and quality of deliveries. Upon completion of the training period you will be in charge of all strategic and technical procurement activities for this client.

### Your responsibilities:

- Responsibility & control of all strategic and operational procurement activities by means of continuous supplier evaluation
- Disposition & sourcing of raw material (*excluding timber*), consumable materials and other goods to be purchased according to company needs
- Procurement controlling - statistics, price analyses and control of delivery times
- Identifying and analysing global procurement markets
- Taking into account economic, logistic and quality-related criteria
- Professional implementation of tenders, further price and contractual negotiations and conclusion of framework contracts
- Continuous development and documentation of sourcing processes and systems
- Ensuring availability of material and quality standards
- Ongoing optimisation of the inventory

### Your professional profile:

- Several years of experience and excellent knowledge of strategic and/or technical procurement of products & components within a producing business (*ideally timber, furniture or similar*)
- Business degree and/or a technical subject or a similar educational background
- Strong communication skills as well as excellent knowledge of German and English, written & spoken
- Comfortable with ERP-systems

### Your profile:

- Technical affinity
- Strong negotiation skills
- Willing to travel and living internationality
- Highly proactive, conscious of quality and responsibility
- Understanding of business processes and flexible approach to working hours

You will mostly be working at international production site - coupled with travel to an extent common for this type of work. From day one we will offer you an attractive salary and a management position in a highly diversified business. In addition our highly motivated management team, to which you will be reporting, guarantees a secure and tension-free working environment. You will have a company car and flat at your disposal so as to allow you to do your job.