Job Opportunities

Production Manager, SLIDEWAYS, Worcester, MA

<u>SLIDEWAYS</u>, <u>Inc.</u> believes that whatever service means to our customer, it matters to us. We are a leader in the manufacture of plastic components for mechanical wear applications specializing in machined plastic components used in conveyor systems, packaging machines, pharmaceutical and food processing equipment.

The Production Manager, reporting to the President, is responsible for managing the low volume, high mix production environment. The successful candidate will lead the production and warehouse personnel to ensure all Safety, Quality, Cost and Delivery objectives are met. In addition, the production manager will interface directly with the sales team to ensure business growth targets are achieved. This position requires strong leadership, ability to coach others, and a willingness to go the extra mile to achieve results.



Responsibilities

- Monitor KPI's and take action to improve performance
- Implement Lean manufacturing principles
- Develop production and warehouse schedules
- Assess employee skills and identify critical skill gaps
- Develop and deliver training to close those skill gaps
- Identify and implement process improvements
- Manage the ERP system
- Work within an ISO quality system (not certified)
- Manage raw materials and inventories
- Recommend tooling and capital equipment purchases

Requirements (Skills, Knowledge, Experience)

- Strong understanding of and experience in applying Lean manufacturing principles
- Excellent interpersonal, leadership, and collaborative skills
- Demonstrated analytical skills financial, technical, and project management
- Ability to write reports effective internal and external communications
- Solid understanding of machining equipment and manufacturing processes
- Proficiency with ERP Systems
- Training knowledge and expertise
- Experience managing within an ISO environment
- Professional experience in increasing levels of responsibility in a manufacturing environment
- Quality Certification/Training a plus
- Bachelor's degree in engineering or a technical discipline preferred

Slideways offers a family friendly work environment, competitive salary and bonus, health benefits, including 401k, profit sharing. If you have the right mix of skills and experience to join our team, we look forward to hearing from you.

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