



## Production Engineer

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**Job Title** Production Engineer II (Shearing & Cutter Cell)

**Job Type** Full Time, Permanent

**Salary** Competitive

**Location** Office/Factory based

**Reports to** Head of Engineering

Lister has set the standard for reliability and quality through engineering innovation by working with leading grooms, shearers and farmers around the world, listening to market feedback and studying the way in which our products are used. In 2002, Lister was bought by Wahl Clipper Corporation that began an investment programme to support Lister in continuing to produce world class clipping and shearing products. Lister's Headquartered is based in Stonehouse, England, Lister has a team of over 75 employees and distributes to over 60 countries both directly and through the Wahl subsidiaries around the World.

### Production Engineer II

As a Production engineer on site, you will provide technical expertise for all things manufacturing/production engineering including continuous improvement initiatives, standardising processes, optimising performance, documentation and reducing costs.

### Key Responsibilities:

- Provide technical support to the manufacturing team on the processes, systems and documentation required
- Build and maintain strong professional relationships and establish strong feedback loops between production, quality, NPI, design and customer service teams
- Ensure that process routings are routinely checked and updated to reflect new and revised processes
- Support NPI, production documentation and new initiatives throughout the year
- Evaluate existing manufacturing processes and workflows to identify areas that could benefit from changes and improvements
- Delivering technical engineering solutions to tight deadlines
- Reviewing and redesigning tooling, jigs, and fixtures to constantly improve performance and minimise waste, change over times, etc.
- Troubleshooting and resolving manufacturing challenges
- Proposing and advising future on future capital investment, including justification of financial outlay against payback schedules.
- Refining manufacturability for new products introduction and embedding new processes
- Working with machine tooling suppliers to ensure smooth introduction of new equipment into the business
- Designing bespoke tooling and working with tooling reps to select best tooling



### **Skills and experience:**

- Demonstrate a logical approach to problem solving and root cause analysis and countermeasure.
- Strong planning and organization skills, embracing change.
- Project management skills and the ability to balance short-term firefighting with long term improvement projects
- Have experience of undertaking projects which improve the efficiency of a process.
- Have experience of setting and programming a variety of CNC machines.
- Experience using Siemens NX software would be advantageous
- Strong ability to run projects from cradle to grave
- A strong hands-on background within manufacturing/production/process engineering roles
- Experience in automation of manufacturing processes
- Evidence of continuous improvement/lean initiatives and/or projects leading to improved efficiency, capacity, or cost savings (Six Sigma / Lean qualifications would be beneficial)
- Experience within high-volume manufacturing.
- Experience, and the willingness to have a hands-on approach

### **Desirable requirements**

- Experienced in Lean Manufacturing principles/5S.
- Have a broad experience of engineering design processes.
- Be a team player, comfortable working in a small team and building strong professional relationships.
- Have a proactive approach to work and be good at problem solving and suggesting new ideas.
- Have the ability to communicate effectively at all levels.
- Be flexible and keen to assist in a variety of ways on a variety of projects.
- Be confident and have a “Can Do” attitude.
- A multi-tasker and a finisher.

### **Education**

- Minimum HND or equivalent - a degree in Engineering or a related field is also desirable with 4+ Years manufacturing experience.

### **Apply**

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All applications are taken with the strictest confidence

