

Project Developer, Grid Scale Energy Storage

Gravitricity Ltd, Edinburgh

Gravitricity is an Edinburgh-based R&D company developing novel mechanical energy storage systems using solid weights to store electricity using gravity. Gravitricity has completed an above-ground 250kW Concept Demonstrator and is now working on full-scale project sites. Projects will be located in both existing underground mines and in new, purpose-sunk, shafts.

Job Brief

Gravitricity is working on multiple projects at varying stages of development, in the UK, Central Europe, South Africa and elsewhere. We are now looking to expand the Project Development team and are recruiting a Project Developer. We encourage applications both from qualified engineers and from non-engineers with relevant experience.

The new recruit will work on all aspects of Project Development from initial site suitability assessments through to consenting and contracting of project construction. The roll is varied and will include:

- Commercial analysis
- Partnership creation and management
- Stakeholder engagement
- Consents and planning work
- Contracting and negotiation
- Management of site assessment (working with partners)
- Management of site engineering work (working with Gravitricity engineering team)

Core Skills and Experience

- Degree educated with minimum 4 years relevant experience
- Excellent understanding of project development process, but also ability to think outside the box
- Proven record of finding creative ways to get things done, and ability to work on multiple projects at once
- Good communicator with excellent people skills
- Comfortable with Excel, Word and Powerpoint.

Beneficial Skills

- Specialist qualification or experience in one of the following would be useful but not essential:
 - Mining Sector
 - Land Management
 - Planning
 - Project Management
 - Civil Engineering
 - Law / negotiation



- Experience developing new mining infrastructure or energy grid infrastructure assets (wind, solar, battery, etc)
- Experience deploying novel technical projects – i.e. first- and second-of-a-kind projects requiring ability to adapt quickly to newly developing project requirements.

Benefits

- Chance to make a significant impact within a dynamic company developing a technology vital for the global energy transition.
- Competitive salary dependent on experience.
- Modern, flexible company: all staff given option to work 4-day week (pro rata).
- 6% employer pension contribution.
- EMI options scheme.
- Travel is likely to Central Europe, South Africa and/or within the UK.

Application

We are a small company, actively building a diverse and passionate team, and encourage anybody with enthusiasm and know-how to apply, irrespective of your background.

In order to apply please send a CV and a cover letter, explaining why you would be motivated to work with us to recruitment@gravitricity.com