

Role Specification

<u>Title</u>: Project Assistant

Grade: 10

Unit: Apprenticeship & Work Based Learning

Reporting to: Project Officer

Reference No: 389

Role Summary:

To assist in the Unit's operational and administrative functions and contribute in a positive manner to the work of the Unit.

Key Tasks and Responsibilities:

- 1. Supervise the work of clerical staff, where appropriate
- 2. Assist in the development and implementation of procedures for the Unit.
- 3. Support the implementation of assigned project objectives and goals.
- 4. Prepare weekly/monthly/quarterly reports and other Management Information requests
- 5. Provide Apprenticeship statistics when necessary.
- 6. Provide administration support at meetings.
- 7. Process purchase orders and payments relating to services and products.
- 8. Provide a high level of customer service to stakeholders.
- 9. Manage operational schedules/deadlines.
- 10. Support the requirements of stakeholders and follow-up on queries.
- 11. Support the administration and scheduling of apprentices.
- 12. Represent the Unit in a professional manner at meetings.
- 13. Keep up to date with the latest technologies and developments.
- 14. Undertake other duties as required by management from time to time.

Requirements:

Essential

- Has a clear understanding of the role
- Driven to ensure that tasks are completed to a high standard
- Flexible and innovative approach to work
- Proven track record in a busy working environment
- Excellent administration experience
- Problem –solving abilities
- Ability to plan, organize, monitor assigned tasks and meet deadlines
- Ability to play an active role in a team
- Excellent communication skills
- Able to represent Unit at meetings/workshops etc
- Knowledge of Microsoft Office Suite
- 3yrs plus experience in an administrative role

Desirable

- Strives to find the best solutions to achieve objectives
- Stakeholder engagement experience
- Knowledge of key SOLAS systems
- Has pursued, or is pursuing, qualifications in relevant area