



Innovation has always been the driving force at VAT since the company was founded 50 years ago. This has made us the world leader in vacuum valves and vacuum sealing technology. This pioneering spirit motivates us daily to meet our customers' requirements with enthusiasm. Together with our employees, we stand for passion, innovation and quality. VAT is headquarter is located in Haag (Switzerland) and employs approximately 2 000 people worldwide. It has production centres in Haag (Switzerland), Penang (Malaysia) and Arad (Romania) as well as a production facility in Xinwu (Taiwan).

Product Manager BU Display & Solar, m/f (100%)

As a person of action, you are ready to take responsibility for our product series '**Pendulum-/Control Valves**' (PV/CV) in our Business Unit 'Display & Solar'. Acting upon the maxim of 'Profitable Growth', you are defining the strategic development roadmap for our product portfolio with market-leading customers. We are aiming at technology and market leadership but also fulfilling our ambitious profitability targets at the same time. You are actively working in the processes of product development and take charge of product market introduction mostly in Asia.

Your responsibilities:

- identifying of market, technology and competitor's trends for PV/CV in PEVD/PVD/ Evap. and Dry-Etching applications
- Specifying of technical product requirements based on concrete customer demands and pain analysis
- Defining of portfolio strategy for PV/CV and rolling-out of individual product development roadmaps
- driving and supporting product development with business case, value-proposition, risk-management, etc.
- introducing new PV/CV products into the market together with local Sales, Marketing and Field-Application teams
- actively managing the PV/CV product portfolio - from market introduction to phase-out

Your qualifications:

- B.Sc. / M.Sc. in mechanical/electrical engineering, electronics or measuring and control engineering (Uni/FH)
- Min. 3 years working experience in product or business development in international high-tech industry
- Further education in innovation & technology mgmt., MBA or sales/marketing is advantageous
- Knowledge of vacuum and thin-film technologies in FPD/PV/LED industry are advantageous
- Fluent English language skills in speaking and writing

How we are:

- dynamic company, with a challenging and varied field of activity in which you can develop
- good training and a motivated team, so that you are successful and have fun in your new job
- flat hierarchies and short decision-making paths
- opportunity to contribute your own ideas for the development of the company

Strong entrepreneurial spirit, high level of engagement, the ability for strategic and solution-oriented thinking and acting as well as proactive and responsible teamwork complete your personal profile.

Ready for the challenge? Then we look forward to receiving your **application to Althaus Hans-Ulrich, h.althaus@vat.ch, 081-772-4147.**