

# NEXT SOURCING

## **Product Manager –Non clothing**

*Dhaka, Bangladesh*

*Product Development*

*2 years fixed term contract*

## **Next Sourcing**

We're so much more than just a British retailer. From Istanbul to Shanghai, our Sourcing teams live and work in some of the most iconic cities in the world.

They're at the heart of finding, developing and delivering the products our customers love, wear and use every day. Located across the globe, our Next Sourcing teams specialize in all different parts of the sourcing operation, from design and technology to product development. If you've always wanted to live and work abroad, this is the opportunity you've been looking for.

From identifying new trends to sourcing exciting new suppliers, our Product Managers are there to lend expert direction at every stage of the design process.

## **Your Role:**

The role is for **Product Manager (Product category: Swimwear, Lingerie, Loungewear etc)** based in Dhaka, Bangladesh on a 2-year fixed-term contract.

- Work with the UK Buying and Design teams to understand the needs of the Customer.
- Management and delivery of presentations, customer visits & buying trips, ensuring presentations are well prepared for and that visitors are always impressed.
- Stay updated with UK fashion trends and product directions within Next.
- Work closely with Fabric Sourcing to ensure that all key seasonal fabrics are delivered in season.
- Have a clear understanding of the product offer from the Country / Region to establish and implement strategies to achieve the sales target.
- Actively review supply base with Merchandising Manager and source new suppliers where necessary.
- Conduct supplier visits and share market intelligence to UK buying and design teams to promote territory capabilities.
- Set sales budgets together with Merchandising Manager for each relevant product category / department.
- Monitor status of sales against the budget on a continual basis and react as necessary.
- Work with the Merchandising and Technical teams within the local office to ensure the Product Offer is backed-up by excellent service and quality. In particular, development samples and price quotes must always be fast and accurate in line with Critical Path.
- Motivate and develop your team, evaluating and distributing workload to ensure this is balanced across the team members.
- Adapt to, and find the best way forward in new, changing or challenging situations while supporting the team to stay positive and motivated.
- Set impactful goals for your team that is aligned with the strategic directions of the organization.
- Perform duties as required by the company and according to company policy, to support the growth and prosperity of the business

## **About You**

With your previous design experience you will be looking for that next step in your career development and ready to take on new challenges.

You will be organized with good time management and planning skills. Alongside this you will be enthusiastic, motivated, dedicated and have excellent communication and negotiation skills.

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Creative, analytical and strategic thinking alongside the ability to problem solve are key to this role. Strong leadership skills and proven ability coaching a team will stand you in good stead for this role.

## Your Team

You will work with Development Merchandiser, Product Developer and report to Senior Product Manager/ Director

## Your Benefits

- Beneficial Tax Rates
- Company Bonus scheme
- International Medical Insurance
- Expat Club/GYM Membership
- 21 days leave Plus Public holidays
- Access to Driver and Car
- Home flight and Business trips
- Accommodation allowance
- Relocation allowance

## Apply Now:

If you would like to apply or find out more about the role, please contact:

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