

Wavin is a leading supplier of plastic pipe systems and solutions. As one of the longest established names in the market, Wavin built its reputation on over 60 years of high quality and innovation. Wavin connects customers to better solutions for above and below ground projects in the following application areas: water management, heating and cooling, water and gas distribution, waste water drainage and datacom. Wavin headquarters are located in Zwolle, the Netherlands and has presence in more than 20 countries and more than 30 manufacturing sites, mostly located in Europe. Wavin employs approximately 5000 people and has annual revenues of around € 1.1 billion.

Wavin is a subsidiary of Mexichem: a global leader in plastic piping and one of the world's largest chemical and petrochemical companies. Mexichem contributes through the Fluor, Vinyl and Building & Infrastructure Business Groups to global development by delivering an extended portfolio of products to high growth sectors such as infrastructure, housing, datacom and water management, among others.

For our European Business Excellence department we are currently looking for a

## Business oriented Master Data Manager

*Great opportunity for industry professionals or ambitious consultants with 2 years of experience*

The Master Data Manager is responsible for developing a business system which includes people, processes and IT solutions that collectively propels MDM quality and availability across all domains, including manufacturing, supply chain and sales.

To achieve this, the Master Data Manager will position itself as a strong business partner and will frequently interact with our executive board and senior management of operating companies. You will liaise with the IT department for the development, implementation and use of relevant IT tooling. Furthermore, you will work together with the MDM competence centre that is currently being established in the Shared Service Center in Poland. Lastly, you will prepare and participate in quarterly MDM Governance Board meetings in which Wavin's executive management reviews MDM progress and program proposals.

As this position will require travel up to 30% of the time you'll need to be a person that enjoys travel and meeting people. This role will give you exposure to different ways of working and will challenge you to deliver results across cultures and countries. You will be part of the Business Excellence Department implying that you will be part of a young, professional and ambitious team whose way of working is characterized by flexibility, drive to get things done, creativity, team mentality, high pace of work and fun. You will report into the Head of Business Process Excellence, located in the Head office in Zwolle, The Netherlands.

### Tasks & Responsibilities

- Define, champion and communicate the Wavin Master Data vision across the company
- Define and lead the MDM Governance structure & MDM community within Wavin
- Liaise with and support operational and commercial managers across Europe with master data challenges
- Support IT with business orientation & drive IT tooling adoption by the business
- Developing maturity roadmaps for MDM across the businesses
- Identify, build support for and lead MDM improvement programs within all business areas across 20+ countries
- Put in place local and group continuous improvement systems in the field of MDM
- Visit operating companies for training, improvement support, coaching, auditing
- Build the MDM network across the global Mexichem business in all continents

### Profile

The successful candidate is likely to resemble one of two different type of professional backgrounds. Both type of profiles will find very attractive career opportunities within and outside of the Business Excellence Department and in local, European and/or global roles. Common to both profiles is the ability to simplify complex and interdependent processes.

### Experienced Industry Professional

As an experienced industry professional you bring with you relevant experience, seniority in this role and practices that you can immediately apply. Successful candidates will typically have the below characteristics:

- Bachelor (Bsc) in relevant field, Master (Msc) preferred
- Proven success in an international business environment
- Proven success in leading complex change projects
- Experience in a matrix organisation
- Minimum 7+ years of relevant working experience, of which preferably 3-5 years in supply chain, IT, finance, operational auditing or other relevant roles
- Experience in master data position
- Understanding of main end to end business processes (Demand2Supply, Order2Cash, Procure2Pay, Release2produce etc),

### Experienced Consultant

As an experienced consultant you bring with you the ability to analyse complex matters quickly, synthesize solutions and iteratively test the best approach going forward. You are goal focussed, have a structured yet creative way of working and employ fact-based decision-making. Successful candidates will typically have the below characteristics:

- Eagerness to learn
- Great drive to get things done
- Great change management, communication & influencing skills
- 2 -3 years of experience in top quartile consultancy environment
- Client base in international manufacturing and/or supply chain
- Experience in process improvements and harmonization and/or data analytics
- Leading role in complex assignments, experienced in dealing with senior management
- Experience in international business

### **Wavin offers**

We offer you a challenging and broad position in an international environment. Thanks to the global footprint of Mexichem, you will have the opportunity to work together with colleagues from North and South America, Africa, Asia and Europe. You will work in an informal, no-nonsense culture. To support your development, we offer coaching and training programs. Moreover, we offer a complete and attractive compensation and benefit package.

### **Interested in an international career?**

If you have questions or you want to know more about the position, please contact Bauke Vollebregt, Head of Business Process Excellence via +31 6 20303552 and [bauke.vollebregt@wavin.com](mailto:bauke.vollebregt@wavin.com). To apply, please follow this link:

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