

## Production Operator (Sewing Machinist)

**Location:** Bridgend

**Contract Type:** Permanent

**Hours:** Full Time, 36 per week

**Salary:** £11.33 Per Hour

**Benefits:** Pension Salary Sacrifice Scheme, Life Assurance, Cycle to Work Scheme, Company Sick Pay, Corporate Eyecare vouchers

### About the Role:

Reporting to the Section Leader, the Production Operator's duties include the carrying out any job in the factory for which you have been trained, or are competent to perform, relating to the production of IrvinGQ products.

You may be required to train others in the skills that you are assessed as competent to perform.

### Production Operator Primary Responsibilities:

- To undertake manufacturing tasks assigned by the Section Leader or Delivery Manager
- Achievement of efficiency targets
- To record relevant information to ensure lot traceability
- Correct booking of daily timesheets.
- Keep all working areas clean/tidy and organised
- Ensure minimum downtime is achieved on all jobs
- To adhere to set quality standards
- To adhere to health and safety guidelines

### Production Operator Requirements:

#### Essential Qualifications and skills

- Previous experience in the use of industrial sewing machines; including single needle; zig-zag; bar-tack; twin needle; 4 needle; automatic; adler; over-locker
- Setting up of machines, threading and cleaning, understanding of stitch requirements for different threads (tensions) and ability to change a needle
- Previous experience gained as an industrial machinist (minimum 2 years), with an understanding of the importance of achieving quality standards and efficiency targets
- Ability to accurately follow a Manufacturing pack
- Assembly of component parts, both fabric and metal (buckles, D rings etc) to complete finished product

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- Good level of manual dexterity with the ability to use industrial sewing machines to their full extent and other sewing related equipment where required to do so
- Ability to read MPI's (Manufacturing Process Instructions) and training guides
- Able to work effectively as part of a team, demonstrating strong interpersonal skills and communication skills
- Attention to detail and ability to work to high quality standards
- Able to work with minimal supervision

## Helpful skills and experience

- Previous manufacturing experience (minimum 2 years) within a Textiles industry
- Level 2 NVQ in PMO (performing manufacturing operations) or equivalent is desirable but not essential Experience of certification/qualification testing and trials.

## Our Benefits Include:

- Pension Salary Sacrifice Scheme.
- Life Assurance Scheme.
- Company Sick Pay Scheme.
- Tea & Coffee provided.
- Onsite parking.
- Corporate Eyecare vouchers.
- Cycle to Work Scheme.

## About Us:

IrvinGQ is a world-leading supplier of parachutes, aerial delivery systems and naval decoys to customers around the world. We create innovative products that our customers know they can rely on in highly challenging conditions where there are no second chances. Our systems must work right first time, every time. If you want to be part of a collaborative and supportive team that helps customers achieve their goals through great engineering that stands out from the crowd and are looking for your next challenge, then we want to hear from you.