



Job Specification

Title:	Head of Future Energy Networks
Reporting to:	Director Digital
Job Purpose	<p><u>Strategic:</u> Understand and promote the future market opportunities for the sector including grid flexibility and smart systems and provide thought leadership to members to help them maintain and develop their respective markets</p> <p><u>Operational:</u> Delivering value to members and representing industry interests by ensuring development and delivery of effective relationships, activities and programmes</p>
Key tasks:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand and promote the benefits to members arising from new markets • Working with members to address issues of relevance to the portfolio in the interest of members. • Establishing, developing and maintaining collaborative relationships with relevant external stakeholders, including: related Government departments, other Trade Associations and NGOs with the objective of positioning BEAMA as the lead authority for all matters relating to the Portfolio • Providing effective facilitation and management of meetings and activities • Coordination of all portfolio projects and activities as directed by the members • Preparation and management of the portfolio budget to include budget setting, forecasting, fee income, debt recovery, etc • Working collaboratively and effectively with other BEAMA managers to ensure the needs of the portfolio and its members are met • Representing BEAMA at internal and external events, conferences, seminars, meetings, etc as appropriate and to provide a conduit for associated information flow into BEAMA and the relevant portfolios
Key performance indicators:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member satisfaction with the services provided and the value delivered from their membership of the respective product groups • Recognition by the members of the portfolio product groups as being the primary representative industry body and interface for the relevant Government departments and other organisations • Successful financial management of portfolio revenue and expenditure to ensure sustained financial stability and achievable growth in membership and revenue • Delivery of annual personal performance objectives as agreed with line manager
Person spec: E = Essential D = Desirable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (E) Strategic thinker who recognises the future opportunities for the industry • (E) Proven networking and relationship development skills • (E) Excellent written and verbal communication skills • (E) An ability to quickly absorb knowledge related to unfamiliar products and systems • (E) Excellent organisational skills and managing multiple stakeholder relationships • (E) Ability to influence others (internal and external) • (E) Experience of working in a energy utility market environment • (E) Self-motivated and reliable • (D) (D) Proficient in use of common business software, CRM and web-based working skills
Terms:	Circa £50,000 per annum (plus benefits) dependent on experience. Either London based or remote working (up to 3 days per week)

Future Energy Networks – Portfolio description

The newly formed Future Energy Networks portfolio covers all the BEAMA member activities in electricity grids and metering. The grid technologies cover all types of electricity transformers, electrical switchgear, integration of renewable generation, grid automation, communications systems, cyber security, energy systems, DSO plus mandated smart metering equipment.

The portfolio manager will work closely with the portfolio manager for Flexible energy systems (connected homes, energy storage, EV and EV infrastructures, energy displays and customer energy management systems) under the direction of the Director Digital.

Current live issues include:

- Networks campaign on network investments for the low carbon future, and the essential role of the UK based supply chain.
- The replacement of SF6 gasses in network switchgear and associated strategy and engagement
- Cybersecurity of electricity networks
- Grid flexibility for demand side management and renewables
- Future networks and the DSO transition
- Successful roll out of mandated smart metering equipment in all UK homes
- Continued interoperability with mandated customer energy displays

The Portfolio includes representation in European groups, primarily T&D Europe

Applications should be emailed to Andrew.willman@beama.org.uk by the 6th December including a CV and Cover Letter. Any interested applicant is also invited to contact Andrew.willman@beama.org.uk to discuss the role.