



ELIQUO WATER GROUP bundles the European activities of SKion Water GmbH in the field of municipal water and wastewater treatment. We are looking for an experienced IT Group Manager to join our team and help us further develop our IT function with focus on enhancing our cybersecurity awareness and setup.

IT & Cybersecurity Group Manager (w/m/d)

Location: Bad Homburg, Nellingen or Grafenhausen, Germany

Job Description

We are seeking a highly skilled **IT & Cybersecurity Group Manager** with a strong background in information technology, service & support, network administration and cybersecurity. The ideal candidate is highly motivated, willing to learn, and is keen to get involved directly across all areas of IT and cybersecurity within the various operating companies of ELIQUO in Germany and North-West Europe. The successful candidate will be responsible for setting up the group level Cybersecurity strategy, in close cooperation with the Chief Information Security Officer of SKion Water and drive the implementation of processes and technology solutions in the operational companies that align with our business objectives. They will also ensure the security of our digital assets. This in close cooperation with the local IT staff in the operating companies.

Responsibilities

- Develop and implement IT policies and best practices.
- Oversee cybersecurity operations, performance, standards, and systems implementation, ensuring the protection of our IT environments.
- Conduct regular system audits; Prioritize and lead improvement initiatives.
- Lead the development of the group's cybersecurity roadmap.

- Manage and report on allocation of IT budget across the group.
- Develop service and procurement synergies wherever possible.
- Provide guidance, advice and leadership to the IT department and senior management.
- Collaborate with other departments and stakeholders to identify and fulfill system requirements.
- Plan, implement, and oversee IT projects.
- Ensure constant availability of technical resources, as well as service performance.
- Maintain and upgrade IT systems as needed.
- Handle business-critical IT tasks and systems administration as needed.

Requirements

- Bachelor's or Master degree in information technology, Computer Science, or related field.
- Proven experience as an IT Manager or Senior Systems administrator
- Excellent spoken and written German and English language;
- Excellent general knowledge of IT systems, network and infrastructure, and cybersecurity.
- Background in designing/developing IT systems and planning IT implementation.
- Solid understanding of data analysis, budgeting, and business operations.
- Superior analytical and problem-solving capabilities.
- Strong strategic and project management skills.
- Excellent organizational and leadership skills.
- Outstanding communication abilities, able to work effectively in an environment with different cultures.
- Possess a valid driver's license and availability/willingness for travel (within Europe)

How to Apply

Interested candidates are invited to send their resume to

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