

# Category Specialist – Transport & Warehousing (Europe)



Ormskirk, West Lancashire



45,000 – 55,000 per annum  
(dependent on experience)



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## WHO ARE WE?

The NSG Group is a global leader in glass manufacturing in three business areas: Architectural, Automotive and Technical Glass.

Our mission is to be the global leader in innovative high-performance glass and glazing solutions, working safely and ethically.

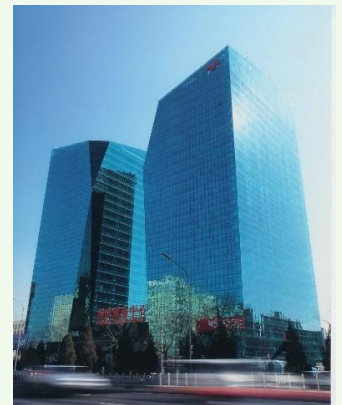
## THE ROLE

A vacancy has arisen for a Category Specialist within the transportation procurement team. The role reports to the Category Manager, Transport and Warehousing, Europe and is based at Lathom, with hybrid working.

The job holder will have direct commercial responsibility for a share of the 3<sup>rd</sup> party transportation and logistics spend across NSG.

### The key responsibilities of the role include:

- Implement defined global and regional category strategies and objectives within Europe and across selected countries within Transportation and Warehousing category.
- Support the Category Manager in developing a deep understanding of carrier financials, cost structures / models to leverage within negotiations.
- Participate in cross-functional category teams within NSG Group as required.
- Act as the prime commercial contact with suppliers across an area of responsibility within Europe.
- Negotiate supply contracts as required, working within the constraints of the established category strategy.
- Act as the prime contact with business stakeholders and the expert within Europe for the category in the prime areas of responsibility and support associated change programmes.
- Accountable for creating and achieving cost savings, cash flow improvements, capacity security, service performance, quality targets and ensure all savings are fully reported consistently within established Group reporting mechanisms.
- Identify and implement significant bottom-line cost savings, as well as introducing company-wide best-practice processes to drive maximum value from operational budgets and the supply base.



## WHAT ARE WE LOOKING FOR?

### You and your Skills

- Possess excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Highly organised and able to manage multiple projects simultaneously
- Results focused

### Benefits

- 37.5 hour per week, Monday-Friday 8.30 am – 5.00 pm
- 25 days holiday plus declared public holidays plus the option to buy up to an additional 5 days per year
- Management Bonus scheme – up to 20% of basic salary, not guaranteed
- Pension Scheme (DC)
- On site free car parking
- Staff restaurant

A full UK driving licence and car ownership would be an advantage due to limited public transport to the site.

*If you believe you have the skills and abilities we need, and are up to the challenge, we very much want to hear from you!*

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