Job Title: Procurement IT Innovation Manager

Location: UniOps Bangalore

ABOUT UNILEVER:

Unilever is a global Fast-Moving Consumer Goods company. We are already on target to achieve our huge ambition to double the size of our business globally whilst reducing our environmental impact. We are growing our business and also doing what is right for our consumers, community and environment. We are developing brands for people's lives today and for the changing environment tomorrow - making sustainable living commonplace.

UniOps provide professional services for Unilever and therefore is critical in supporting Unilever's Compass strategy. The UniOps community consists of specialists' from IT, Finance, Workplace and the HR functions who work together to maintain, develop and create solutions that meet the needs of the business today and tomorrow.

Main Purpose of the Job:

Global Procurement is the organisation within Unilever focussing on direct & indirect procurement. The business process within Procurement span across sourcing, negotiations, contracting, supplier management etc.

Procurement Platform is a part of Global Supply Chain team within Enterprise Applications with roles & responsibilities spanning across:

- Business partnering with Procurement Business
- IT strategy & product roadmap
- Delivery of IT solutions from concept to landing,
- Support & BAU operations of the existing IT applications

Key accountabilities:

The role of the Procurement IT Senior Manager is to:

- Be responsible for the successful landing of the indirects contracting tool being developed on Docusign CLM by taking the project through the design, build, test and deploy cycles
- Liaise with the indirects and directs procurement community to solve any of their contracting problems through technology solutions
- Partner the ECC platforms in delivering key innovations across the contract to pay cycle
- Ensure the right quality of product goes out to end users by driving the right level of testing
- Participate and lead product design workshops bring in expertise from a technofunctional perspective
- Manage cost and timelines and liaise with technical delivery partners to ensure OTIF delivery well within assigned budget
- Set up and lead the support function for the systems delivered/landed

Experience and Skills Required:

- Strong functional knowledge of the Unilever Supply Chain
- Good technical understanding of on-premise and cloud(PAAS, SAAS) solutions
- SME knowledge in the contracting process in Unilever
- Strong communication and soft skills
- Ability to manage multiple stakeholders
- Ability to handle a multi-vendor ecosystem
- Good track-record in driving engagement while leading change
- Keen understanding of the support processes in Unilever and budget management principles
- Experience and cultural awareness to work in a global setting

• Demonstrates short-term operational clarity as well as long-term strategic vision

Qualifications:

• 5+ years of delivering key digital programs in complex organizations comparable to Unilever

Education: Masters Degree/MBA

Key interfaces

Major internal customers and external contacts:

- Unilever Procurement Business Buyers, Directors and team
- IT Platform/Enterprise Architect/Procurement
- External partners
- Other team members in same team specially within support teams