

# Senior Cluster Procurement Manager - Western Europe

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Czech Republic

## Summary

Senior Cluster Procurement Manager for Western Europe

Location: Prague, Czech republic or Ljubljana, Slovenia #LI

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In the role, you will be responsible for Indirect procurement categories (for manufacturing sites). You will be the main procurement contact for manufacturing sites in Belgium, France, Netherlands, and Spain. In the role you will also be implementing the global Procurement strategic goals on country level for your area of responsibility and successfully managing relevant KPIs in regards to productivity, compliance metrics, processes, customer satisfaction and people development. You will be managing a small team.

Very important part of the role is to successfully manage and develop relationships, to drive value for your business.

Categories: Production Design and Construction, Production Equipment, Machinery and Supplies, Facility Management, Cleaning Agents, Utilities, Laboratory Supplies and Equipment, Analytical services.

## About the Role

### Job Description

#### Key Responsibilities:

- Accountable productivity/cost efficiency targets for your area of responsibility.
- Ensure effective local implementation of global supplier strategies (e.g. implementation of strategic suppliers, contracting principles, execution of global/regional contracts).
- Manage quality of the cluster end-to-end Procurement process incl. compliance to policies, strategies, and processes. Support seamless integration of capability centres into the end-to-end process.
- Serve as key contact for stakeholders, building effective relationships of mutual trust and understanding.
- Executing the Source-to-Contract process including respective strategies, approaches and methods: Preparing and conducting fact-based negotiations. Adapting tactics from a broad portfolio of negotiation strategies to achieve results that support business and Procurement objectives.
- Manage local supplier landscape in their area of responsibility in line with business strategies & global

Procurement goals and strategies (e.g. payment terms, manage tail spend, local supplier management process).

- Ensure effective communication between the different Procurement functions, such as Operations, Capability centres, global/regional category management, compliance.

#### **Essential Requirements:**

- Bachelor degree required in Business, Engineering or similar; Master's degree preferred.
- Minimum 5 years of procurement experience in large multinational organization.
- 1-3 years of experience in managing people and team in an international environment.
- Experience in change management and leading through change.
- Ability to influence and manage senior stakeholders.
- Proven track record of successful supplier negotiation and management.
- Proven track record of delivering the saving target and bringing value add through procurement processes.
- Excellent spoken and written English is a must. Knowledge of either Dutch, French or Spanish is considered an advantages

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**You'll receive (for Czech Republic only):** Monthly pension contribution matching your individual contribution up to 3% of your gross monthly base salary; Risk Life Insurance (full cost covered by Novartis); 5-week holiday per year; (1 week above the Labour Law requirement) ; 4 paid sick days within one calendar year in case of absence due to sickness without a medical sickness report; Cafeteria employee benefit program – choice of benefits from Benefit Plus in the amount of 12,500 CZK per year; Meal vouchers in amount of 105 CZK for each working day (full tax covered by company); Public Transportation allowance; MultiSport Card. Find out more about Novartis Business Services: <https://www.novartis.cz/>

**You'll receive (for Slovenia):** Competitive salary, Annual bonus, Hybrid working schedule, possibility to work from home, Pension scheme, Employee Recognition Scheme, Expanded program for the promotion of health in the field of physical, mental and social well-being, Unlimited learning and development opportunities.

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#### **Višji nabavni ekspert za skupino držav – Zahodna Evropa**

**Lokacija dela:** Praga, Češka ali Ljubljana, Slovenija #LI-Hybrid

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**O delovnem mestu:**

Odgovorni boste za vodenje indirektnih nabavnih kategorij za proizvodne lokacije v Belgiji, Franciji, na Nizozemskem in v Španiji. Za proizvodne lokacije boste glavna kontaktna oseba, za vse zadeve vezane na nabavo. Odgovorni boste tudi za vpeljavo in globalnih nabavnih ciljev na raven države za svoje kategorije ter za doseganje globalnih strateških ciljev za svoje področje. Vodili boste manjšo ekipo nabavnikov.

Zelo pomembnem del, bo tudi uspešno upravljanje in razvijanje odnosov, ki so pomembni pri poslovanju z deležniki ter s ključnimi dobavitelji na vašem področju odgovornosti s ciljem povečati vrednost za Novartis.

Kategorije: Gradbeni inženiring in gradbene storitve; Oprema, deli in potrošni materiali za proizvodnjo; Upravljanje stavb; Čistilna sredstva; Energenti; Laboratorijska oprema s pripadajočimi potrošnimi materiali; Storitve laboratorijskih analiz.

### **<b>Vaše ključne odgovornosti:</b>**

- Skrbeli boste za doseganje strateških nabavnih ciljev za svoje področje.
- Uspešno izvajanje globalnih, regionalnih in lokalnih projektov za kategorije, pri čimer boste morali usklajevati različne deležnike.
- Upravljanje kakovosti celovitih nabavnih procesov vključno s skladnostjo s politikami, strategijami in procesi. Nuditi podporo pri nemoteni integraciji servisnih centrov.
- Opravljati vlogo ključne kontaktne točke za proizvodne lokacije ter za dobavitelje za svoje področje. Sklepanje in ohranjanje učinkovitih odnosov, ki temeljijo na medsebojnem zaupanju in razumevanju – z namenom zagotoviti stroškovno učinkovitost.
- Izvajanje postopka od vira do pogodbe (Source to Contract), vključno z ustreznimi strategijami, pristopi in metodami: Priprava in vodenje pogajanj na podlagi dejstev. Uporaba ustreznih pogajalskih taktik za doseganje rezultatov, ki nudijo podporo poslovnim ciljem in ciljem v nabavi.
- Upravljanje in oblikovanje učinkovite odnose s ključnimi dobavitelji na svojem področju odgovornosti s ciljem zagotavljanje Novartis vrednosti s pomočjo stroškovne učinkovitosti in dostopa do inovacij
- Zagotoviti učinkovito izvajanje globalnih strategij dobaviteljev (npr. vpeljavo strateških dobaviteljev, pogodbenih načel, izvrševanje globalnih/regionalnih pogodb) na lokalni ravni.
- Upravljanje lokalnih dobaviteljev na svojem področju odgovornosti v skladu s poslovnimi strategijami in globalnimi nabavnimi cilji in strategijami (npr. plačilni pogoji, upravljanje tail spend dobaviteljev, postopek upravljanja lokalnih dobaviteljev).

VIDEO: splošni video EVP – Novartis life, Novartis mission (purpose), Imagine what you could do at Novartis (Careers), To be curious (Learning)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cqXyBimXbDI> (Stephanie)

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### **<b>Vaš doprinos k delovnemu mestu:</b>**

- Univerzitetna stopnja izobrazbe poslovne, ekonomske ali druge podobne smeri.

- Minimalno 5 let delovnih izkušenj s področja nabave v mednarodni organizaciji.
- Minimalno 1-3 leta izkušenj z vodenjem ljudi v mednarodnem okolju.
- Izkušnje z vodenjem med časom sprememb.
- Zmožnost učinkovitega upravljanja z različnimi deležniki, z namenom doseganja ciljev.
- Dokazane izkušnje s pogajaji.
- Dokazane izkušnje z ustvarjanjem prihrankov za organizacijo.
- Tekoče znanje poslovnega angleškega je nujen pogoj (ustno in pisno) Znanje bodisi Francoščine, Nizozemščine ali Španščine je prednost.

### **<b>Nudimo vam:</b>**

Konkurenčen plačni paket, letni bonus, hibriden način dela, možnost dela od doma, zaposlitev v podjetju s certifikatom TOP Employer, pokojninsko shemo, shemo nagrajevanja in priznanja dosežkov, razširjeni program promocije zdravja na področju telesnega, duševnega in družbenega počutja (Polni življenja) ter dogodke, neomejene priložnosti za učenje in razvoj.

### **<b>Zakaj bi se pridružili Novartis?</b>**

766 milijonov. Toliko življenj so se dotaknili naši izdelki v letu 2021. In čeprav smo na to dejstvo ponosni, vemo, da lahko doprinesemo več ter s tem izboljšamo in podaljšamo še več življenj.

Verjamemo, da lahko nove vidike, odgovore in rešitve najdemo z združitvijo medicinske znanosti in digitalne inovacije ter da je lahko raznoliko in vključujoče okolje navdih za nove načine dela.

Verjamemo, da lahko naš potencial raste in se razvija v kulturi, ki jo podpirajo opolnomočenost, integriteta, radovednost in fleksibilnost. In da lahko ustvarimo kar želimo, ko sodelujemo s pogumom in se ambiciozno lotevamo najtežjih zdravstvenih izzivov.

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Operations

Business Unit

Innovative Medicines

Location

Czech Republic

Site

Prague

Company / Legal Entity

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Alternative Location 1

Ljubljana, Slovenia

Functional Area

Procurement

Job Type

Full time

Employment Type

Regular

Shift Work

No

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