

AV Consultant – Job Description

The successful candidate will be responsible for audio-visual systems design on a range of challenging projects. You will work within our IT and audio-visual group and be based in our London office.

Focused on installed audio-visual systems, the role will also require knowledge and experience of ICT and control systems typically found in AV installations.

The role will include the preparation and co-ordination of audio-visual design advice for the development of projects across a broad range of market sectors. It will also require project management skills both during design and implementation phases.

Key duties and responsibilities:

Technical / Consulting:

- Engage with Clients to establish clear AV & IT Briefs and technology requirements
- Provide input into technology strategy documents
- Design & specify Audio Visual systems
- Coordinate & Manage the competitive procurement process
- Provide M&E, architectural & IT information to the professional team on the AV design
- Project Manage appointed contractors through project delivery including approving design submittals, site inspections, final commissioning & acceptance and client handover
- Oversee contractor off site testing works and AV system programming
- Assist in developing QA processes for managing implementation phases of AV & IT projects

Research / Technology & Innovation

- Lead research efforts into emerging technology and future trends and provide regular updates to directors and team
- Establish regular updates and briefings from key system manufacturers
- Explore areas of technology innovation and potential areas of service differentiation

Anticipated Person Profile (Essential Skills):

Experience in designing AV systems such as:

- Meeting rooms/ boardrooms / training rooms.
- Auditoriums.
- Public address systems.
- Video and audio conferencing.
- Digital signage / Public Information systems.
- Control systems / home automation.
- Television distribution - satellite, terrestrial, cable (traditional/IPTV).
- Key areas of experience include corporate office buildings, schools and universities, convention centres, hotels, high quality residences.
- Understanding of the latest digital systems (HDMI, DisplayPort, HD-SDI), content streaming.
- AutoCAD 20xx intermediate level.
- Microsoft Office.

Education: Degree level educated or relevant industry experience ideally with appropriate technology qualification such as Info Comm CTS-I / CTS-D

If you are interested, please email your CV to peter.davis@blend.co.uk and camila.villamizar@blend.co.uk

