

YOUR GAP YEAR IN OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT WITH ROCHE

Roche Diagnostics is a division of Roche. We develop and integrate diagnostic solutions that address the challenges of today and anticipate the needs of tomorrow. In more than 100 countries, we offer the industry's most comprehensive in vitro diagnostics solutions, covering molecular diagnostics, clinical chemistry and immunoassays, tissue diagnostics, point of care testing, patient self-testing, next-generation sequencing, and laboratory automation and IT, and decision support solutions. An important part of our success in transforming patient's lives sits with our Global Operations function. Our Diagnostic Direct Procurement (DOP) department plays a central role in making sure we can achieve that. Therefore, we are responsible for strategic supplier management and strategic procurement activities for finished goods and raw materials. Our vision is to be procurement entrepreneurs, with an ability to design and orchestrate an innovative, agile and sustainable supplier network. We are a global organization with colleagues based in Germany, Switzerland, the US, China and South Africa.

The Procurement Strategy & Change team focuses on driving organizational development to achieve the DOP vision. The team is involved in all strategy-related topics and ensures the alignment and continuous refinement of the DOP Strategic Roadmap. It drives effective communications for the entire DOP organization, capability building in DOP as well as further, cross-DOP topics (e.g. SRM).

As part of the gap year program at the University of Mannheim, we are offering the following position to be filled at our location in **Mannheim** by **autumn 2022**

Intern in Strategy & Change

Tasks:

- You will support the strategic initiative "Supplier Management" by further improving the process and providing the DOP organization with a seamless user experience in analyzing the status quo, designing and conducting virtual design workshops
- You will support our team focusing on global communications and knowledge management
- You will get to know our daily business by supporting in various tasks related to strategy and change, capability building and global projects

Required Profile:

- You have very good communications skills, an independent and structured way of working, a passion for design and see yourself as a team player
- You are willing to step out of your comfort zone but are also not shy to ask for help
- You are secure in MS-Office, especially in Word, Excel and PowerPoint and are familiar with Google applications
- You are proficient in English and not afraid of talking to international colleagues in person, via phone, video conference or email. German is appreciated but not required

Application details:

Please send your application for the gap year program to your main contact person by February 28th, 2022

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For more information on the gap year, see

<https://www.bwl.uni-mannheim.de/operations/lehre/gap-year/>