



IP Manager Stockholm, Sweden

THE OPPORTUNITY:

You have the opportunity to join a company which is at the forefront of the electronics industry, creating world-leading production solutions for this area, such as assembly and display manufacturing. Solutions that are turning countless innovations into reality. Whether it is an impossibly beautiful display, a life-saving medical implant or the next space technology. You join a company which has retained a culture of entrepreneurial freedom and independence in the pursuit of its growth, working for a customer base which is the 'who's-who' of the electronics world.

To support the strength of the business, innovation is at the heart of what defines the organization. Within the role of IP Manager, you will have the enviable position to continue the evolution of the IP Department's activities, interacting across all aspects of the value-chain including research, development, commercial, and operations.

THE ROLE:

With over twelve percent of company revenue invested back into research and development – and with twenty-five percent of the workforce employed in research – it is evident that innovation is at the core of what drives the organisation. Coupled with this is the deep-grained importance IP has played in the company since its inception and the need for a centric IP culture.

The IP Department is located at the corporate headquarters in Täby, just to the north of Stockholm and reports into the Director Business Development. The impending departure of the current IP Manager has resulted in the need to hire a replacement.

YOUR EXPERIENCE:

- Ideally you will be educated in physics, electrical engineering or a related degree and have at least five years of experience in IP management in industry or private practice.
- Coming with in-house experience will be of benefit as you will quickly understand the daily challenges impacting the position. Conversely, the role would also suit someone who has worked for private practice in the capacity where the client-base has been direct and involved a good scope of close engagement from an advisory perspective.
- Familiarity with the full patent life cycle, from drafting through to post-grant matters, portfolio management and IP clearance as well as supporting due diligence, is desired. Experience with trademarks, IP-related agreements, licensing and litigation would be an advantage.
- You must be communicative and comfortable with engaging with the internal clients in direct business-related IP issues. You will be the face of IP and you will need to understand the business direction and provide solid patent support, be able to influence your internal clients and help enthuse and drive your colleagues.