

Blue Oak Energy is a commercial and utility scale solar electric project firm based in Davis, California. We are recognized internationally as one of the industry leaders in designing, planning, and managing the installation of some of the largest solar electric projects in North America. Our core mission is to develop as much high-quality photovoltaic generated energy as possible in our lifetimes.

We are currently seeking a talented and motivated **VP of Construction Management and Field Services**.

We believe that our employees are the current and future success of our company. Thus, we offer a fun, challenging and rewarding environment with competitive salaries, outstanding benefits and career development opportunities. You will be a part of a dynamic and dedicated staff of 30+ people. The environment at Blue Oak Energy is fast paced and energetic. We are anticipating national growth and are looking for people who are interested in growing with us.

Responsibilities:

- Lead day-to-day pre-construction, construction, field operations and PV system maintenance activities.
- Develop, maintain and ensure consistent practices for jobsite safety, subcontractor management, field operations, system maintenance and system commissioning.
- Supervise a team of approximately four or more staff members in the areas of pre-construction, construction management, vendor management, field operations and maintenance.
- Partner closely with the CEO, Engineering, Business Development, Human Resources and Construction staff to enhance and better integrate these functions.
- Proactively prepare and present progress reports before, during and after construction to assess progress and areas for continuous improvement.
- Consistently analyze job costing information, profitability and associated financial data in an accurate and timely manner. Clearly communicate job profitability and areas for improvement at key milestones during all field projects. Monitor progress and keep senior leadership abreast of the financial picture.
- Manage organizational resources in partnership with the engineering team; continuously collaborate with management to assess and build customer relationships.
- Leverage strengths of the current Finance, Business Development, and Engineering team members. Help to clarify roles and define responsibilities.

Qualifications

This is an excellent opportunity for a mature leader with ten or more years of construction and management experience, ideally beginning in construction and construction management, followed by experience gathering, evaluating, presenting, and reporting information to executive teams and external stakeholders.

- Minimum of a BA or BS from a four-year college or university in engineering, construction management or other related field; or equivalent combination of education and experience.
- Minimum of 10 years construction management experience with a Commercial Electrical, General Contractor or Commercial Developer.
- Electrical and/or general contracting experience. An advanced knowledge of electrical systems, construction practices and construction techniques is required.
- Knowledge and experience in playing a diplomatic role between employees, customers, vendors and various other key relationships.
- Demonstrated qualities of integrity, credibility, and fiduciary responsibility.
- Technology savvy with advanced computer skills. A demonstrated ability with MS Office, MS Windows and project tracking software is required.
- Keen analytic, organization, and problem solving skills, which supports our strategic company positioning versus simple field or managerial skills.
- Solid experience coordinating construction activities and managing reporting, budget and continuous improvement processes.
- Strong presentation skills.
- Ability to contribute to an amicable team working environment.

Application Requirements:

Only resumes submitted with a cover letter will be considered. References will be contacted for all final candidates.

Respond to: careers@blueoakenergy.com, with VPCM in the subject line

Start date: Aug-Sept 2010

Annual Salary: Competitive

Benefits: PTO, medical, dental, 401(k) and more.