

Project Lead skilled in Naval Architecture or Naval Architect with Coordination Qualities

1 Are we looking for you?

Unique and Interesting,

In this role, you will be involved in our design team as Project Lead and Naval Architect, working together in an international and diverse team of professionals. Your main focus will be on the *Project Coordination* and *Design Management* of our commercial projects, however, frequently you will be involved in technical challenges in naval architecture or research & development projects.

As Project Lead you will be responsible for the project progress, budget and planning, you will be in charge of the external communication and will take lead of the internal and external project team, occasionally the client's team and their co-makers. You will work closely with our in-house team of naval architects, hydrodynamicists and engineers to guard the technical quality.

The biggest quality you have to bring to the team is a passion for naval architecture and for the design of the ships we work on. Next to this, it is of importance you have a thorough knowledge in the field of naval architecture and the design process of a yacht, ship or boat.

Different and Challenging,

At Van Oossanen Naval Architects we work to the highest standards possible in our field. To achieve this, we believe communication is key: communication between the members of the design team, the multiple in-house disciplines and, most of all, our external clients and co-makers.

Where we strive towards market-changing designs, we believe we have to work together to achieve the same goal: the most efficient and comfortable ships and yachts possible, where a hydrodynamic issue can be solved by the structural design or a naval architecture challenge should be investigated to the smallest technical engineering details.

We are looking for a Naval Architect that doesn't scare away from an organizational challenge, is a highly communicative team player that keeps focus on the projects progress and quality.

Are you a Naval Architect and are you looking for a new challenge? Then please get in touch!



2 Are you looking for us?

Our Heritage,

At Van Oossanen Naval Architects we apply decades of expertise and experience to look at a boat, ship or yacht's design from every angle, to help our clients enhance its performance in every way possible. From hull form to energy-saving appendages, from shipyard construction methods to systems installation and overall project efficiency.

As you are an engineer yourself you won't be surprised to hear that we are driven by an insatiable curiosity to continually research, develop and experiment. This is why we spend over 20% of our time and resources on in-house research & development projects.

We look further ahead than just the early design or engineering phases, we continually examine all the requirements of our clients and consider the project as a whole. We have studied and researched virtually every aspect of vessel performance for over forty years. In this time, we accumulated a wealth of expertise relating to fluid dynamics and naval architecture.

Working Culture,

Our technical team consists of naval architects and engineers, hydrodynamicists and project leads. We believe the best results come from a well-balanced mix of backgrounds, ages, experience levels and nationalities.

To monitor and develop your professional growth we work with function profiles & competences on several levels for several career paths, allowing you to grow from junior towards Senior Specialist, Project Lead or beyond.

Within the technical team, the over-all project progress, planning and budgets are monitored by our *Manager Projects*, where the project quality is guarded by the *Team Lead*. The *Manager Projects* and *Team Lead* form the *Project Office*, who are tasked to support and manage the complete technical team.

Aside of the technical team, the Board of Directors are managing the daily business of the company together with our colleagues on public-relations, marketing, sales, office management, administration and finances.

The Atmosphere,

At Van Oossanen we have a common goal: continuous improvement, high efficiency and sustainable design. We do this in an open and communicative work environment where we actively encourage all team members to share their ideas and participate in design and innovation challenges.

To keep the team spirit high, we have an Employee Representation Committee (PVT) who have a continuous dialogue with the Board of Directors. A party committee ensures several company and team events are organised each year. Aside of this we spontaneous come together for a shared lunch, go for a walk during your break or go for some after work drinks.



3 What do we expect from you?

Knowledge and Skills,

We are looking for a candidate who:

- Has a bachelor's or master degree in Maritime Technologies.
- Has experience in a relevant position.
- Has experience with AutoCAD, Rhinoceros and the Maxsurf suite.
- Is familiar with the different aspects of project management, planning and budget.
- Has a keen interest in the naval architecture process of ship design.
- Is responsible, analytical, creative and flexible, with good communication skills
- Is able to work both in a team and as an individual
- Is fluent in English, both written and spoken
- Has a citizenship within a NATO member country. ([What is NATO?](#))

Working conditions,

You will start your work as a member of our Naval Architecture department. Depending on your experience, you will be scaled as a mediator or senior, required to carry out and take the lead in one or more projects.

For this job opening we are looking for candidates available for 0.6FTE to 1.0FTE, 24 to 40 hours a week, in return for a market confirm salary fitting your level of experience, regulated flexible working hour and 25 annual holidays in addition to the regular Dutch national holidays.



Procedure,

If you have any questions and/or like to apply for this opportunity please send your motivation letter and curriculum vitae to info@oossanen.nl and/or call the office on +31 (0) 317 451 573

Recruitment by commercial agencies in relation to this or other vacancies is not appreciated.