

Test Lead

Job Description

Reporting To:	Development Manager
Responsibility for Others:	Yes
Location:	Brighton
Hours of Work	Monday to Friday 9.00am to 5.30pm with 1 hour for lunch
Any Special Requirements	None

Overall Purpose of the Job:

Managing a team of testers (a mixture of manual and automation), all working across the suite of web applications. Building a robust quality gate within the organisation

Key Activities & Responsibilities:

- Line manager for a team of manual and automation testers
- Be a testing authority across the company
- Working with Scrum Masters to ensure team members are completing tasks in the appropriate time and to the necessary quality
- Understanding the business needs and processes which relate to any projects undertaken by the team

Qualifications and skills:

- 1 years' experience line management experience
- 1 years' experience as an automation tester
- Working within an Agile methodology (e.g. SCRUM, Kanban)
- Defining testing standards and strategies, ensuring those are followed
- Test execution and planning
- API testing
- ISTQB
- Jira or similar
- Selenium or similar

Desirable Skills/Experience:

- Financial Services
- SpecFlow
- Understanding of automation frameworks e.g. Data-Driven, Keyword-Driven.
- Experience working within the SAFe methodology

Personal characteristics:

- Highly motivated with an attention to detail
- Ability to motivate and lead others
- Strong analytical skills
- Excellent organisational skills
- Excellent interpersonal skills – works well with senior stakeholders, developers, product owners etc