



Victor Green & Company, Patent & Technical Information

Patent Information Analyst: Electronics

Location: United Kingdom

Work style: Remote working is standard with training sessions and meetings being held in London

Salary: Competitive salary depending on experience and qualifications, and annual bonus typically one month's salary

Working hours: Full-time

Job type: 1 year contract, renewable

Start date: April 2025, negotiable

Job description

We are currently seeking an Electronic Engineering, Telecommunications or Computer Science graduate or patent searcher to join this leading firm of patent information analysts. The post involves retrieval of patents and technical literature, and assessment of their relevance for patentability, validity and freedom to operate.

The work thus requires technical understanding, high vigilance and an imaginative approach to strategies for retrieving information from the world's vast patent and technical literature.

Training is given on the job, with the aid of short seminars or online courses from the main database providers, though experience in the use of patent databases, such as PatBase would be an advantage.

We divide our coverage of technology into four areas: Electrical and Electronics, Chemistry and Pharmaceuticals, Biotechnology and Life Sciences, and Mechanical and General.

This is a unique opportunity to be part of a close-knit search team working on a wide variety of projects. The successful Electronics candidate would be dealing with a broad range of topics including sensors and instrumentation, telecommunications, AI, computer software and hardware, fintech, medical devices, electric motors and pumps, and electrical power. It would be an asset if you could handle mechanical engineering subjects as well.

Degree requirements are a First or Upper Second Class Degree, a Masters or a Ph.D in a relevant subject. Qualified Patent Information Professional (QPIP) certification would be an advantage, but candidates wishing to further develop their career by attaining the QPIP qualification would be fully supported.

Candidates must have an eye for detail and the capacity for sustained accurate work to deadlines, as well as the ability to speak and write English fluently. Proficiency in French, German or an East Asian language is not required, but would be an advantage.