Experience report

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I'm Claas Wilke, 25 years old, and I'm currently pursuing a Master's degree at the University of Applied Sciences Stralsund.

How did you find us?

I became aware of ml&s through the positive feedback from my fellow students. They particularly highlighted the pleasant working environment, the close collaboration within the teams, and the resulting opportunities for both professional and personal development. Applying for an internship position was therefore the next logical step for me.

What area did you start in and what were your first tasks?

My journey at ml&s began in the Strategic Purchasing department. During my internship, I gained in-depth insights into various processes and activities within strategic purchasing. After a comprehensive onboarding period guided by a mentor, I independently took on responsibilities in request management. The core task involved evaluating all items of a customer bill of materials from a procurement perspective. This included, among other things:

- Preparing and structuring bills of materials (BOMs)
- Creating cost calculations and quotations
- Requesting, comparing, and selecting supplier quotations and offers

What are you currently doing?

As part of my working student position following the internship, I continue to support the Strategic Purchasing department in request management and independently manage projects within the RFQ (Request for Quotation) process. This role allows me to gain further practical experience while continuously developing my professional skills. In addition to the commercial aspects of my work, I have further expanded my technological expertise in the field of robotics during my Master's studies. Ml&s provides me with the opportunity to deepen this interest through my Master's thesis and, in the future, to contribute my technical knowledge to robotics-related projects within the company.

How did we convince you of us?

From the very beginning, ml&s impressed me as an employer through a wide range of positive aspects. In particular, the opportunity to take on challenging and meaningful responsibilities with a high degree of autonomy, combined with a pleasant working environment, has been highly motivating. The close and constructive collaboration within the department further encourages me to contribute my skills and expertise, continuously develop my capabilities, and grow together with ml&s. Additionally, the flexible working hours model and the option to work remotely provide the flexibility needed to successfully balance professional, academic, and personal commitments.

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