



## Operational Excellence Professional for CCPM (m/f/d)

### Job Description Summary

Today, Lonza is a global leader in life sciences operating across three continents. While we work in science, there's no magic formula to how we do it. Our greatest scientific solution is talented people working together, devising ideas that help businesses to help people. In exchange, we let our people own their careers. Their ideas, big and small, genuinely improve the world. And that's the kind of work we want to be part of.

Are you passionate about driving operational improvements and achieving excellence? Join our team in [Visp](#) as an **Operational Excellence Manager (CCPM)**, where you will play a pivotal role in optimizing processes and improving productivity in Small/Mid Scale Operations and Development Services.

#### Your Role

In this dynamic position, you will work closely with cross-functional teams to identify opportunities for improvement and ensure their successful implementation. As a key contributor for implementing Critical Chain Project Management (CCPM) as part of the divisional program you will drive improvement of schedule adherence and reduction of lost production time in Small/Mid Scale Operations and Development Services in [Visp](#)

#### Key Responsibilities

- **Process Analysis and Optimization:**
  - Analyze business processes along the value stream, identify improvement opportunities and create ideal processes for the product lifecycle
  - Develop and implement Critical Chain Project Management from the perspective of Theory of Constraints for Small/Midscale Manufacturing & Development Services and relevant stakeholders
  - Create and maintain the ideal business process in a suitable management tool
- **Cross-Functional Coordination and Reporting:**
  - Identify or define gates in the business processes to cross-validate the customer requirements as well as synchronize internal stakeholders at each stage and develop or adjust tools to enable implementation
  - Collaborate with teams across Visp, Nansha, Bend, and Tampa to ensure seamless system implementation and provide regular updates to senior management
- **Continuous Improvement:**
  - Proactively address identified gaps, risks, and improvement opportunities
  - Measure effectiveness of actions taken, derive specific measures and realize corrective actions if necessary

#### What You Bring

- **Education and Certifications:**
  - Degree in Chemistry, Chemical Engineering, Business Engineering, or a related field (PhD or MSc preferred)
  - Lean or Six Sigma Green Belt certification is an advantage
- **Skills and Experience:**
  - Fluency in German and English (business level)
  - Proven success in managing cross-functional projects and delivering results under pressure
  - Strong analytical skills and a structured approach to leveraging data for decision-making
  - Knowledge of Operation Excellence methods and tools such as value stream mapping, Theory of Constraints, PDCA etc.
  - Familiarity with cGMP regulations and pharmaceutical standards is preferred
  - Excellent interpersonal and collaboration skills to thrive in a matrix organization
- **Personal Qualities:**
  - A well-organized and independent professional who excels under minimal supervision
  - A change agent with the ability to drive a culture of continuous improvement

# Lonza

## What We Offer

Join a global organization committed to innovation and excellence. We provide:

- Opportunities to lead impactful initiatives
- A collaborative environment that values your ideas
- Continuous learning and professional development opportunities

If you are ready to make a significant impact in a role that values your expertise and innovative mindset, apply today!

Every day, Lonza's products and services have a positive impact on millions of people. For us, this is not only a great privilege, but also a great responsibility. How we achieve our business results is just as important as the achievements themselves. At Lonza, we respect and protect our people and our environment. Any success we achieve is no success at all if not achieved ethically.

People come to Lonza for the challenge and creativity of solving complex problems and developing new ideas in life sciences. In return, we offer the satisfaction that comes with improving lives all around the world. The satisfaction that comes with making a meaningful difference.