

Trainee CAD Technician

Come and Join Price & Myers

Want to work with a friendly group of professionals committed to great engineering? Get your teeth into exciting projects (and some more modest ones too) across the UK? Looking for an accommodating central London location, close to culture, food, drink and entertainment? We want to hear from you!

Price & Myers is a structural engineering practice, established by Sam Price and Robert Myers in 1978. Over more than four decades we've completed a huge range of projects, from Stirling Prize winners to domestic rear extensions. We are designers who help architects and clients bring their vision to life with elegant and efficient engineering. There are about 170 of us across our four studios in London, Oxford, Nottingham, and Manchester.

Studio Life

The engineers and support team at Price & Myers come from all over the world and all walks of life. We embrace diversity. We genuinely believe it helps make the practice stronger, and we strive to represent the communities we live and work in. We love the different thinking and diversity of ideas that comes from a broad range of backgrounds. Price & Myers is an equal opportunity employer, and we do all we can to accommodate different needs. There is a range of benefits on offer, including flexible working and shared parental leave, and our London studio is fully accessible.

Our studios are open, friendly places to work. Our Partners sit with their teams and are involved in every project, giving help, guidance and support. Wellbeing at work is vitally important and we promote healthy workplaces and offer mental health support. All of our studios are located centrally in their vibrant cities and the numerous good restaurants, shops, bars, pubs and theatres are within easy reach.

Job Role & Responsibilities

Drawings are the language of design, and our drawings are our main product. They are seen by nearly everybody we deal with. For many people, our drawings are the only contact they have with us. They are our 'shop window' and our competence is judged from them. The work of the CAD team can therefore have a huge influence on our reputation, and CAD trainees have a responsibility to ensure that we issue good quality information.

As a Trainee you will have the opportunity to work with architects and engineers to understand the requirements of their initial designs. You will also attend site to check the progress of work, to gain an understanding of construction, and how good, well organised drawings can help site work progress. Working within the CAD team, you will learn to produce detailed drawings in 2D and creative 3D models. Good communication skills will be essential to ensuring project deadlines are met.

Project tasks

You will carry out drawing work on all projects, supervised by an experienced CAD technician, looking to achieve the Price & Myers standards of excellence as a minimum.

Office Administration and Training

- Attend Wednesday lunchtime presentations and the Practice-wide Friday meeting
- Attend in-house CAD training, technical presentations and workshops
- Organise your own CPD and ensure you keep up to date with technical and CAD development, Health & Safety, and general construction industry issues.
- Aim to become a registered TIStructE member.

Skills

- High level of computer literacy
- Attention to detail
- High degree of accuracy
- Good communication skills
- Interest in the built environment

If you are interested in developing your career as a structural CAD technician, please send your CV and covering letter to tjones@pricemyers.com

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