

# Solution Design Engineer UK

Full-time | West Midlands,

## #Job Summary

We are seeking a Solution Design Engineer for the United Kingdom and Ireland. The primary focus of this role is to design tailored automation and intralogistics solutions on behalf of Dürkopp Fördertechnik (DFT). Our customers in the UK include Marks & Spencer, Next, Sainsbury's, Nike UK, Inditex (Zara), and others. DFT is a wholly owned subsidiary of KNAPP. The position is part of a small UK-based team with an office located near Leicester, working closely with the key account manager, as well as with colleagues at our DFT headquarters in Germany.

## #Key responsibilities

- Design customised automation solutions for warehouses and logistics centres
- Collaborate with UK and German teams to develop technical concepts and layouts
- Play an active role in the sales process by developing system layouts, material flow diagrams, costings, and presentations
- Travel to client sites across the UK and occasionally to our headquarters in Germany

## #Education & Experience

- Degree or qualification in mechanical, electrical, mechatronics, or systems engineering
- Minimum of 2 years' engineering experience, ideally in automation or logistics

## #Skills & Knowledge

- Proficiency in CAD software (AutoCAD, Vectorworks)
- Strong communication and problem-solving skills
- A proactive and team-oriented mindset

## #What we offer

- A challenging and interesting role in a fast-growing, innovative industry
- Opportunities for professional development
- A supportive team environment with a local office and strong collaboration with our German headquarters
- Competitive salary and performance-based incentives

## #Company benefits

- KNAPP will contribute up to 6% pension
- Private healthcare, including optical, dental and hearing cover
- Life Assurance
- Cash-back Health care scheme, including private medical excess cover
- Benefit portal offering lifestyle discounts
- Access Pinktum offering a wide range of training courses
- Employee assistance programme
- Ride-to-Work
- Employee referral scheme
- Employee of the Quarter awards

## #About the application process

- First online interview will be held with DFT key account manager in the UK
- The second interview are conducted in cooperation with KNAPP UK
- The contractual partner will be KNAPP UK