

PURCHASING MANAGER  
St. Paul, MN

COMPANY HISTORY:

Power/mation is a nationally recognized distributor specializing in advanced automation hardware and software products as well as solutions. We help our customers improve their manufacturing processes by assisting them in the application of unique automation solutions in the following technology areas: motion control, logic control, software, sensors, vision, safety, power transmission, panel components, and solutions.

Power/mation began in 1961 and has grown to multiple locations within Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska and the Dakotas. For more information, please visit our web site at [www.powermation.com](http://www.powermation.com).

RESPONSIBILITIES:

Power/mation is seeking a Purchasing Manager for our St. Paul office. The Purchasing Manager implements purchasing policies and procedures and supervises Buyers in order to maintain inventory levels to fulfill customer service level needs and to maximize company profit. The individual in the role is also responsible to creatively negotiate volume purchasing.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Requirements include high school diploma or equivalent, five years purchasing experience plus three years management background. Excellent management, leadership, communication and analytical skills are needed. Successful candidate will have negotiation skills to creatively negotiate with vendors. CPM and previous industrial distribution purchasing experience strongly preferred. Experience in EDI and INFOR desirable.

BENEFITS:

Medical and dental plan, life insurance with AD&D, long term disability, health savings accounts, health and dependent care reimbursement accounts, voluntary life insurance, voluntary vision insurance, 401k with company match feature, discretionary profit sharing plan, educational assistance, paid time off, paid holidays including birthday and service anniversary.

Qualified candidates may submit their resumes and cover letters to [marylou.groberski@powermation.com](mailto:marylou.groberski@powermation.com)



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