

Vacancy – Offshore Driller

Due to the ever-expanding growth of the offshore wind market, and our focus on renewable energy an exciting opportunity has come available for a contract position of Driller with Geotechnical Drilling experience on heave compensated vessels.

Job Summary

The Driller will operate the drilling in accordance with GM's Policies & Procedures and any clients program. Must lead by example & show visible demonstration of GM's Values and operate in compliance to all GM's Policies & Procedures.

Functions and duties

The duties assigned to the Driller will be varied; these will include but not be limited to the following:

QHSE

- Ensure all relevant safety procedures and practices are adhered to during drilling operations
- Report any incidents, potential hazards or abnormal situations to the Drilling Supervisor
- Drive the use by all personnel of the GM Integrated Management System (IMS) & Tools including Observation Process, Planning Process, PTW and etc.
- Participate in daily, weekly and all other necessary meetings
- Conduct Drilling operations safety drills as and when required
- Ensure a high standard of hygiene and housekeeping is maintained onboard the vessel
- Actively promote the Company's Vision and Mission
- Visibly champion the Company's Values of People, Planet and Client

Operations

- Perform the Drilling Departments daily checklists, i.e. QHSE checks, Derrick inspection, choke and kill manifold set up etc.
- Ensure DP procedures are known, checked and followed.
- Maintain accurate records of tubular and tool dimensions (i.e. internal and external diameter, fish neck and serial numbers).
- Participate in HAZID & HAZOP reviews & provide advice related to GM Operating Policies & Procedures.
- Maintain an organized drill floor free of safety hazards.
- Ensure accurate count of tubulars in the well as well as tubulars racked back on the deck.
- Read and interpret various gauges and meters relating to the drilling operations – assist the Drilling Supervisor in maintaining records and logs.
- Lead drill crews in pre-job meeting with the all operations on drill floor as well as third party personnel for all non-routine and routine drilling operations.
- B Assist with the preparation of equipment for impending drilling operations.
- Organize and supervise the drilling crews for all operations.
- Supply proactive written handovers on shift change.
- Ensure workable kick sheet filled in every shift and updated for current drilling phase.

- Shut the well in safely and efficiently at any signs of well control problems to minimize risk to crews and drilling rig.
- Plan and conduct Preventive Maintenance carried out on drilling equipment.
- Assist in repairs on drilling and associated equipment.
- Record accurate volumes of all drilling fluid including displacement volumes on tripping/drilling operations. Notify Drilling Supervisor of any discrepancies immediately.
- Monitor mud systems and mud mixing operation.
- Follow standing instructions from Drilling Supervisors and inform them in a timely basis if variance of instructions has to take place.
- Ensure and no safety systems are overridden or locked out with following correct process and notification.
- Know the Client's rules and Company procedures for well control and blowout prevention.
- Support Drilling Supervisor in achieving rig goals & company expectations.
- Create, review and revise procedures and work instructions.
- Create and work with the Geoquips digital checklist format for operations.

People Development

- Assist in training to ensure all subordinates are competent to perform their current role.
- Mentor, develop and train crewmembers with the goal to helping them achieve competency at the next job level above.
- Provide leadership and motivation to the drilling crews.
- Promote and maintain a good working relationship with other departments, third party personnel and Client Representative.
- Carry out regular crew evaluations with new personnel and yearly appraisals.

Other Requirements

Must pass Company Medical Examinations & random drug and alcohol tests. This includes client and/or country medical requirements.

Qualifications and Experience

- Experience in Drilling Industry > 5 years
- Experience in heavy compensated drilling >2 years
- Compliant with other Geoquip Marine (GM) critical Training Courses
- Computer literacy to facilitate daily reporting requirements
- Completed GM Competency program for position of Assistant DrillerWe offer competitive day rates.

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