



**Role:** Interconnector Operations Maintenance Engineer  
**Area:** Gas Networks Ireland  
**Sub-Area:** Asset Operations  
**Location:** Cork / Dublin

**Duration:** Permanent      **Salary:** Competitive      **Ref:** GNI153

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Ervia is a commercial semi-state company which provides strategic national gas and water infrastructure and services in Ireland. Through our regulated business, Gas Networks Ireland, we build and operate one of the most modern and safe gas networks in the world. In 2014, we took responsibility for the operation and maintenance of Ireland's water and wastewater assets through our other regulated business Irish Water. Ervia directly employs over 1,600 people who deliver services to 1.6 million customers daily. We are guardians of the national assets and experts in our field. Our infrastructure supports economic and social development, protects the environment and enhances the health and quality of life of the Irish people.

### **Background:**

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The Asset Operations function within Gas Networks Ireland is responsible for the construction, operations and maintenance of the Transmission and Distribution networks, executing all field work safely and efficiently in line with all relevant legislation, standards, industry codes and practices.

### **The Role:**

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The Interconnector Operations team within Asset Operations is responsible for the safe and efficient operation and maintenance of the South West of Scotland, Northern Ireland, Isle of Man, Sub-Sea and Midleton transmission pipelines, compressor stations and Networks. Reporting to the Interconnector Operations Manager, the Interconnector Operations Maintenance Engineer is responsible for the coordination and programming of planned and unplanned maintenance required in each area. The role will manage the co-ordination of delivery and performance reporting for Midleton, Northern Ireland, Sub Sea and South West Scotland Systems planned and unplanned maintenance. The role will provide the key operational interface with the appointed Contractor working on GNI's behalf. The role is based in Dublin / Cork and will involve travel.

### **Duties and Responsibilities:**

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- Review of planned maintenance results and liaison with Asset Management on completion of opex programs.
  - Assisting in resolving unplanned maintenance activities and monitoring to completion.
  - Maintaining Interconnector Netpoint site.
  - Point of contact for resolving field based equipment issues and resolving with GNI IT.
  - Follow up on actions arising from audits and inspections.
  - Managing CO2 verification process for Midleton, Beattock and Brighthouse Bay Compressor Stations.
  - Acting as Process Controller at Midleton Compressor Station on a rota basis.
  - Assisting with preparation of Inline Inspection NROs and documentation.
  - Ensuring Work Instructions and maintenance documentation are regularly reviewed and in line with internal document control requirements.
  - Interfacing with the Asset Integrity team on behalf of the Operations team highlighting and escalating issues/concerns as appropriate.
  - Coordinating operational activities in line with GNI UK Health, Safety and Environmental requirements.
  - Liaison with planning of capital programmes to ensure minimal impact on planned maintenance activities.
  - Escalation point for field operations issues within the team.
  - Raise risks and issues as appropriate.
  - Performing other duties as assigned from time to time.

## **Knowledge, Skills and Experience:**

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- Proven technical competence is essential– Engineering degree or other relevant qualification desirable.
- Minimum of three years relevant experience working with natural gas.
- Excellent interpersonal and leadership skills including liaison with stakeholders and the ability to influence, advocate and persuade.
- Knowledge of relevant Gas Standards, Codes of Practice and Statutory Requirements.
- Familiarity with maintenance management systems including Maximo and their field application a benefit.
- You will be a strong team player and have a demonstrated ability to bring teams together.
- You will be a natural collaborator seeking out opportunities to share knowledge and improve results.
- You will have a clear communication style and will be able to influence others effectively.
- You are comfortable with change and have a demonstrated ability to identify opportunities for improvements and efficiency
- You have demonstrated a commitment to developing new skills in yourself and others.
- You are results focused and have a track record of getting results through others.
- You are comfortable with making and taking appropriate decisions.
- You are committed to providing excellent customer service and have a track record of delivering excellence through others.

**The closing date for receipt of applications for this vacancy is 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020**

Applications, including a current Curriculum Vitae should be emailed to: [recruit@ervia.ie](mailto:recruit@ervia.ie)

**\*Please include the Reference Number for this Role when making an application\***