Manager, CHESS Replacement Project

ASX Position Description

ASX “All Roles Flexible”
ASX offers mutually beneficial flexible working arrangements.
We recognise that employees need to balance work and personal lives.

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<th>ASX Opportunity Snapshot</th>
<th>What’s On Offer</th>
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<td><strong>Role:</strong> Manager, CHESS Replacement Project, Equity Post Trade Services</td>
<td>The CHESS Replacement Project offers a once in a generation opportunity to contribute to the development of the most significant commercial Distributed Ledger Technology (DLT) initiative globally. This role is dedicated to the project while being part of the Equity Post Trade Services (EPTS) team as a business unit within the Business Development division. This team has P&amp;L responsibility for cash equities clearing &amp; settlement and the creation of new revenue opportunities.</td>
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<td><strong>Reports to:</strong> General Manager, Equity Post Trade Services</td>
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<td><strong>Budget:</strong> n/a</td>
<td>The role encompasses product management, product development. CHESS and related system replacement activities.</td>
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<td><strong>Team:</strong> Equity Post Trade Services</td>
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<td><strong>Date:</strong> May 2018</td>
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<td><strong>Location:</strong> Sydney, NSW</td>
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<td><strong>Flexible Role:</strong> Yes</td>
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What you’ll do:

- Primarily act as a Subject Matter Expert (SME) on the CHESS Replacement Project. Being an SME entails acting as a key source of business knowledge in the post trade equities business for the business analysts in the project team. This knowledge and experience would have been gained through holding key roles in an exchange or exchange participant where there was detailed involvement in the equities post trade business processes.

- The CHESS system powers the bulk of EPTS functions and associated revenues. The ASX is partnering with Digital Asset using DLT as the replacement technology for CHESS. See the recent consultation paper released to the market [here](#). This project requires work and behaviours consistent with an agile, start-up mindset where anything that needs to be done is done to the best of your ability.

- Product management, included but not limited to: coordination and participation in client meetings, project participation, regulatory & rule discussions, industry engagement with clients and associations and other business development activities

- Product development, included but not limited to: new and enhanced product definition, industry and regulator liaison, subject matter expertise provision, ideas creation and critical analysis of these and participation in software development life cycle (SDLC) activities

- Personify EPTS and the ASX through demonstration of the most professional conduct with the very highest degree of integrity, accuracy and goodwill in all aspects and dealings with clients, stakeholders and the community in general
• Proactively assist colleagues, clients and stakeholders by way of engagement, education and problem solving with a view to improving the security, accuracy and certainty of our services
• Drive and/or participate in the creation, evolution and documentation of well structured, high quality business requirements in both group and individual modes of working
• Actively participate in the project process with particular emphasis on the CHESS replacement project and related activities
• Participate in conferences, forums and industry events as and where necessary to showcase the ASX’s services and propositions for our clients, current and future

What you’ve done:
• Developed a solid understanding of local financial market operations across financial products, capital raisings, wealth management, retail, wholesale and institutional markets and emerging trends
• Experience in operations, technology or management of ASX clearing, settlement or trading participants; share registries or custodians
• Experience in dealing with ASX Operating, Listing and Settlement Rules issues and an understanding of the Corporations Act and legal issues associated with financial products and participants
• Developed and maintained strong customer and stakeholder relationships to improve service delivery and P&L outcomes
• Excellent written and oral communication skills and public speaking experience
• Tertiary qualification relevant to the role or experience
• Enhanced your inherent “can do” and “get stuff done” attitude and its effective application to the realities of the corporate world

And if you’ve got some of this, even better:
• An indefatigable, friendly, positive attitude all with a good sense of humour
• Experience with pricing and proven commercial negotiation skills
• Strategic mindset with a track record of delivering operational and commercial success

What you need to enjoy and be good at for this role:
• You value honesty, integrity, punctuality, initiative and satisfaction from helping others
• A customer first focus
• A proactive self-starter with great self-organisation skills
• Results driven with a passion for innovation
• Working under pressure and managing competing priorities
• Building a rapport and working effectively with people regardless of their status or position
• Comfort dealing with C suite executives