

Pension Investment Manager

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The Linde Group is a world leading gases and engineering company with almost 50,000 employees working in around 100 countries worldwide. In the 2008 financial year it achieved sales of EUR 12.7 billion. The strategy of The Linde Group is geared towards sustainable earnings-based growth and focuses on the expansion of its international business with forward-looking products and services.

Linde acts responsibly towards its shareholders, business partners, employees, society and the environment – in every one of its business areas, regions and locations across the globe. Linde is committed to technologies and products that unite the goals of customer value and sustainable development.

Pension assets on a group level amount to cEUR 4 billion, of which the majority is in the UK in two defined benefit pension schemes, with the UK scheme being more commonly recognised as the BOC pension scheme.

Key responsibilities include:

- Act as Investment Officer for the Trustee bodies and as Secretary of the Joint Investment Committee
- Manage and challenge the Investment Advisor
- Contribute to the development of global concepts and strategies by the Head of Pension Investments and implement these in the UK
- Structure and write investment proposals for the JIC, and preparation of quarterly investment reports
- Manage the asset managers and negotiate detailed investment management agreements
- Implement asset allocation, oversee LDI strategy and monitor performance and risk of managers
- Relationship management with other key service providers such as the global custodian

Candidate Profile:

- An experienced and highly skilled investment professional
- Good understanding of pension fund investment, and of the pensions industry in general
- Knowledge and experience with traditional and alternative asset classes as well as Liability Driven Investment
- Strong documentation and communication skills, verbal and written
- Capacity and desire to learn and develop, and contribute to the wider team

This role would suit an experienced in-house pensions investment professional/investment consultant for pension schemes, although asset management candidates will also be considered.

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