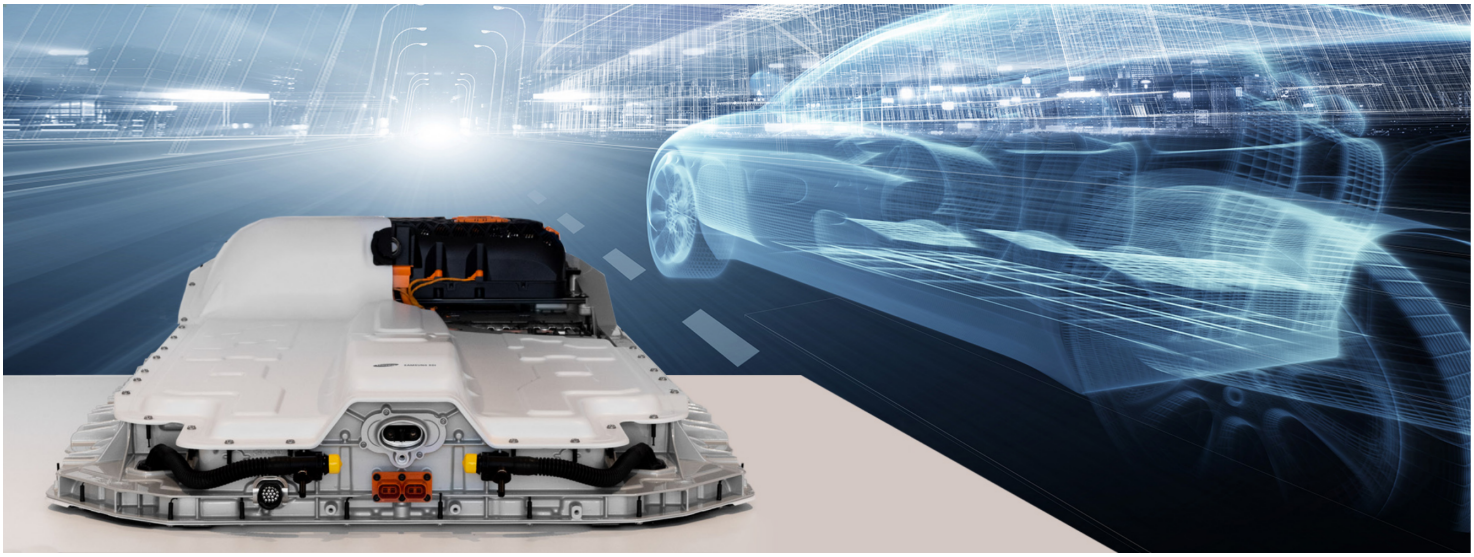


HEAD OF MANUFACTURING ENGINEERING (M/F/D)

Kalsdorf bei Graz | **Full-time employee** | **24.09.2026** | **Production & Manufacturing**

With the passion of our people, we contribute to a sustainable future by creating innovative products in e-mobility for our customers.

Samsung SDI Battery is a leading company in the field of e-mobility. Together with our customers in the automotive industry, we develop, test, and industrialize lithium-ion battery systems for hybrid and electric vehicles.

For our Technology Center in Kalsdorf near Graz, Austria, we are looking for a Head of Manufacturing Engineering, reporting to the Director of Engineering, to own the manufacturing engineering function within our product development organization — from process development through to qualified series equipment.

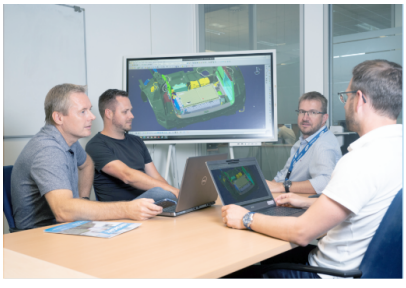
Your Mission

- Provide **technical and functional leadership** to the manufacturing engineering team and drive the **strategic development of the function** across technologies, programs and sites.



Modern work environment in an European technology center for battery development and testing

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- Act as the **key link between product development and series production**, defining manufacturing and process requirements as binding input for pack development.
- Work in **close partnership with the design team from the earliest development phase**, embedding **Design for Manufacturing (DFM)** and design-for-assembly guidelines directly into pack architecture and component design.
- Drive **innovation from our joining and assembly processes** — developing, qualifying and standardizing joining technologies, and transferring proven process know-how into new product generations and programs.
- Own the end-to-end path from **process development to production equipment**: process concept and feasibility, process qualification, equipment specification, **automation and Smart Production** from prototype to series production.
- Drive **equipment coordination with headquarters in Korea** — joint equipment specifications, build and commissioning strategy, technical alignment and timeline tracking.
- Build and steer the **global engineering network** as the central interface between product development, industrialization, equipment suppliers and our **international production sites**.
- Act as the **first point of contact for manufacturing engineering escalations** across the network.
- Ensure **early supplier involvement**, standardization of manufacturing processes and equipment, and structured know-how transfer between HQ and the local organization.

Your Expertise

- Bachelor's or Master's degree in **Engineering, Mechatronics, Production Engineering, Industrial Engineering**, or a comparable technical field.
- Several years of experience in **manufacturing engineering, process development, production technology, or industrialization/NPI**.
- Proven experience in developing and implementing **production processes and equipment**, ideally in automotive, battery, or e-mobility.
- Experience in **technical or functional leadership** of engineering teams, ideally across several programs and sites.
- Strong understanding of the interface between **product development, manufacturing engineering, and series production**, including equipment procurement and automation.
- Proven ability to work in a **global, matrixed organization** and to align technical decisions with engineering partners in different countries and cultures; experience collaborating with **Korean HQ is a strong plus**.
- Strategic mindset, strong decision-making, negotiation and communication skills.
- Very good **English** skills; good **German** skills are an advantage.

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Shape the manufacturing engineering of innovative **battery systems** from the early development phase through to series production.

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