

Job Title:	Brand & Sales Exec – Midlands & East Anglia	Department:	Marketing & Sales
Location:	Field Based	Position Type:	Full Time
Level/Salary Range:		Reports To:	Marketing & Sales

## JOB DESCRIPTION

## **Role Overview**

Brand & sales execs will be core to our On-Trade strategy. You will be a 'go-to' face of our brand, helping to facilitate and drive sales in outlet and through our sole route to market partners Matthew Clark / Bibendum, where you will become an invaluable Innis & Gunn brand resource to their sales teams by developing joint strategies to win in the On-Trade. You will be an authority on our brand, the category, and our portfolio.

The role will focus on growing distribution, building strong, value adding relationships with bars & customers in Midlands & East Anglia and bringing the Innis & Gunn brand to life for those customers, consumers, and the media through routinely running in-outlet events to drive brand awareness, trial and advocacy.

The brand sales execs will inspire bars, restaurants, consumers, and trade media to get behind us on the Innis & Gunn journey. Working closely with our distribution partners Matthew Clark / Bibendum, you will help accelerate our distribution efforts, selling our portfolio across national and free trade accounts in the on trade.

You will work as part of the sales and marketing team, reporting to our Sales Manager for Scotland.

#### Key Tasks

- Working closely with Matthew Clark / Bibendum to help deliver new distribution for our core portfolio, through face to face engagement with trade customers and in trade working days with their sales reps.
- Conducting tastings and hosting on-brand experiences to elevate trade confidence in our brand
- Building relationships with key contacts e.g. trade, staff, buyers, influencers
- Running compelling experiences at our events programme, including speaking and hosting
- Educating around our range of beers, from our award-winning Lager, our flagship oak cask matured range of beers and our IPAs.
- Supporting our trade customers and training bar staff and field sales reps
- Representing Innis & Gunn at media, consumer and trade events
- Calling on specific national account customer venues to drive new distribution for our core portfolio
- Hosting at our brewery in Perth.
- Running tastings at our events, including AGM, PR events, and Experiential programmes
- Support on The Original and Lager campaign activations across Scotland.

#### Additional Tasks

- Support wider marketing campaigns where needed
- Supporting the planning and delivery of experiential and trade events as required by Events Manager
- Potential media interviews as needed

#### **Previous Experience**

- Some previous experience as a Brand Ambassador or Trade-facing role is essential
- Beer knowledge is essential
- A good understanding of branding will help in creating and setting up the best trade events possible



• Sales experience in retail or field.

# **Competencies Required**

- Good interpersonal skills: confident, personable, a natural networker
- Beer industry experience and a passion for beer
- Highly motivated and driven, with a pride and ownership in your delivery
- Able to work proactively, confidently, and independently

### **Additional Notes**

Reviewed By (Dept Manager)	Date (Yearly Update	
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