

Profession spotlight: continuous improvement manager

Main duties

- ◆ Mapping production or management processes
- ◆ Identify malfunctions and areas for improvement
- ◆ Steer transformation projects and lead working groups
- ◆ Train teams in continuous improvement tools
- ◆ Monitor performance indicators and promote the results obtained

Skills needed

- ◆ Solid knowledge of production management and industrial methods
- ◆ Mastery of workshop management tools (lean management)
- ◆ Leadership, pedagogy and ability to unite teams
- ◆ Analytical mindset, rigour and organisational skills
- ◆ Results-oriented culture with a taste for the field

Studies needed

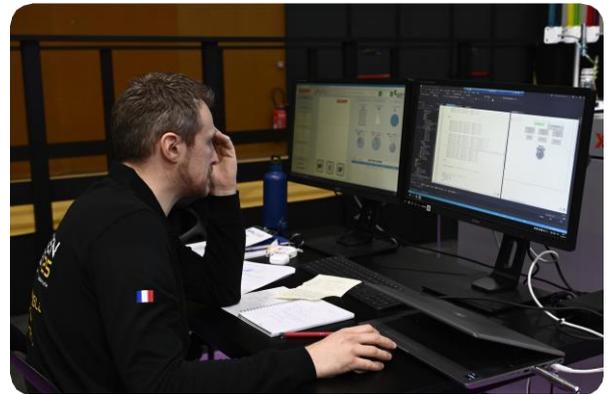
- ◆ Bac +3 to Bac +5 (3 to 5 years post-secondary studies) in the following fields:
- ◆ BUT QLIO (Quality, Industrial Logistics and Organisation)
- ◆ Bachelor's or Master's degree in production, quality or industrial organisation
- ◆ Engineering schools specialising in Lean Management or Operational Excellence
- ◆ Additional certifications (Green Belt, Black Belt Six Sigma, etc.)

Where do they work?

In all sectors of industry (automotive, aeronautics, agri-food, pharmaceuticals, electronics, etc.), but also in services (logistics, health, IT, etc.). He/she may work in a factory, production centre or at head office.

How much do they earn? *

- ◆ Beginner: between €2400 and €2800 gross per month
- ◆ Experienced: up to €4,500 or more, depending on company size, sector and level of responsibility



Career progression?

Continuous improvement managers can progress to positions such as quality manager, production manager, lean manager, site manager or operational excellence consultant.

🌐 A profession based on rigour and impact, serving a smoother, more sustainable, more efficient industry.

**These figures are indicative and may vary according to experience, sector and company size.*