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## **Responsibilities:**

## **Relationship & Business Development**

- Work with VP/Chief Strategist and Regional Office Managers to establish business development • strategies for regional and national areas of focus, with varied market sector emphasis.
- Responsible for all new relationship development and implementation of sales strategies to • create growth.
- Responsible to aid in maintaining existing client relationship development for repeat business as • designated by Regional Office Manager, President or Chief Strategist
- Identify and track new RFP/Q opportunities - strategically analyze and recommend best approach.
- Perform prospect project debrief meetings, as necessary. •
- Build and maintain collaborative relationships with partnering firms and prospects. •
- Represent Cole effectively in the industry and in the community. •
- Collaborate with all staff on relationship development efforts throughout the firm. ٠
- Identify and build national scale relationship development for contacts in the architectural, • engineering, and/or construction industries.
- Identify and build relationships with clients in commercial, program roll out, industrial, mixed-• use, senior living, and residential market sectors – as a priority.

# Manage Marketing efforts within scope of responsibility and contribute directly as needed to support marketing team:

- Maintain client contact database for local, regional or national markets, as designated. •
- Proposal & Collateral Management. •
  - Develop and ensure proper strategies for all proposal and collateral development. 0
  - Team identification and securing partnering firms for project pursuit. 0
  - Management and execution of proposal development and collateral pieces, working in 0 conjunction with marketing team.

## Attributes

- Proven skills, talent and enthusiasm for sales. Motivated by accountability for sales growth. •
- Strong time management skills; efficiency in managing staff and multiple projects • simultaneously.
- Results-oriented and demonstrates high accountability, initiative, self-motivation and discipline.
- Effective written and spoken communication skills. •
- Willingness to travel as needed, 2-3 weeks a month. •
- Persuasive team player. ٠
- Experience working remotely and managing remote working office effectively, with dedicated, • adequate space for professional online, camera-shared webex meetings.
- Willingness to take on other duties as assigned. •

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#### Education

Four-Year or College Degree preferred. Salary commensurate with experience.

#### Experience

- At least 5 years of similar business development experience required, with a proven sales track record.
- Minimum two years of direct A/E/C industry experience, preferred.
- National scale relationship development with contacts in the architectural, engineering, and/or construction industries.
- Experience with Microsoft Office required; experience with Adobe Creative Suite, preferred.
- Experience with remote office working atmosphere preferred.
- Experience with extensive travel, required.

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