Hargreaves Lansdown, Role Profile and Person Specification

Role Profile

Job Title: New Business Executive	Hours of Work: Mon- Fri, 9am – 5.30pm. 37.5 hours per week	
Salary: £20-25k Dependent on experience. Plus a fixed	Reporting To: Franca Licata	
amount per appointment.		

Summary:

Responsible for researching prospects and securing new business appointments for our New Business Corporate Consultants over the phone and via email.

Key Duties & Responsibilities

- Researching and identifying companies that are likely to provide profitable business to HLCS and finding the correct contact within the company to speak to concerning employee benefits,
- Recording appointment and scheme information accurately. Maintaining this information using HL's existing database to identify a suitable list of prospective clients to market to.
- Contacting prospective clients via the telephone, letter or email to arrange visits or networking meetings for our Corporate Consultants to attend.
- Managing relationships with prospective clients with suitable follow-up material.
- Ensuring all calling activity is done to the agreed criteria and does not include advice.
- Manage postponement and cancellations of meetings by communicating to all involved, rearranging and ensuring the meeting is rebooked.
- Provide assistance and support to consultants to help their relations with businesses employer from point of first
 meeting to winning the scheme where requested by arranging follow-up appointments.

Person Specification:

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	- A Level (or equivalent)	Any financial services or pensions related qualifications. Degree (or equivalent experience)
Knowledge	 Basic general knowledge of employee benefits Awareness of HL's Corporate Vantage service Computer Literate 	- Understanding of HL's Corporate Vantage service
Skills / Experience	 Excellent communication skills Good listening and questioning skills Outstanding spoken English with the ability to improvise and handle objections quickly. Excellent organisational skills to manage database administration Good attention to detail Experience of working on phones and dealing with clients. 	Experience of working within a sales / targeted environment Experience of working within financial services / employee benefits
Attributes	 Hardworking and confident Thick-skinned Entrepreneurial Good telephone manner Able to work persistently and tenaciously making a high volume of calls each day. Highly professional and a strong empathy with clients. Pro-active and self-motivated 	 Initiative to work unsupervised Driven, creative and innovative Desire to learn and willingness to keep abreast of the benefits industry Able to work as part of a team whilst meeting individual and team targets