

Job Title: Senior Grid Connections Manager

Location: Germany - flexible, hybrid work is supported

Company: Dais Energy Ventures

### **About Us:**

Dais Energy Ventures is a leader in the battery energy storage sector, focused on advancing energy storage solutions across European markets. We are seeking a dynamic and results-driven Senior Grid Connections Manager. In this role, you'll lead all grid-related aspects of our German projects from concept to realization, collaborating across teams and managing connections for our BESS projects at both the distribution and transmission levels. The ideal candidate will bring technical expertise in electrical engineering and a deep understanding of the grid connection process, including working with DNOs, TSOs, and independent connection providers (ICPs).

# Responsibilities:

- Grid Development: Oversee and manage grid access and connection points for battery storage projects. Conduct technical assessments and network analyses to identify potential sites, prepare grid applications, and manage connection application process and associated approvals. Ensure alignment with distribution and transmission system operator requirements in order to progress connection application milestones, ensuring the internal development teams are informed of key actions they will need to have undertaken.
- Stakeholder Engagement: Act as the primary point of contact for stakeholders related to grid connection process, including DNOs, TSOs, ICPs, and local authorities, where applicable. Build and maintain strong relationships to support project approvals.
- Project Oversight: Work with internal development teams and external consultants to progress projects through the full lifecycle—from feasibility to "shovel-ready" status to construction oversight.
- Technical & Commercial Review: Review and negotiate grid connection offers, contestable and non-contestable quotations, and project budgets. Optimize connection solutions in terms of costs, schedules, and technical feasibility.
- Industry Insight: Stay informed of industry trends, regulatory changes, and technological advancements, and provide strategic guidance to support company goals. Support and input on regulatory consultations in order to assist in shaping policy to realise company and wider industry objectives.
- Documentation & Reporting: Maintain accurate records of grid agreements, project documentation, and connection reports. Provide regular strategic updates to senior management.

#### **General Skills:**

- Expertise in renewable energy and battery energy storage industries.
- Proficient in distribution and transmission systems, with experience in grid connection applications, system operator correspondence/engagement, network analysis, and energy storage.

- Excellent verbal and written communication skills in German and English. Proven ability to work with stakeholders at all levels.
- Demonstrated ability to manage multiple projects simultaneously, working independently to meet tight deadlines and deliver quality outcomes.
- Passionate about renewable energy and sustainability. Collaborative, adaptable, and a strong problem-solver who thrives in a dynamic, fast-paced environment.

## **Qualifications and Experience:**

- Degree in Electrical Engineering, Power Systems, or a related field.
- Minimum of 5-10 years in grid connection management within the renewable energy sector, with a track record in utility-scale solar, battery storage, or equivalent projects.
- Proven track record in renewable energy, specifically with Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS) and electrical connections.
- Experience working with utilities and system operators, as well as knowledge of permitting processes in different European markets.

#### Benefits:

- Competitive compensation package.
- Opportunity to drive significant impact in the renewable energy industry.
- Collaborative work environment fostering professional development and growth opportunities.
- Opportunities for professional growth and development within a forward-thinking, impactdriven organization.