

The interview of the moment.... Caroline Debard!



What is your position and what are your main duties?

In 2015 I was hired by La Compagnie du Vent, Engie Green now, to coordinate the Environmental Impact assessment for both project on behalf of LEMS.

We obtain permit applications, so my position has evolved now and since the P&E dislocation, I'm environmental and permitting manager. My main duties are:

Regarding technical topics:

- Interface and coordination with the different internal experts (technical, O&M, legal...) in order to anticipate and manage permitting updates in case of change in legislation and regulation or any technical change in the project

Regarding environment topics:

- Manage the definition of the environmental survey protocol and implementation of environmental mitigation measures due by LEM (and coordinates with subcontractors) as per authorizations and permits
- Relationship with State services, local stakeholders, GIS members and public, Comités (follow up committees) set-up by the Prefecture, with respect to definition and implementation of mitigation and monitoring measures

What did you do before coming here?

I was working for EGIS Eau, an environmental consultancy (major competitor of BRLi) as project manager responsible for producing regulatory files for both land development (urban, hydraulic, sanitation and drinking water) and maritime projects (harbor development, grid connection in paradisiacal islands ... etc).

What do you like in your company?

The good team spirit both at work and during parties or corporate events 😊.

What is your best achievement since you arrived?

Without any suspense: obtaining the authorizations for BOTH projects!!

Something personal about you?

Every week I'm at the office in Paris but everyone may not be aware that I have the chance to live in one of the most beautiful places in France (after St. Etienne of course): Biarritz. I know that my carbon footprint is far from perfect, but I try to keep a clear conscience by working on those two beautiful LEMS projects.

Otherwise, as you'll understand just before I'm a fan of ASSE, and sport in general.

And the last but not the least (I know that some people will love this information): some are fan of crossword, Puzzles or adult coloring, I am a fan of knitting!