

# Global ocean freight forwarder m/f

## Job and assignments

Just like a «band leader», the forwarder monitors most aspects of bulk transport. He/she works out the best methods and routes for the logistics of goods in the process of import/export or between third parties. An expert in sea, air or road freight, he/she manages the bulk movement of all sorts of goods or of some goods specifically. He/she not only monitors the freight but also handles the contract, regulatory and customs documentation: as such, he/she is at the heart of global trade.

The scope of his/her job is definitely global. As a road freight forwarder only, he/she works locally or across Europe. The job is essentially based on service.

## Work environment

Freight forwarders either work in an office or move to freight areas. Their daily work includes multiple activities and liaising with other trades.

## Inter-personal and expert skills

- You are well-organized, methodical and responsive
- You have good communication and inter-personal skills
- You must have proficient skills in general and specific English
- You have fine reporting skills

## Training

BAC +2	▶ <i>Higher Vocational Diploma in International Trade; Technical University Degree in Transport and Logistics</i>
BAC +3	▶ <i>International Business, Logistics, and Trilingual</i>
BAC +5	▶ <i>International Business Management or other degrees including Logistics/Global trade</i>



Shipping agent

Global service manager

Office manager for national or global transportation networks

## Your career prospects