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This is the message of Julie Gorgemans, civil engineer in physics at Westinghouse since October 2005. Nuclear power has a strong position in the energy sector, striving to find an alternative to oil. Many nuclear plants are being modernized or built. Companies in this sector are actively recruiting.

« After my studies, I looked for a company with an international dimension where I could learn something new every day. I sent only one application and I was not at all disappointed by the Engineering Services of Westinghouse. My first project was a safety study to increase the power of a nuclear plant. Of course, I worked under the supervision of a mentor who reviewed my calculations. The essential quality to perform my job, in addition to the technical knowledge, is to be open-minded and to be able to communicate with my colleagues – otherwise projects cannot move forward. And above all a good command of English. In the future, I would like to evolve from a technical expertise to project management, which is a common path for engineers.

In addition, Westinghouse offers an active social life. Last year, I took part in the company Show, and many other events are organized by the Social Activities Committee. »



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