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Immediate Vacancy

GLP Study Director - Aquatic Ecotoxicology

Working with a team of international biologists, ecologists and engineers, **AquaBioTech Group** is seeking a highly motivated individual to lead our GLP studies in aquatic ecotoxicology. We are seeking an experienced person with knowledge and experience of operating as a GLP Study Director performing planning, designing, and conducting lower and higher-tier laboratory studies with a wide range of freshwater and marine species, as well as develop new assay methods. All studies and reporting of the trial results are undertaken in accordance with the relevant OECD, EFSA or US EPA guidelines, at the company's GLP certified and fully licenced aquatic testing facilities. The selected candidate must possess strong organisational skills and the ability to supervise a small team of scientists and technicians, as well as working closely with clients.

SYNOPSIS OF POSITION OFFERED


A position within **AquaBioTech Group** has arisen for a suitably qualified and experienced person to work on a variety of projects within the Group's diverse portfolio. The position is described as **GLP Study Director - Aquatic Ecotoxicology**.

The successful candidate will lead the design, undertaking and reporting of all freshwater and marine aquatic ecotoxicology studies under GLP standards. This includes the amplification of study plans in collaboration with clients and partners, as well as the company's own internal R&D&I actions. The position also includes the supervision of all related laboratory work and evaluation of the results to develop study reports.

The role also requires that the successful candidate takes part in the Company's scientific business development and networking with the scientific community, as well as the establishment of new studies under different GLP areas of expertise.

The responsibilities of the selected candidate may include, but are not limited to:

- a) Carrying out desk studies and regulatory / risk assessments / studies
- b) Carrying out a wide range of aquatic studies on plants, fish and other aquatic organisms
- c) Development of protocols for different studies in collaboration with clients, as well as for internal research actions

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- d) Running studies according to protocols established within the projects and/or OECD and/or EFSA and/or US EPA guidelines
- e) Processing and assessment of study data, including various types of statistical analysis.
- f) Reporting study developments and results in accordance with client requirements and OECD and/or EFSA and/or US EPA guidelines
- g) Communicating with partners, presenting work done, travel to client / consortium meetings, conferences, etc.
- h) Identifying and communication with potential clients
- i) Development of GLP and other laboratory procedures
- j) Writing and presenting of scientific articles and presentations
- k) Leading project grant application processes from the scientific side in conjunction with the business development team


Reporting directly to the **Contract Research Organisation (CRO) Director**, the position is demanding requiring a person who is highly motivated and self-organised. The selected person must be prepared to work to tight deadlines in isolated and multi-functional projects and in conjunction with a team of international staff based at our headquarter laboratory facilities based in Malta.

Qualifications Overview

A successful candidate must have experience as a **GLP Study Director** and is likely to have a good solid a background in Ecotoxicology, with at least an M.Sc. or Ph.D. level of education, although experience-based candidates are encouraged to apply.

The selected candidate will have a number of assignments to develop and work on in juxtapose but will also be expected to become involved in the overall marketing and promotion of **AquaBioTech Group's** services so as to ensure that a continuous stream of work comes into the company.

The selected candidate will have to speak and write English fluently and be a clear communicator. Knowledge of any other languages would be considered an asset, although not essential. The selected candidate must have a clear passport with no travel restrictions or legal convictions and be

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in possession of a clean driving licence. Applicants must be prepared to travel at short notice as part of international assignments the company is awarded.

Financial Package

The successful candidate will be offered a long-term, fixed-term contract with the company. The starting package offered for this position will depend upon the background of the chosen candidate, reflecting the experience the candidate brings to the company, but also in line with the cost of living in Malta and could include an accommodation package, if required.

Application Procedure

Further information about the **AquaBioTech Group** and the services we offer can be viewed at www.aquabt.com. Applicants are required to submit a full *Curriculum vitae* in the **AquaBioTech Group** Europass format that **must** be downloaded from our website – **no other Cv formats will be accepted**. Questions about the application should be directed to the HR Department, on hr@aquabt.com