



Process Development/Cell Therapy Development Scientist

Job Summary:

Due to the expansion of RoslinCT an exciting opportunity has arisen to employ a Cell Therapy Development Scientist. Based at the Edinburgh BioQuarter, RoslinCT produces stem cells for therapy and research. The right candidate is required to assist with the development and GMP translation of protocols for the manufacture of cellular therapies within our expanding and dynamic team.

Job Purpose:

The Cell Therapy Development Scientist is responsible for the delivery of GMP translation and process development activities within the company. They will ensure that project milestones are met and deliver scientific and GMP translational excellence. The role will involve working closely with GMP Contract manufacturing to ensure the seamless transfer of processes between departments.

Key Responsibilities:

The role will involve working with academic and commercial partners to transfer and develop procedures related to the manufacture of cellular therapies, involving the technical transfer of developed methods to our GMP Cellular Therapy Facility for clinical manufacture. Key responsibilities are:

- Perform the GMP translation and process development of academic protocols and the development of assays for the delivery of new cell therapies
- Perform the process validation and technology transfer of GMP translated projects to the GMP manufacturing facility
- Provide support for the GMP team with the introduction of new client manufacturing processes
- Perform scale up and process development of in house and client manufacturing processes
- Day to day housekeeping of dedicated laboratories to ensure a high standard of organisation at all times with shared responsibility for out-of-hours cell culture maintenance
- Identify, evaluate and introduce new technologies

The successful candidates for this exciting role will be able to demonstrate:

- Excellent attention to detail with a desire to continually develop and improve our processes
- The ability to work effectively within a small team
- Ability to learn and share your knowledge where appropriate
- A determination to succeed with a "can do attitude"
- Emotional resilience and an ability to work under pressure
- Flexibility and enthusiastic, with a passion for lab work
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Exceptional organisational and time management skills
- Customer focused with the ability to work to deadline and deliver results

Qualifications Required:

The post holder should possess a Life Sciences Degree, or a related subject, or equivalent training and experience.

Skills/Experience Required:

The successful candidate will have:

- Experience with culturing pluripotent stem cells
- Experience with differentiation of stem cells
- Experience with relevant cellular analytical techniques (FACS, QPCR, Immunostaining, Genetic analysis, etc.)
- Ability to plan and execute experimental plans
- Good data recording and report writing skills
- Computer literate with specific skills in the use of Microsoft Word, Excel and Power point
- A working knowledge of GMP would be desirable

As well as being involved in an exciting and expanding company the company is offering an attractive salary and benefits package.

To apply, please send your CV and a covering letter to: jobs@roslinct.com

Salary: Attractive Salary & Benefits

Location: Edinburgh and Lothians