Scientific Project Manager

Translational Science · **Protein Therapeutics** · **Biopharmaceuticals**

Our Client

Our Client aims to be a recognised global leader in the translation of basic medical research into human therapeutics. Their mission is to grow the Victorian and Australian biotech sector by translating medical research outputs into high quality pre-clinical candidates for the bio-pharmaceutical industry, venture capital companies and philanthropic funding agencies.

The Opportunity

Our client is seeking a new Scientific Project Manager to join their expanding Australian team. Reporting to the Director of Protein Therapeutics, you will work with a cross-disciplinary team and contribute to the identification and implementation of key strategic initiatives in all aspects of preclinical drug development. With the ability to develop strong working relationships at all levels, you will drive projects forward from your interactions with researchers, external contract research organisations (CROs) and external national/international partners.

The key elements of the position are:

- Project development, implementation, and management
- Assay / reagent conception, design and development
- Data analysis, interpretation, and management
- CRO & stakeholder management

Position Requirements

- Postgraduate degree (e.g. MD, PharmD, or PhD) with a focus on a Biomedical Science and/or Medical discipline, or other relevant scientific discipline e.g. protein engineering, protein science, protein therapeutics.
- Biotech / pharmaceutical industry experience within drug discovery teams & laboratory research.
- Project management experience i.e. implementing a project from conception to completion.
- Advanced knowledge and expertise in protein therapeutics or a biomedical discipline e.g. oncology, immunology, cell biology, protein engineering.
- Assay development and screening.
- Knowledge of recent scientific advances within specialty areas.
- Experience with biotechnology / pharmaceutical patent landscape analysis.
- Exceptional data analysis skills with the ability to critically analyse & identify gaps.
- Able to apply & develop highly advanced technologies & concepts that may be new.
- Strong analytical & proactive problem-solving skills into order to advance projects.
- Highly developed interpersonal and communication skills, both written and verbal, with confidence in presenting.
- Demonstrated high level of computer and database literacy.
- Committed to professional growth.

Our Offer

Our client offers an exceptionally dynamic and progressive work environment. This role is at the frontline of development of new innovative technologies. As a valued member of this team, you will have the opportunity to demonstrate your talent and shape this exciting organisation. The role will be located in Melbourne, or another agreed location in Australia.

Applications

A full Position Description is available from careers@mexeccareers. Applications: Please email your cover letter & CV in one combined PDF to <u>careers@mexeccareers.com</u>. Confidential enquiries to Marilyn Jones on 040 100 3553

