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PROCESS R&D OPPORTUNITIES - ASTRAZENECA INDIA

Process R&D has the challenge of discovering long term synthetic routes, chemical process development and early material supply. Due to continued expansion, we have immediate opportunities available for qualified candidates to our group in Bangalore, one of India's most cosmopolitan cities.

We are seeking creative, independent thinking and highly motivated professionals for the following positions.

TEAM LEADER

The ideal candidate should have a Ph.D. in synthetic chemistry from a reputed institution with 7 to 10 years of proven record of accomplishments in Process Chemistry in an international environment. Enthusiasm for preparative organic chemistry and a team player attitude are the most important qualifications for the applicant. Strong command in current technologies and significance of recent developments in the area of expertise is a must. Excellent written / verbal communication, interpersonal skills and knowledge of GLP / GMP guidelines are essential, together with the ability to manage, develop and motivate staff in a team effort.

The individual shall report to the Process R&D Director. The position provides ample scope for interactions with project teams both locally and with scientists at other sites globally, thus demanding excellent team working and communication skills.

PROCESS SAFETY/PROCESS ENGINEER

Your role is to ensure the safety of processes run at a kilo scale and beyond through the provision and interpretation of themochemical hazard data. A chemical engineer or chemist, you will have direct experience of generating laboratory data on scale-up hazards, interpreting this and assessing how processes should be adapted for safe scale-up.

Excellent written / verbal communication, interpersonal skills and the capability to interface with personnel as a part of multi-disciplinary project team is required.

PROCESS CHEMISTS

Working as part of a chemistry team, you have the challenge of devising new routes and developing robust processes for novel molecules. The ideal candidate should have around 5 to 8 years of proven accomplishments in the industry, following an M.Sc, or Ph.D. in synthetic chemistry from a reputed institution. You are expected to be a team player with an enthusiasm for preparative organic chemistry.

ANALYTICAL CHEMISTS

Working as part of an analytical team, you will devise and develop methods to monitor the quality of novel processes and identity impurities. The ideal candidate should have around 5 to 8 years of proven accomplishments in analysis, following an M.Sc. or Ph.D. from a reputed institution and be expert in the use of modern analytical equipment such as GC and LC-MS. You are expected to be a team player with experience of analytical work in a research environment.

Interested candidates may email resume.hrdindia@astrazeneca.com before 30th April 2004. For more opportunities at our Bangalore facility, please visit www.astrazenecaindia.com

