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Job Profile

Chromatography Technician Chromatography Section Chemistry & Biochemistry Department

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Campden BRI provides scientific, technical, and legislative support to the food, drinks and allied industries worldwide. The practical application of technical excellence lies at the heart of all that we do and is supported by our industry-leading facilities, expertise and knowledge.

From analysis and testing and operational support to knowledge management, all our activities are built on an extensive programme of research and innovation steered by industry to ensure maximum commercial relevance.

We provide services to companies all along the supply chain, but offer discounts, access to expert advice and other benefits for those that come into membership. Many of our clients are major blue chip companies and household names.

Locations

The Campden BRI Group operates from three sites in the UK and a fourth in Hungary. The role as advertised will be based at the Chipping Campden site but could require from time to time travel to other Group sites.

The site in Chipping Campden employs 300 full or part-time staff. A further 50 staff are employed at the site at Nutfield, Surrey and 20 staff are employed at our site in Budapest, Hungary. We also have a Consumer Test Centre in Leamington Spa.

The Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

The Chemistry & Biochemistry Department comprises around 50 staff from a wide range of disciplines. It provides essential services to industry through a wide range of analytical testing and research activities. The Department is organised into four operational sections: Chromatography, Biochemistry, Microscopy, and Food Composition.

Chromatography Section

The Chromatography Section comprises several teams of analytical chemists testing food samples for chemical contaminants and nutritional components using chromatographic and mass spectrometric techniques. The majority of the work is short term although some contribution to longer term research projects is also undertaken.

Duties and responsibilities:

To undertake booking in samples onto labware LIMS and all associated duties including the preparation of the work file for reporting and invoicing, allocation of work and preparation prior to analysis.

- Carry out analysis of foodstuffs and materials relating to the food industry according to client instructions, within agreed timescales.
- Carry out administrative tasks relating to analytical work e.g. sample receipt and booking in of samples into LabWARE LIMS
- Perform method development activities under the direction of a senior analyst. Collect data and produce reports.
- Ensure all aspects of Quality are managed according to Campden BRI standards, including maintaining QC records for global migration tests
- Maintenance of UKAS accredited methods relating to migration
- Calibration, maintenance and daily monitoring of lab equipment e.g. balances, pipettes

Qualifications and Key skills

- A-levels in science related subject and/or relevant laboratory experience
- Experience using Microsoft packages - word/excel/outlook/PowerPoint
- Experience working within an accreditation scheme
- Ability to work in a small team
- Flexibility to work on a number of tasks and manage priorities

Pay and benefits

Salary:	From £17,000 per annum
Grade:	G1
Holidays:	24 days plus public holidays and a buying/selling holiday scheme .
Pension scheme:	Campden BRI operates a pension scheme
Training:	Campden BRI is committed to ensure all staff receives appropriate training to support their job function and business needs.
Health:	Campden BRI operates a 'permanent health scheme' if you are unable to continue work for health reasons and a 'death in service' scheme.
Others:	Other benefits include subsidised restaurant/vending machine and parking on site.

Further Information

If further information is required, please visit our website www.campdenbri.co.uk