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Job Profile

Sensory Scientist

Sensory Brewing Services

Nutfield, Surrey

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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 Nutfield 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.

Department

Brewing Services is internationally recognised for its expertise in the provision of technical services and research to support the brewing and beverages sector. Its reputation has grown steadily over the past decade, notably as a result of successful work for the public and private sectors with the ability to provide an integrated package of technical support with sector-specific advice and expertise for the interpretation of data. Our **Sensory and Pilot Plant** teams are a key part of this department.

The sector focus for the Department is alcoholic beverages (beer, cider, wine and spirits), but we also work with raw materials such as hops and malted barley, as well as with soft drinks. Brewing services cover a broad range of technical support activities including sensory, pilot brewing and malting facilities to support clients with NPD and research projects, process engineering, microbiology and a wide range of underpinning training.

Duties and responsibilities:

- Carry out Sensory analysis related primarily to the alcoholic beverages industry according to client instructions, within agreed timescales. Collate data and produce reports. (minimum 70%)
- Perform method development activities under direction of the senior management (5%)
- Ensure compliance with all aspects of Internal and External Quality Systems. (5%)
- Maintenance and monitoring of panel (10%)
- Training staff new to the group (5%)
- General housekeeping (5%)

Qualifications and competencies

- Degree or equivalent in Chemistry, Analytical Chemistry or similar or relevant laboratory experience of two to three years.
- Experience in sensory analyses an advantage
- Able to undertake other beverage related sensory analyses
- Ability to work within a team without supervision and accurately following SOPs
- Flexibility to undertake a number of tasks and prioritise accordingly.

Key skills

- Overcome daily issues with minimal supervision
- Problem solving skills to troubleshoot problems with complex equipment and methods.
- Planning skills required for short term projects
- Time management and adherence to timescales.

Pay and benefits

Salary:	Circa £23,000pa
Grade:	G2
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

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