

## **Associate Scientist (m/f/d) " >**

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### **Job Description**

Associate Scientist (m/f/d) – Excipient and Compendial Methods Team, Process Analytical Sciences, Schaffenau, Austria – Temporary contract (1 year)

>200! This the current number of programs in clinical development at Novartis. Many of these projects, which include new molecular entities as well as additional indications and different formulations for marketed products, are for medicines that could significantly advance treatment standards for patients worldwide.

Your responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Design, plan, perform, interpret and report results of scientific experiments and analytical method development. These tasks are related to excipient and compendial testing of biopharmaceutical products in a modern analytical lab with state-of-the-art equipment
- Organisation and setup of studies, using relevant data management systems
- Integrate digitized processes in your daily work (e.g. automated sample preparation)
- Write protocols, reports and lab/instrument procedures
- Interact and collaborate with other groups and sites according to project requirements
- Maintain and qualify analytical equipment and manage operational aspects in the laboratory
- Communicate, address and tackle problems (e.g. unexpected results from experiments) within own & broader area of responsibility and take part in root cause investigations
- Contribute to the transfer of know how or procedures to other departments or external contractors, including troubleshooting and on-site training
- Be part of an open and motivated team with flat hierarchies, bring in your networking skills and collaborate across boundaries
- Bring in your ideas and improvement proposals, be creative, think bold and inspire others

### **Minimum Requirements**

What you'll bring to the role:

Essential:

- Apprenticeship in industry (or equivalent technical education) with 3 years experience in Industry or Bachelor or Master Degree in biotechnology, biochemical engineering, biology, chemistry, biochemistry or equivalent
- Excellent knowledge of, or practical experience with, laboratory tools for instrumental analytics especially HPLC and CE analysis
- Fluency in English, German is a plus
- Curiosity about new digital approaches and innovative technologies
- Flexible, pragmatic and goal-orientated working style and scientific way of thinking

Desirable requirements:

- A personality with a can-do mind-set and the ability to adopt to change with strong communication across organizational interfaces and presentation skills
- Ability to work with a cross-functional team in a matrix environment
- Experience with laboratory data management software (e.g. LIMS)
- Experience with excipient analysis and/or compendial analyses

Why Novartis?

769 million lives were touched by Novartis medicines in 2020, and while we're proud of this, we know there is so much more we could do to help improve and extend people's lives.

We believe new insights, perspectives and ground-breaking solutions can be found at the intersection of medical science and digital innovation. That a diverse, equitable and inclusive environment inspires new ways of working.

We believe our potential can thrive and grow in an unbossed culture underpinned by integrity, curiosity and flexibility. And we can reinvent what's possible, when we collaborate with courage to aggressively and ambitiously tackle the world's toughest medical challenges. Because the greatest risk in life, is the risk of never trying!

Imagine what you could do here at Novartis!

In addition to a market-competitive base salary, we offer an attractive incentive program, a modern company pension scheme, childcare facilities, learning and development options as well as worldwide career opportunities within the Novartis group. In accordance with Austrian law, we are obliged to disclose the minimum salary as stated in the collective bargaining agreement. For this position the minimum salary is € 37.756,42 /year (on a full time basis). We also offer a potential market oriented excess payment in line with your experience and qualifications.

Commitment to Diversity & Inclusion:

Novartis is committed to building an outstanding, inclusive work environment and diverse team's representative of the patients and communities we serve.

Our recruitment decisions are based on selecting the best person for the job, regardless of gender, religion, age, colour, race, sexual orientation, nationality or disability.

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