

CHEMPLOYMENT ABSTRACTS - OCTOBER 2008

CHEMPLOYMENT 713

Position Title

Associate Scientist

Job Description

The Associate Scientist's job duties include multistep synthesis of intermediates and final targets, interpretation of spectroscopic data, purification of compounds by chromatography techniques and crystallization.

QUALIFICATIONS DESIRED

Qualified candidates will have a B.S. or M.S. in chemistry with 1-2 years of experience in related industries. Qualified candidates will be able to perform multistep synthesis of target molecules, scale-up of intermediates and final target, purification using chromatography techniques and crystallization. Experience with literature searching, computer skills, ChemDraw, and excellent written and verbal communication skills are required.

Description of Company

Pacific World Discovery LLC, a La Jolla based company, providing pre-clinical chemistry services to pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies. Please visit our website at www.pacificworlddiscovery.com to learn more about our company.

Application Instructions

The applicants should send his/her résumé to Dr. Farah Mohammadi at fmohammadi@pacificworlddiscovery.com

CHEMPLOYMENT 714

Position Title

Synthetic Organic Chemist

Job Description

We are seeking four hard working, team oriented, synthetic organic chemists to augment our R&D laboratories in San Diego. Hands-on laboratory work from milligram to kilogram scale is an integral part of this position.

Qualifications Desired

Ph.D./ M.S./ B.S. synthetic organic chemists with a great attitude and the desire to learn. Candidates must be flexible, independent, organized, able to multi-task. Outstanding written and oral communication skills in the English language required. Experience in cGMP synthesis, small pilot plant production, or solution phase peptide synthesis are bonus skills.

Description of Company

Senn Chemicals is a premier business partner in the development, scale up, and manufacture of fine chemicals and intermediates for clients in the pharmaceutical, biotechnology, cosmetic and diagnostic industries.

Application Instructions

Eligibility to legally work in the U.S. without any form of sponsorship is required. Please state citizenship/ residency/ visa status clearly.

Email resume and cover letter to jobsusa@sennchem.com

CHEMPLOYMENT 715

Position Title

Senior Research Associate

Job Description

We seek an experienced MS candidate who will help increase the productivity and strengthen innovative potential of the San Diego Chemistry team. The qualified candidate will be responsible for the design, synthesis, and optimization of compounds for one of our drug discovery programs. This individual will execute and interpret experiments with a high degree of reliability and independence. Additional responsibilities include assisting with publication and patent submission processes as well as presenting studies effectively at internal group/department or project team research meetings

Qualifications Desired

Requires a MS degree (or equivalent degree) in Chemistry and 1+ years of relevant employment experience. A strong background in Synthetic Organic Chemistry is required while experience with Parallel Synthesis and/or Medicinal Chemistry is preferred.

Description of Company

Vertex Pharmaceuticals Incorporated is a global biotechnology company committed to the discovery and development of breakthrough small molecule drugs for serious diseases. The Company's strategy is to commercialize its products both independently and in collaboration with major pharmaceutical companies. Vertex's product pipeline is focused on viral diseases, inflammation, autoimmune diseases, cancer, pain and bacterial infection.

Application Instructions

If you are interested, please visit our website: www.vrtx.com to apply on-line. Equal Opportunity Employer

CHEMPLOYMENT 716

Position Title

SCIENTIST - Job Cat-KT-1510-01

Job Description

Senomyx seeks an outstanding Scientist to work within our chemistry dept. As part of a multidisciplinary project team, successful candidates will create new receptor-targeted small molecules that modulate taste. Candidates will be required to evaluate relevant biological data & use this information for the design & synthesis of compounds for lead optimization, as well as synthesize key building blocks & develop novel chemistry approaches as needed.

Qualifications Desired

Experience with multi-step organic chemistry on various scales & analytical techniques (HPLC, NMR) are required. Candidates should have a Ph.D. in organic/medicinal chemistry. Previous experience with lead optimization or medicinal chemistry in the pharmaceutical or biotech industry is a plus. Excellent written & verbal communication skills & the ability to work in a fast-paced, goal-oriented team environment are essential.

Application Instructions

If you are interested in learning more about how you can apply to join the team, please visit our website - www.senomyx.com - for details.

Senomyx, Inc,
ATTN: HR
4767 Nexus Centre Dr
San Diego, CA 92121.

You may also submit your résumé to: human.resources@senomyx.com

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CHEMPLOYMENT 717

Position Title

Senior/Research Associate - Job Cat- 1510- KT-02

Job Description

Senomyx seeks an outstanding Research Associate to work within our chemistry dept. As part of a multidisciplinary project team, the successful candidate will create new receptor-targeted small molecules that modulate taste. Responsibilities include the design, synthesis, characterization & scale up of small molecules to support the lead optimization process.

Qualifications Desired

Experience with multi-step organic chemistry on various scales & analytical techniques (HPLC, NMR) are required. Candidates should have a B.S. in organic chemistry, preferably with 2+ yrs of industrial experience. Strong written & verbal communication skills, as well as the ability to work independently in a team-based environment are essential.

Application Instructions

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CHEMPLOYMENT 718

Position Title

SCIENTIST - Job Cat-DK- 7110-01/02

Job Description

Senomyx seeks two experienced Scientists to work within our chemistry dept. These positions are temporary appointments for approximately one year. As part of a multidisciplinary project team, successful candidates will utilize data from our proprietary, cell-based receptor assays to design & synthesize molecules that modulate the human taste receptors. Candidates will carry out studies to optimize lead compounds from our high-throughput screening effort, as well as synthesize key building blocks & develop novel synthetic approaches to target compounds.

Qualifications Desired

Candidates should have a Ph.D. in organic/medicinal chemistry. A solid background in multi-step synthesis & lead optimization strategies, record of technical proficiency, scientific creativity, collaboration with others, & independent innovation is required. The candidate should have a good working knowledge of a variety of biological activity assays & analytical techniques (HPLC, NMR, MS). Previous experience in the pharmaceutical or biotech industry is a plus.

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CHEMPLOYMENT 719

Position Title

Analytical Chemist, Full-time

Job Description

The successful candidate will apply their knowledge of separation science, analytical chemistry, to support research efforts in formulation development. Responsibilities comprised of:

- Support research team in development of new products
- Develop and/or validate analytical methods to support formulation development
- Conduct formulation stability studies as per ICH, FDA and other Regulatory Guidance
- Perform IQ, OQ and PQ
- Establish and maintain analytical equipment preventative maintenance program
- Prepare analytical method validation protocol and validation reports
- Prepare analytical SOPs and provide technical analytical reports to support product development

Qualifications Desired

Direct hands-on experience with HPLC and sample preparation is a must. Specifically, 5+ years of R&D experience in the pharmaceutical industry with reverse phase, normal phase, ion exchange and affinity chromatography is essential. Strong oral and written communication skills are required, together with experience in writing SOPs and technical reports. A proven ability to manage multiple projects and meet timelines is critical. Experience in mentoring and supervising junior staff may be helpful. Knowledge of GC and related hyphenated techniques is a plus.

Description of Company

fqubed, Inc. uses proprietary high throughput experimentation ("HTE") platforms to screen how large libraries of formulations affect various properties of skin, such as permeability and drug permeation. Founded in 2002, fqubed has been a wholly-owned subsidiary of Nuvo Research Inc. (www.nuvoresearch.com) since 2005. fqubed, Inc. is based in San Diego, CA. Address: 6330 Nancy Ridge Drive Suite 107, San Diego, CA 92121

Application Instructions

Please email a resume, including publication/ presentation/patent list and the names of three references (who will not be contacted without confirming with you), to Human Resources, email: hr@fqubed.com.

CHEMPLOYMENT 720

Position Title

Synthetic Chemist, Ph.D.

Job Description

The successful candidate will play a key role in support of a diverse range of research and manufacturing-oriented synthetic projects.

Qualifications Desired

Education:

Ph.D. in synthetic organic or medicinal chemistry

Experience:

0-2 years of industrial experience. Extensive experience in multi-step organic synthesis and modern methods of compound characterization plus hands-on skills in using HPLC are necessary. The ability to

work independently in a team-based environment is essential. Must demonstrate initiative, be detail-oriented and have strong follow-up skills. Previous experience with scale-up projects and/or familiarity with nucleoside/oligonucleotide synthesis are a plus.

Description of Company

AM Chemicals LLC, located in Oceanside, is a supplier of solid supports and reagents for oligonucleotide and organic synthesis on solid phase. Please visit our website at www.amchemicals.com for details.

Application Instructions

Please submit your resume and list of references to info@amchemicals.com

CHEMPLOYMENT 721

Position Title

Synthetic Chemist, B.S.

Job Description

The successful candidate will play a key role in support of a diverse range of projects.

Qualifications Desired

Education

BS in synthetic organic or medicinal chemistry

Experience

0-2 years of industrial experience. Experience in multi-step organic synthesis and modern methods of compound characterization are necessary. Experience with scale-up projects, familiarity with nucleoside/oligonucleotide synthesis and HPLC techniques are a plus.

Description of Company

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