Senior Research Scientist in Medicinal Chemistry

permanent contract (M/F)

Edelris is a leading CRO in drug discovery, providing expert and innovative services in organic chemistry, biochemistry, medicinal chemistry and analytical chemistry.

Our clients come to us to accelerate their early drug discovery, thanks to our ability to explore new chemical spaces and propose differentiating scientific solutions. We provide innovative services and high-value and high-quality products, which supports and create differentiated value for our clients in their programs from hit-generation to Lead-optimization.

Come and choose to become part of a dynamic, ambitious, yet human-scale company with a strong commercial and technological development. This is an opportunity to work with highly committed colleagues in a scientific, creative and dynamic environment.

Missions

- You will lead research and development projects, and contribute to the achievement of their objectives for the clients’ satisfaction
- Thanks to your Medchem expertise, you will analyze biological data and propose strategies for multiparametric optimization in the Hit-to-Lead and Lead Optimization phases. This includes to propose design of molecules to increase their characteristics as potential leads, as well as design of the synthesis routes and their implementation at the bench
- You will be responsible for good communication with clients and will ensure regular reporting of the scientific progress of the project
- You will carry out project team management and leadership tasks and will use or create project monitoring tools and databases.
- In link with your potential and appetite, you may manage a team of 5-10 chemists
- You will train team members on the know-how (scientific techniques and internal processes) and participate in their evaluation. You may be involved in the technical drafting of customer quotations in support to the sales department
- You will carry out scientific and technological monitoring
- You will demonstrate creativity and inventiveness in your field of activity and propose process improvements according to defined criteria
- You will support the external communication of Edelris by writing publications, scientific posters, social networks and participation in conferences and webinars
- You will apply and encourage the application of safety, hygiene, environmental and confidentiality guidelines within the company

Required skills:

- Scientific expertise in medicinal chemistry demonstrated by your impact on previous projects
- General knowledge in medicinal chemistry, including all essential disciplines (pharmacology, DMPK, PI, ...)
- Good organizational skills, rigor and project management
• Ability to lead and motivate multidisciplinary research teams to achieve objectives
• Ability and ambition to head within a short to mid-term a group of 5-8 chemists (incl. Ph.D, M.Sc. & B.Sc.)
• Team spirit, ability to work across disciplines and good interpersonal communication
• Flexibility and quick adaptation to changing environments
• Client-oriented and problem-solving mindset
• Excellent oral and written communication in French and English is required

Education:
• PhD in organic or medicinal chemistry with 5-10 years’ experience in medicinal chemistry

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