

## Scientific Project Manager - *C. elegans* scientist

### What you do as a scientific project manager – *C. elegans* scientist:

- Manage scientific research projects from initiation to completion, ensuring that timelines and deliverables are met
- Plan, design, and analyze research experiments using *C. elegans*
- Plan, design, and analyze research experiments with cell lines or other models
- Analyze data and generate figures using R
- Collaborate with lab technicians, biologists, and data scientists
- Write reports, research proposals, and internal documents
- Make and give presentations internally and to customers
- Perform some lab work when necessary
- Write scientific publications
- Coordinate research projects
- Communicate and work with others from outside organizations (such as other contract research organizations, universities, and our collaborators)

### Desired qualifications:

- Laboratory experience with *C. elegans* is **highly desired**
- If no *C. elegans* experience, wet-lab experience with animal models is **required**
  - Willingness to learn *C. elegans* related research techniques
- Knowledge of and experience with:
  - Statistical and experimental analysis
  - Scientific writing
  - Project management
  - Experience with coding desired, experience with R is a plus

### What we are looking for:

- Currently living in the Netherlands with EU citizenship
- A completed PhD in the life sciences
- Fluent in English
- Detail-oriented, organized, and consistent way of working
- Eagerness to learn
- Problem-solving skills
- Academic and critical thinking
- Flexibility, team player, communicative

### What we offer:

- A year contract of 40 hours per week with possibility for a permanent contract
- Market conform salary depending on experience
- Company laptop
- 8% holiday allowance
- 25 vacation days
- Pension plan
- Travel compensation
- Flexible work times
- Hybrid working (possibility of 2 days working from home)

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- Development- and growth opportunities

#### About Vivaltes

Vivaltes is a biotechnology company that offers both data science solutions as well as *C. elegans* laboratory research to reduce, refine and replace animal testing. We have developed several data applications, with a track record of positive references.

We are a small company located in Bunnik, at 5 minutes cycling from the Uithof in Utrecht. Out of our 10 employees, we have several bioinformaticians and lab workers. About 50% of our employees have a PhD or are working towards one.

We partner in several subsidized projects together with academic institutions and industrial partners, and work directly with (inter)national customers.

We are building our company together and every voice is heard and counts towards making our business decisions. You will be able to develop yourself based on your own interests and are able to grow in several directions.

#### Interested?

Please send your CV and motivation letter to [s.langeveld@vivaltes.com](mailto:s.langeveld@vivaltes.com) until the 29<sup>th</sup> of May 2023. Applications will be considered on a rolling basis.

Applications without a motivation letter will not be considered. Initial interviews will be planned in the following two weeks.

Acquisition for this vacancy by agencies is not appreciated and offered candidates will not be taken into consideration.