

Research Associate Target Discovery – Antibody Engineer

Job description:

Confo Therapeutics, a spin-off of VIB and VUB, is a drug discovery company built around a disruptive technology which enables it to address 'undruggable' GPCRs. The company is building a portfolio of transformative medicines in various disease areas. Confo Therapeutics is currently located on the Etterbeek campus of the Vrije Universiteit Brussel and on the Technology Park in Zwijnaarde/Ghent. More information about Confo's technology and strategy can be found on www.confotherapeutics.com.

For the expansion of our target discovery team in Brussels we are currently looking for a (m/f):
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Your responsibilities:

- You will support the Confobody discovery for therapeutic targets. You will design and execute state of the art cloning strategies of single genes and antibody repertoires.
- You will manage Confo Therapeutics' construct inventory (antibodies and GPCR expression cassettes) in CLC Main Workbench and align with the Laboratory Information Management System.
- You communicate progress to the project team.

Your profile:

- Bench oriented Master in life sciences or equivalent and trained in a biotech environment.
- Proficient in the rational design and execution of state of the art cloning strategies of single genes and antibody repertoires (Gateway cloning, In-Fusion, Gibson assembly or similars)
- Experienced user of CLC Main Workbench or Workflow Manager or alike.
- Experience with antibody discovery and/or next generation sequencing is an asset.
- Scientific integrity, solid analytical and problem solving skills.
- Working accurately and self-motivating.
- Enthusiastic team player in a small company setting.
- Excellent communication skills in English.

Our offer:

- A competitive compensation package with extensive benefits
- An entrepreneurial and stimulating working environment in a growing and ambitious biotech company
- Excellent career development opportunity, with exposure to all aspects of R&D in the company

Do you have the right qualifications and are you up to the challenge of joining our entrepreneurial team? Then forward a short motivation letter and your CV to careers@confotherapeutics.com