

Scientist Target Discovery - Confobody discovery/GPCR biochemistry

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:

- Discovery of conformation-sensitive antibodies or Confobodies: selection, screening and characterization
- Supervision of (a team of) Research Associate(s)
- Project management
- Communicate progress to the project team

Your profile:

- PhD or equivalent with profound experience in antibody discovery, preferably on membrane proteins (generation of the key discovery reagents and/or antibody display methodologies and/or implementation of critical antibody screening assays)
- Bench-oriented, preferably with pharma/biotech industry experience
- Hands-on experience in membrane protein biochemistry, interest in GPCR biology or a strong background in molecular engineering are considered a plus
- 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