

# **Research Associate Confobody Discovery**

## **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 recruiting a (m/f): Research Associate Confobody Discovery.

#### Your responsibilities:

- You will support the Confobody discovery for therapeutic targets including the development
  of novel Confobody discovery techniques. You clone antibody repertoires, execute antibody
  selections and characterize antibodies in biochemical or cell based assays to assess their
  conformation sensitivity.
- You communicate experimental progress to the project team.
- You will manage Confo Therapeutics' construct inventory (antibodies and GPCR expression cassettes) in CLC Main Workbench and align with the Data Management System.

## Your profile:

- Bench oriented Master in life sciences or equivalent (preferentially trained in a biotech environment).
- Minimally 2 years hands on experience in molecular biology and proficient in any of the Confobody discovery techniques (antibody display, radiometric & immunological assays, flow cytometry, mammalian or insect cell culturing).
- Experienced user of CLC Main Workbench or Workflow Manager or alike 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.