

Senior Pilot Plant Tech

Job ID: 00413866

Job Function

Development

Schedule

Full-time

Location

United States-California
South San Francisco

Job type

Regular Employee

Company/Division

Pharmaceutical

Job Level

Experienced

Who We Are

At the Roche Group, about 80,000 people across 150 countries are pushing back the frontiers of healthcare. Working together, we've become one of the world's leading research-focused healthcare groups. A member of the Roche Group, Genentech has been at the forefront of the biotechnology industry for more than 30 years, using human genetic information to develop novel medicines for serious and life-threatening diseases. The headquarters for Roche pharmaceutical operations in the United States, Genentech has multiple therapies on the market for cancer and other serious illnesses. Please take this opportunity to learn about Genentech, where we believe that our employees are our most important asset and are dedicated to remaining a great place to work.

The Position

Your responsibilities will encompass all the activities involved in carrying out Process Development experiments with bacterial and CHO culture processes. This will include cleaning, sterilization, batching, and inoculation of bioreactors; preparing media and solutions, performing cell counts, operating harvest equipment, process and equipment troubleshooting, and experiment data recording and collection. Operate computers for process control and data entry. Partner with other shift personnel, and staff to carry out complex experiments for the development, characterization and validation of products and technologies. This job includes the improvement and creation of standard operating procedures, implementation of new technologies and equipment, participation in continuous process improvement efforts, and coordination of processes and experiments.

Skills:

The ideal candidate will display a strong focus on safety, quality, detail and results. Must be organized and capable of multitasking, have effective problem solving abilities, and demonstrated mechanical aptitude. Can proficiently perform aseptic operations with a high degree of consistency and quality. Communicates clearly, concisely and professionally in both verbal and written manners. This position requires the ability to effectively work in a team environment with diverse skills and objectives. Successful candidates must have a high level of demonstrated initiative, be self directed, exhibit flexibility in work approach,

demonstrate strong follow through and accountability, and embrace positive change.

Who You Are

A Bachelor's degree in a Life Science or Engineering and/ or equivalent experience in CHO cell culture or microbial fermentation is required. Must have a strong understanding of scientific principles as they apply to large scale CHO/bacterial processes and equipment (application of physics, biology and chemistry.) A demonstrated high level of process awareness is essential. Must be able to work weekends, off-shifts, and overtime as required. Must be able to lift 30 pounds.

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