

## Director, South San Francisco Production Technology

Job ID: 00414252

### Job Function

Management Production

### Schedule

Full-time

### Location

United States-California  
South San Francisco

### Job type

Regular Employee

### Company/Division

Pharmaceutical

### Job Level

Executive (Director/VP/SVP)

## 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

Reporting to the Vice President – SSF Production, the Director of Technology will be responsible for manufacturing science, validation, automation, recipe and document development and engineering functions in direct support of production.

\*Provide support to operations departments in make, assess, release activities; plan and execute process related capital projects within the plant in collaboration with Corporate Engineering; work closely with Global Manufacturing Sciences and Technology (MSAT), Process R&D, Regulatory Affairs and Quality, representing the plant on technology transfers, regulatory agency inspections and other issues and projects; foster innovation in technologies, processes and systems as part of continuous improvement and cGMP efforts.

\* Ensure goals, priorities, budgets and strategic plan are appropriately established and aligned.

\* Ensure proper resources are available (people, materials, equipment, facilities, processes) to meet current and future goals.

\* Ensure an uninterrupted supply of product in the near- and long-term.

\* Ensure systems are in place to successfully complete regulatory inspections.

\* Plan & manage to continuously improve safety, quality, reliability and efficiency.

\* Actively promote and lead Continuous Process Improvement (CPI), Root Cause Analysis (RCA), and risk assessment tools such as FMEA.

\* Ensure qualified staff are hired, trained, developed, and recognized.

- \* Develop, review and approve GMP documentation and regulatory submissions.
- \* Work in partnership with other Genentech staff to develop and champion policies, best practices, decisions and strategic plans.
- \* The incumbent will be responsible for directing, managing, and orchestrating Technology functions within the South San Francisco Drug Substance and Drug Product manufacturing facilities utilizing CHO and Bacterial production systems, and liquid and lyo fill lines to make commercial and clinical product.

## Who You Are

- \* 10-15 years of senior leadership /management experience
- \* Bachelor of Science in engineering or science, with advanced degree preferred in science, engineering and/or business (MBA).
- \* Demonstrated success in human biopharma or pharmaceutical industry, preferable in process science or manufacturing with significant cGMP experience
- \* Excellent communication skills, exceptional people management and strong leadership skills
- \* Demonstrated significant individual drive and a real passion to contribute; she/he approaches work with incredible enthusiasm and intellectual curiosity specific to solving far-reaching technical, scientific and business challenges and is able to position her/his teams in a similar fashion.
- \* Candidate is not only comfortable with ambiguity in a fast-paced environment, but will see this as an opportunity to drive improvements
- \* SSF Production is a 24/7 operation, and the Technology function supports operations around the clock, every day of the year. As a result, the leader of Technology will need to be available to respond to and escalate significant issues outside of normal business hours. In addition, during peak periods of work, such as FDA inspections, the leader of Technology will need to work beyond normal work hours.

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