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# **Innovation Associate R&D**

### About you

You have a thorough understanding of natural sciences and would like to break fresh ground. You want to deepen your knowledge in the field of innovation at a global market leader. Funding is a topic that interests you; you're eager to analyze the status-quo of our existing funding landscape and to track and disseminate funding opportunities from new funding steams – all with a special focus on innovation topics. The global orientation of this role makes you ready to travel approx. 30-50% of your working time worldwide.

In addition, you have:

- University degree in a science discipline (organic chemistry, biology, etc.)
- Proficiency in English and good level of German, any additional language will be considered an asset
- Project management skills
- Interest in innovation topics
- Experience in the refractory industry is a plus but not necessary

## About the job

As an Innovation Associate you will be responsible for managing and supporting projects based on our innovation strategy and on R&D developments. You will be the interface to the Innovation Project Leaders and Innovation Experts. Your tasks include handling the entire funding process for Innovation from initiating and administrating up to the successful closure. Additionally, you will be in charge of globalizing all innovation activities.

Your tasks will include:

- Close cooperation with R&D and the entire Innovation team with a focus on funding and administrating all initiatives and meetings
- Market screening for funding possibilities
- Administration of University and Partnerships relationships
- Globalization of all current activities linked to funding
- Support in management of Open Innovation activities

# What we bring to the table

We are the acknowledged industry leader in innovative technology. Our company is defined by people. That's why we attach so much importance to our employees. We have a collaborative culture that cherishes ideas and determination to add value for our customers. Our leadership style encourages openness, fresh thinking and initiative. We are pragmatic, positive and optimistic.

As a much-valued employer:

- We offer you a wide range of opportunities to prove your talents and learn new things
- We empower you to take responsibility and force your own career success
- You will work with a global team of highly engaged colleagues constantly striving for excellence with passion and through innovation
- We promote direct communication, openness and collaboration with our award-winning and innovative employee app
- We offer you a full-time position (38.5 hours/week) at our HQ in Vienna. Your monthly gross salary starts at EUR 3,370.50 according to our collective bargaining agreement. Your actual remuneration depends on your educational background and your skills and experience.

### Do you recognize yourself in this role?

We are looking forward to your online application! Please upload your resume including your personal profile via our <u>career page</u>. Applications via e-mail will not be taken into consideration.



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