



Just one question counts when it comes to your career:
Do you have the appetite?

Consumers everywhere are increasingly conscious of the quality of the food they eat. Puratos develops, produces and distributes worldwide a range of ingredients for bakers, pastry-chefs and chocolatiers who demand the very highest quality.

Puratos is an ambitious company with a workforce of 7000, known for its passion for innovation in over 100 countries. The more our company grows, the stronger our pioneering spirit becomes. This, coupled with our commitment to our employees and our partners, is what makes working at Puratos so unique.

Research Manager Metabolomics

Job description:

- Characterization of metabolite profiles for a wide range of food microorganisms to gain insights and create linkages between microbes within microbiomes
- Understanding the enzymes and proteins associated with food microorganism metabolic pathways (carbohydrates, proteins, lipids,...)
- Development of assays and bioanalytical methods using GC/MS, UPLC or spectroscopy corresponding to the state of the art to study the flux through these pathways, including the profiling of metabolites
- Perform statistical analysis of complex datasets to aid in biological interpretation of data
- Collaborate in R&D projects across a diverse set of scientific disciplines including fermentation, analytics and computational biology to provide insights and expertise required for successful project progression
- Identify external competences and partners to collaborate or access as a service

Profile:

- Master degree in Science (Bio-Engineer, Biology, Biochemistry or related discipline)
- In depth knowledge of metabolic pathways: food microorganisms, enzymes, proteins, metabolic fluxes, interactions,...
- Affinity with bakery, patisserie and chocolate
- Competency to motivate and influence people in a non-hierarchical setting
- External networking capability and communication skills
- Self-starter with the capacity to be proactive.
- Result driven with a positive mindset.
- Curiosity, creativity and open-mindedness
- Efficient project management
- Strong team spirit to work in cross-functional teams
- Consensus building capabilities
- Strong work ethic
- Fluent in written and spoken English
- Ready to travel

Offer:

An international position with a wide variety of responsibilities, an opportunity to work with an innovative, high performing and fast growing company, a complete remuneration package which reflects the level of responsibility.

Interested? Visit <http://careers.puratos.be> for more information and apply/send your resume to Bram Michiels (bmichiels2@puratos.com).