ABOUT LABOGROUP

We are an exciting Paris-based idea incubator created by Harvard professor David Edwards. Our latest venture, for which we recently raised funds by top-tier venture capital firms Polaris and Flagship ventures, is a new edible packaging technology called WikiCell that we believe can one day help eradicate all packaging waste.

JOB DESCRIPTION:

LABOGROUP is looking for a Food and/or Packaging Scientist who is a high energy self motivated person to work with WikiCell inventor David Edwards to develop their new edible packaging technology.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Report directly to David Edwards on all development work
- Manage existing development team in Paris (1 flavor manager, 1 assistant) to coordinate development and testing process
- Apply scientific principles in formulation development and implementation of production techniques for food and packaging
- Plan, execute, evaluate and document test work to optimize product.
- Maintain good laboratory notebooks and documentation that relates to new intellectual property
- Lead improvement initiatives aimed at increased product quality, process efficiency, and reduced production and production cost
- Work with Paris-based production team to finalize and implement machine for mass production of edible packaging
- Define good analytical methods to best test and characterize products according to regulatory needs

REQUIREMENTS

- 2+ years applicable Food and/or Packaging product development experience is recommended but not required
- Bachelor’s degree or higher in Food and/or Packaging science or related field
- Hands on, including bench experience in food and/or packaging development
- Strong presentation and communication skill as well as project management skills and a passion for food and food packaging
- Good working knowledge of chemistry and analytical characterization methods of liquids
- Working knowledge of GMP compliant procedures and practices in an analytical laboratory environment as well as food safety
- Ability to prioritize and successfully manage multiple projects
- Motivated and self-driven team player
- Solid knowledge of both French and English

This is a full-time position with benefits, a competitive compensation as well as an opportunity to be an integral member of a dynamic, exciting and fun team changing the way we transport and experience food.

Please send a cover letter and resume to alexandre@artscienclabs.com.