VACANCY iDNA

Clinical Technologist (Technisch Geneeskunde): Technical & Research Operations Manager

Groningen, the Netherlands

Profile of the institute

*Life changing early detection.* Up to now medical doctors were in most cases only able to extend the lives of people diagnosed with lung cancer. Recently, it was shown that low-dose CT-scans can detect lung cancer in its earliest stages, thereby reducing lung cancer mortality in a high-risk population. We want to make this life changing program available for those who benefit the most.

iDNA is a Contract Research Organisation with a focus on early stage lung cancer, as well as related co-morbidities cardiovascular diseases and COPD. Our services range from consulting activities (Health Economics & Outcomes Research), biobank research (validation of AI software on our CT data sets and research into biomarkers in biomaterials) to (implementation of) clinical/research projects; through pilot projects, scale-up programs, and international public-private consortia. We collaborate with multiple disruptive AI, biomarker and pharmaceutical private and public organizations, evaluating and implementing innovative technologies. We are at the forefront of innovation and implementation of lung cancer screening.

Position description

For our AI / imaging research we are looking for a Technical & Research Operations Manager who can methodologically develop and manage our research projects in this area and build the team. This position will be the linking pin with our CSO (prof. Oudkerk), the business developer on AI / imaging research and the executive team. The TROM gives shape to the research ambitions together with the CSO. You will be responsible for translating the market opportunities and research ambitions into a well-defined technical implementation of the research projects. Since all activities of the iDNA group are strongly interrelated, you also think along and are involved in biobank research and clinical/research activities in a broader sense.

Requirements

- You have an academic background (MSc) in the life sciences, and preferably clinical technology (Technische Geneeskunde);
- You have experience in medical imaging and Artificial Intelligence, preferably also in working with high-end medical imaging systems (CT);
- You have a can-do attitude, are flexible, and thrive in a high-paced environment;
- You have strong communication skills, you are culturally sensitive and are able to maintain contact with our (international) stakeholders;
- Your English is excellent in speech and writing;
- You can work independently, have the organizational skills to plan and execute your own projects successfully, and adhere to short deadlines and deliverables.
- Preferably, you are well experienced with Excel and PowerPoint.
What we offer

- Be part of a young and dynamic team of 20+ people in a fast-paced international environment of implementing complex programs within lung cancer (screening) in which new disruptive ideas are embraced;
- The opportunity to collaborate with key leaders and board level management within the private and public domain;
- Freedom and flexibility: discover which area’s/fields you would like to focus on;
- Competitive salary, depending on experience and education, this will be max € 6000,- (excluding holiday allowance and year of end bonus);
- Full-time position (40 hrs a week);
- Optional: getting a PhD degree using your day-to-day work activities.

Apply

Please contact us via e-mail or by phone if you have any questions regarding this vacancy. The vacant position is based in Groningen, however working (partially) from a remote location is optional.

In order to apply, please send a recent copy of your CV and a motivation letter of max. 2 pages to Dr. Erik Jippe (see contact details below). The vacancy will be closed once a suitable candidate has been selected. Please apply as soon as possible, but no later than 14-03-2023.

Contact: jippe@i-dna.org