

	Description
Function	Scientist, Analytical Development and Quality Control
Location / Contact	AC Immune SA, EPFL Innovation Park, Building B, 1015 Lausanne
	hr@acimmune.com
Percentage	100 %
Reporting Line	Team Leader ADQC - Vaccines
Company Profile	AC Immune is a clinical stage Swiss biotech company focused on the development of innovative therapeutics and diagnostics for Alzheimer's and other neurodegenerative diseases
	140+ Employees, 20+ nationalities, IPO in 2016, listed on NASDAQ
	AC Immune SA is a progressive, equal opportunity employer
Job description	AC Immune is seeking a highly qualified Scientist to support the identification and characterization of lead molecules and investigational medicinal products in clinical development. The candidate must possess a strong scientific background in Analytical Chemistry and must have drug development experience, preferably within a CMC or QC setting. He/she must have a clear record of scientific accomplishments and ability to interact across functions within a dynamic matrix organization
Key Responsibilities	Design, develop and optimize analytical methods to support selection of drug candidates
	Transfer and validate analytical methods at third parties
	Manage analytical testing activities (e.g. release, stability, characterization) of Drug Products, APIs and raw materials at external CROs
	Perform and coordinate analytical tests to support Research and Manufacturing
	Depending on project needs and growth, supervise and coach technician(s)
	Prepare, review and evaluate internal and third party scientific and technical protocols and reports as well as QC documents, including data consolidation and analysis
	Support Analytical Development and QC department in designing and monitoring the strategy, timelines and budget for assigned projects
	Support QA, Regulatory and Manufacturing departments to monitor and evaluate quality-related events (eg OOS, deviations, change controls)
	Ensure high quality analytical documentation for submission to Health     Authorities
	<ul> <li>Present data at international scientific conferences and publishing in scientific peer-reviewed journals.</li> </ul>
Qualifications & Skills	Required:
	Ph.D. in Analytical Chemistry, Biochemistry, or a related discipline
	Minimum 3 years pharmaceutical/biotech experience in an analytical related field, preferably interacting within multi-disciplinary teams
	Excellent knowledge and hands-on expertise on a wide variety of physicochemical techniques (e.g. HPLC/UPLC, LC-MS, IR, etc.).
	Advanced communication skills, verbal and written
	Fluency in English is a must
	Flexible team player with problem-solving skills
	Would be a plus:
	Experience with liposomal-based formulations.



	<ul> <li>Expertise in development and validation of bioassays (e.g. ELISA, cell-based assays).</li> <li>Experience working within a QC environment</li> <li>Familiarity with PhEur/USP monographs and chapters, and ICH/FDA guidelines related to analytical method validation and impurities</li> </ul>	
	• Experience in analytical activities for late-phase projects (Ph2b/Ph3).	