



Galapagos

Galapagos is a drug discovery company active in multiple therapeutic areas based on a collection of novel targets that the Company identified through a proprietary validation platform. These therapeutic areas include bone and joint diseases (rheumatoid arthritis, osteoarthritis and osteoporosis), bone metastasis, cachexia, anti-infectives, cardio-vascular and metabolic diseases. The company has established a strong portfolio of over 40 R&D projects part of which are progressed in Alliances with top-ten pharma companies. Our research activities in three European countries are successful thanks to our highly motivated staff of more than 200 employees, a unique technology base and a strong financial position.

For our site in ROMAINVILLE, France, we are looking for a

### **Director, translational science** (m/f full time) - RMV-030

#### **Job description:**

You will define the strategy for the translational science (TS) group in close interaction with drug discovery and early development teams. You will be responsible to implement the TS strategy and to lead the TS team (at least 9 scientists, including 2 - 3 PhDs). You will be able to take a key role in drug discovery projects in a matrix-driven environment, in preference in the area of metabolic and/or cardiovascular diseases. You will represent the TS team at senior level meetings in the drug discovery department.

#### **Profile:**

You have a PhD or MD or PharmD followed by 2 years post-doc experience plus at least 12 years relevant working experience in drug discovery, including at least 4 years of proven track record in translational science both in late stage drug discovery and early development.

An extensive line management experience in leading multiple scientific teams is required as well as a demonstrable interdisciplinary knowledge in the fields of pharmacology and cell biology. In addition, an expertise in metabolic and/or cardiovascular diseases as well as the capacity to build correlations between PK and PD data represent a major advantages. You are fluent in French, English.

At Galapagos we aim to recruit the best people, who stand out among their peers, with integrity and excellent interpersonal and organizational skills. Our employees are the strength behind Galapagos, a highly motivated team, eager to maintain Galapagos' leading position and achieve breakthroughs in pharmaceutical research. Galapagos offers a competitive remuneration package and a dynamic work environment.

Do you have the qualifications for this job opening and are up to the challenge of joining our entrepreneurial team? If so, please send your application (preferably by e-mail) to:

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