Job Advertisement

Title: Research Scientist - Grants

Job Location: Doddaballapur, Bengaluru, India (https://g.page/FNDRIN) (100% Onsite)

Company Overview

Foundation for Neglected Disease Research (FNDR) is a not-for-profit biotech R&D organization dedicated to discovering and developing novel therapeutics, diagnostics, and devices for diseases with a high socio-economic impact. Since its inception in 2014, FNDR has generated a portfolio of therapeutics in tuberculosis, nontuberculous mycobacteria, malaria, dengue, leishmania, serious bacterial infections, fungal infections, COVID-19 and RSV, spanning over early-stage discovery to late-stage clinical trials. FNDR's R&D Centre, which includes state-of-the-art BSL2 and BSL3 laboratories for both in vitro and in vivo research, is located in Bengaluru, India. For more information, please visit https://www.fndr.in/.

Summary

We are looking for a research scientist with a life sciences background to create and manage grant applications, scientific publications and scientific writing.

Responsibilities

Responsible for managing and developing 'request for proposal' documents including but not limited to looking for national and international funding opportunities (grants and awards) in the field of therapeutics, diagnostics, and drug development for infectious and neglected diseases, drafting proposal documents, liaising with collaborators and partners for collecting information (scientific/non-scientific) regarding the proposal, submitting proposal documents, and following up on them. Additionally, draft scientific communications, abstracts, slide decks, manuscripts for publication, literature searches, etc., ensuring comprehensive, high quality, scientifically accurate and consistent information in consultation with cross functional teams.

- Evaluate request for proposal (Indian and International) and determine the best approach for satisfying sponsor requirements.
- Gather data using various pharmaceutical databases and develop strategic proposals under strict timelines- plan and write drafts, review, and edit briefs, project specifications before applying for various grants and awards for the organization in the field of therapeutics, diagnostics, and drug development for infectious and neglected diseases to ensure a standard of excellence is met.
- Co-ordinate with cross functional teams/scientists- chemistry, DMPK, microbiology, virology and veterinary teams for obtaining data for proposals.
- Co-ordinate with potential collaborators, partners for preparing proposal documents

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- Collate internal and external reviewer's comments and prepare a final draft ensuring that the data, statements, and conclusions are consistent and presented in a clear, concise, and accurate manner.
- Manage cross functional teams to adhere to the project timescales.
- Manage and maintain the applied proposal applications
- Look for new national and international funding opportunities from time to time.
- Carry out literature searches and draft manuscripts by gathering technical data from different cross functional teams on the therapeutic diseases being researched upon.

Qualifications Required

- Master's degree or PhD in any Life Sciences program
- Proven track record in scientific writing
- More than 3 years Industry/Academia experience preferred

Skills Required

- Excellent English writing
- Read and understand scientific literature (life sciences, pharma, biology)
- Converting concepts and ideas into well referenced documents
- Ability to work independently with enthusiasm
- Decision making
- Knowledge of drug discovery processes and development
- Excellent oral, written and interpersonal communication skills and proficiency in English
- Ability to interact with people from diverse background
- Ability to work under regular deadlines

CTC Range: INR 7,00,000/- to 10,00,000/- per annum

Interested candidates to share their resume at hr@fndr.in citing *Application for RS - Grants* in the subject line and notice period, current location, current and expected CTC in the body text.

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