

## JOB VACANCY - LABORATORY TECHNICIAN

**Job purpose and scope:** To ensure the quality of finished product and accurately complete all the paperwork. To ensure safe, effective and efficient operation of the laboratory processes and adherence to procedures.

**Location:** Salford, Manchester

**Working hours:** 37.5 per week, **Week 1:** 08:00 – 16:00 Mon-Fri, **Week 2:** 08:00 - 16:00 Sun-Thur

### Principal Accountabilities:

- Carry out laboratory procedures, as described in standard operating procedures, in a safe and professional manner in order to produce results to the required quality.
- Undertake practical laboratory work, including physical testing of polymers including melt flow rate testing, tensile and impact strength, material density and polymer thermo-analysis.
- To be fully competent in the use of the lab task system, utilising all sections for completion and traceability of laboratory projects.
- Keep records including reports, enquiries, timesheets, samples & panels.
- Assist with support work, including supervision of batches in production, investigation of production problems, finding re-work outlets for redundant product.
- Investigation of customer complaints under the direction of the Laboratory Manager.
- Maintain a clean and safe working environment through daily housekeeping inspections and adherence to 5S practices.
- To be competent and fully compliant in the safe operation of equipment, including general lab equipment & ovens, granulator, solution preparation (with the appropriate training).

### Required Qualifications/Experience/Competencies:

- Ability to work independently as well as part of a team
- To be reliable and punctual
- Positive, can do attitude and self-motivated
- Excellent attention to detail
- Well organised and work well under pressure
- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Excellent in written and verbal communication
- Competent in using IT systems including Excel.

### Applications:

Please email your covering letter and CV to [jobs@axionrecycling.com](mailto:jobs@axionrecycling.com), or hand your covering letter and CV to Pasika Chongcharoenthaweek, Polymer Process Development Engineer.

Alternatively please post your covering letter and CV to:

Jane Bennet, Axion Recycling Limited, Unit 2 Tudor House, Meadway, Bramhall, Stockport SK7 2DG

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