The Belgian Center for Occupational hygiene (BeCOH) is looking for an Industrial Hygienist Leader to manage and coordinate BeCOH projects.

About the business

BeCOH is a non-profit organization that wants to focus strongly on promoting knowledge of occupational hygiene.

"The aim of the association is to promote occupational hygiene worldwide by establishing a point of contact for companies and institutions in order to keep them sufficiently informed about standards, sampling plans and analysis methods. At the request of companies, the association is responsible for organizing the sampling, analysis and reporting in the context of occupational hygiene, while ensuring that the (quality) requirements are according to ISO 17025. BeCOH wants to make full use of the competences, expertise and infrastructure present among its members to provide expert answers. The association will also participate as an umbrella body in research on various aspects within the field of occupational hygiene.

Based on this, BeCOH wants to be a knowledge center. BeCOH wants to share this expertise with third parties. As laid down in the articles of association, BeCOH grants on a voluntary basis, through various organizations, its knowledge and resources (WHWB international and UK - Workplace Health Without Borders), and also supplies knowledge and resources to OHTA (Occupational Hygiene Training Association).

About the role

You will operate as the link between the laboratories, clients and the daily management of BeCOH.

Specific responsibilities include:

- For our full customers
  o Develop, Implement and Improve the IH and OH programs and standards.
  o Set clear expectations related to what is required by the clients to ensure compliance and establish a process to verify compliance.
  o Provide hands-on expertise to implement and maintain IH/OH programs.
  o Ensure that IH Exposure Assessments and monitoring are performed and documented.
  o Assess clients IH and OH needs and help develop action plans to address gaps that are identified.
  o Uses various IH tools and systems to assess potential health risks and resources where needed.

- For our lab customers
  o Guide them in their exposure assessment plan (methods, equipment needed, etc.)
  o Provide quotes for equipment and analysis
  o Prepare lab reports for our laboratory clients

- Other duties as identified by the president, for example
  o Leading and submitting projects for EU or other funding.
Qualifications:

Basic Candidate Qualifications:

- Minimum a Master’s degree in industrial hygiene, engineering, chemistry, safety or related science.
- Minimum of 5 years working in industrial hygiene
- Minimum of 3 years in a lead role

Additional Candidate Qualifications:

- Strong verbal and written communication skills (Dutch and English)
- Ability to provide timely and effective communications to all levels of the organization
- Demonstrated ability to use influencing skills to accomplish goals and objectives
- Demonstrated ability to work effectively with individuals at all levels of an organization
- Ability to prioritize work and handle multiple / varied tasks efficiently
- Certification as a Certified Industrial Hygienist
- Self-motivated with strong initiative and bias for action
- Uncompromising drive for excellence and willingness to escalate issues as needed

Benefits and perks

- Competitive salary package according to the Belgian law
- Motor Vehicle included
- Ability to work from home
- Membership to related associations and professional development

If this sounds like you we want to hear from you, so please send your resume and cover letter to steven@becoh.be