

Nutrition Senior Scientist

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Nestlé Purina Research and Development Center, Amiens, France

Permanent role

This Scientist position is responsible for managing nutrition aspects in innovation and renovation of products/systems/claims/protocols/models from inception through commercialization. The role requires application of advanced expert nutrition knowledge in order to provide relevant guidance in helping address pet, pet owner and business needs. This requires actively collaborating and networking in the development of project briefs to guide and direct the nutrition specifications for new and renovated products. Similarly, this position is responsible for conducting fundamental and applied nutrition research (internal and external to Purina) in support of new nutrition claims and to support advances in PetCare Nutrition Platform areas.

Key responsibilities

- Lead research studies and coordinate product development projects with minimal supervision
- Plan, organize and facilitate nutrition studies in petcare facilities
- Proactively progress new advances in nutrition technologies into products, services, and communication
- Organize and lead creative sessions for the creation of new nutrition concepts/claims, new/improved feeding protocols or new/improved tools for nutrition studies
- Oversee quality of commercial and technical features and raise issues/lead solution-finding discussions
- Provide technical expertise, assistance and training

Education and experience

- PhD and/or a veterinary degree Minimum MSc in nutrition, plus 5 years experience in animal/pet nutrition research in academia or industry.
- Strong background and knowledge in nutrition, physiology, biochemistry, genetics, with demonstrated ability in the design and execution of nutrition studies
- Fluent in English (spoken and written)
- Experience conducting fundamental and applied research
- Exposure to working in a cross-functional, international team environment would be a plus

Show us that you have the ability manage projects with strong leadership skills, transition research into industrial application, manage multiple projects/priorities simultaneously, and utilize expert knowledge in nutrition to enable you to contribute to our success and the scope of a Nutrition Research Scientist and apply in English at www.nestle.com/jobs