



## Job description: Ecotoxicology specialist

The PEPPER association has been created in January 2020 and is located in Paris. Its mission, on a Public Private basis, is to “pre-validate” methods for toxicology and ecotoxicology testing in the field of endocrine disruption. The association’s mission spans from identifying potentially relevant methods to supporting their submission to international organisations in order to achieve mutual acceptance between their member states. The work is carried out in close cooperation with PEPPER governance (about one year), a Relevance Committee who debates on whether or not to select the methods for the pre-validation process, a Scientific Council in charge of the quality of the procedure.

### The Role

Part of a small team of 4 people and working in close cooperation with your colleague in charge of toxicology issues, your role is:

- to identify and document the test methods which are promising and mature enough to be examined by the Relevance Committee.
- to plan and arrange the necessary series of tests for these methods (repeatability, reproducibility, ring tests), to sub-contract these tests to external laboratories, to write down the reports which will serve as a basis for PEPPER Scientific Council’s decisions. Three projects are to be managed yearly, implying several partners;
- to support the developers of these methods in submitting required documentation to international validation authorities.

You will also be in charge of editing a newsletter on the topic of emerging methods.

You may also be asked to develop commercial services, namely offering the project management of the testing process allowing to develop a method to the point it is mature enough to enter the pre-validation process.

The Role involves developing strong relationships with PEPPER governance, with the Research ecosystem where these methods are being developed and with European and national organisations in charge of regulatory acceptance (OECD, ISO...).

### Profile

Engineer degree or PhD in Pharmacy or in ecotoxicology.

You have a minimum of 5 years of experience and a sound knowledge of experimental research processes, you also have experience in working with regulatory bodies on the subject of validation.

Some experience in testing laboratories and a good knowledge of the validation global process would be a plus.

Being comfortable in project management is necessary.

Fluency in English is a must and practice of French is needed.

Please send your CV with a cover letter including your salary expectations to [philippe.hubert@ed-pepper.eu](mailto:philippe.hubert@ed-pepper.eu)