



## Environmental Monitor/Analyst

Briar Chemicals is focused on providing the best contract manufacturing and site services to customers in the agrochemical, pharmaceutical and specialty chemical industries. Based in Norwich, Norfolk, Briar Chemicals is a leading large scale chemical company delivering customers' needs utilising its broad asset and technology base underpinned by its quality driven project management.

We currently have a vacancy for an Environmental Monitor / Analyst to join the Analytical Services Team within the Technical department.

Reporting to the Analytical Services Team Leader, the role will cover:

- Environmental Monitoring – defining and implementing procedures for sampling and monitoring emissions (gases, liquids, solids) from process plant and other equipment, to ensure compliance with the Site's PPC authorisation, the Environmental Protection Act and the Briar Chemicals' Health and Safety policy.
- Site Monitoring - define and implement procedures for sampling and monitoring ground water, soil and construction wastes for trace of contamination, and to advise the management on the significance of the results in order to facilitate disposal of any contaminated materials in accordance with Health, Safety and Environmental Legislation.
- Public Nuisance Monitoring – to carry out investigations from complaints and to establish possible cause.
- Analysis of collected emissions (gases, liquids & solids) using various analytical techniques and be able to interpret and assess the validity of the results.
- Routine analysis of other raw materials / products / effluent in support of production activities as and when required.

The successful candidate will also need to be highly organised, self-motivated and flexible.

The ability to work with a high level of autonomy and minimal supervision is essential as the Job Holder will be expected to think broadly and make significant evaluative judgement in their analysis and interpretation of results.

The candidate should have the ability to be a strong contributor in a small team on other areas of analytical chemistry / quality assurance.

The candidate will be expected to maintain an up to date knowledge of the legal requirements which could directly or indirectly affect the Site.

It is essential that the Job Holder carries out the monitoring roles with a high degree of precision and professionalism to ensure that the results are Quality Assured.

The data obtained must withstand critical examination. Failure to achieve this would result in considerable investigation and scrutiny by the Environment Agency.

The Job Holder must guarantee that the credibility of the Norwich Site environmental monitoring is maintained at the highest level.

Considerable investigative reasoning is required when following up Public Complaints.

The job involves working at heights.

## Your Qualifications / Experience

Prospective candidates should be/have:

- A minimum qualification to A-Levels is preferred in chemistry, analytical chemistry or environmental chemistry; however degree level or equivalent may be beneficial.
- Relevant experience of working in an environmental monitoring role within the chemical, pharmaceutical or similar industry.
- Formal training and qualification(s) in environmental chemistry or environmental monitoring would be beneficial.
- Computer literate (Excel, Word, Outlook).
- Excellent communication and influencing skills particularly when dealing with members of the public.
- Good team working skills
- A good level of physical fitness is required

Monday to Friday 39 hours per week.

**Closing date for applications: 19<sup>th</sup> November 2017**

If you would like to be considered for this role, please apply in writing to Human Resources, Briar Chemicals Ltd, Sweet Briar Road, Norwich NR6 5AP or email [HR.Recruit@briarchemicals.com](mailto:HR.Recruit@briarchemicals.com) submitting your CV and application letter stating why you believe you are a suitable candidate.