

Laboratory manager/technician, Department Vegetable Breeding

Occupation: Full-time

Period: Fixed-term contract, probation period of 6 months, possibility of extensions

Place: Plovdiv, Bulgaria

CPSBB is a newly established research center in Plovdiv, Bulgaria, with the financial help of the H2020 project PlantaSYST (Teaming), the Bulgarian Government, and the Municipality of Plovdiv. CPSBB's mission is to position itself at the forefront of plant sciences in Bulgaria and South-East Europe. This will be achieved by building on the research and technological excellence of two advanced partners from Potsdam, Germany: the University of Potsdam and the Max Planck Institute of Molecular Plant Physiology, Potsdam-Golm.

CPSBB is looking for a laboratory manager/technician, who can organize the day-to-day lab activities, assist the researchers working in the lab, and resolve the arising technical issues.

CPSBB is equal opportunity employer.

Job Requirements:

- MSc in plant virology;
- Experience as lab manager/technician in genotyping (GBS, AFLP/PAGE, SCAR, etc.);
- Experience in evaluation of plant resistance to pathogens;
- Fluent English and Bulgarian

Main responsibilities:

- Performing molecular analysis; screening tests for resistance to plant viruses;
- Ordering chemicals, consumables, equipment;
- Maintaining the lab in good order;
- Assisting the postdocs and the PhD students with their research and with all technical issues

We offer:

- Competitive salary
- Fast changing and growing scientific environment. Opportunity to build and develop. Career development in an international research institute
- Funding is available immediately

Applicants are encouraged to apply as soon as possible as the position will remain open until filled by a suitable candidate.

Interested applicants should upload the following documents:

- CV
- **letter of application, mentioning the position you apply for and the motivation to apply**
- **Recommendation(s) by former employers**

You can apply for this job by e-mail (secretary@cpsbb.eu).