

Risk Assessor for wild birds and mammals (m/f/d) - Ref. No 04-07.2020

RIFCON GmbH is an independent scientific consulting company offering a competent and adaptable service portfolio for the registration of agrochemicals, biocides and biopesticides. Our head office is located in Hirschberg near Heidelberg in Germany. Our 180 employees offer services ranging from complete EU registration packages, general consultancy work to sophisticated GLP field studies and various combinations of these elements.

For our ecotoxicology team located in Hirschberg / Germany we are looking for a wildlife ecotoxicologist in full-time to assess potential risks to wild birds and mammals exposed to plant protection products in the agrarian landscape.

Your Tasks and Responsibilities

The candidate will be involved in various aspects of registration activities for plant protection products under Regulation (EC) 1107/2009 including.

- Preparation of ecotoxicological risk assessments for wild birds and mammals according to EU regulations and national requirements
- Development of higher-tier risk assessment approaches including recommendations for field studies
- Evaluation of scientific data in the context of wildlife risk assessment
- Evaluation of scientific peer reviewed open literature
- Preparation of dossiers, reports and expert statements for registration purposes
- Strategic consultancy / project management
- Coordination and preparation of meetings with regulatory authorities
- Provision of internal and external trainings / workshops

Your Qualification

- Scientific background (biology, wildlife ecology, ecotoxicology or equivalent discipline)
- Good ecological knowledge of European bird and mammal species (amphibians and reptiles are a plus)
- Professional experience in the field of (regulatory) ecotoxicology is advantageous
- Very good level of written and spoken English (other language skills are advantageous)
- Experience in GLP & technical understanding is advantageous
- Self-motivated
- Excellent communication and team player skills

Our Offer

- Attractive working environment including indefinite contract and multifaceted tasks
- To work as part of a dedicated international team of scientists and staff
- Possibility of professional development and occupational education
- An option to widen your personal network in the area of industry, science and regulatory authorities
- High degree of project and self-responsibility
- Employer-funded pension
- Friendly and family working atmosphere
- Home office opportunities
- Flexible working hours and part time models
- Job ticket
- Allowance regarding child care
- Individual ergonomic advices, Yoga
- Team events
- Free coffee, tea and water
- Employee parking spaces

Contact

If you meet our requirements, please apply in English or German and send your application to jobs@rifcon.de with the **Ref. No.: 04-07.2020** before 31st August 2020 (please include a covering letter, your CV, a Letter of Reference and your salary expectation).