

Quality Systems and Laboratory Manager

Location: Kawerau, BOP

We are a start-up dairy manufacturing operation focusing on high value powders for local and export markets. We are seeking a talented Quality Systems and Laboratory Manager to manage a small team. The role will report to the General Manager.

The production plant is due to commence commissioning in April 2019, so we would like to get someone on board as soon as possible. Extensive start up support will be available for the successful candidate, to ensure we get the right start to our business.

The Opportunity:

- Developing and co-ordinating our manufacturing Quality Management Systems.
- Developing our quality standards and collaborating with our partners and customers to ensure consistency of quality.
- Working with stakeholders to ensure best practice technology and laboratory methodology is standardised across the site.
- Quality management of finished packaged product and packaging materials and work with the production teams to develop and drive a continuous improvement quality management culture.
- Manage the laboratory operations, including staff training, quality control, equipment maintenance and analysis scheduling.
- Our future plans are well in place and we will expect that this role will develop over time, into a much bigger technical management role.

About you

You will have three years or more experience in Quality Management System development and coordination in a food manufacturing environment, experience in laboratory operations and ideally supervision of a team. A Diploma in Technology (Food Science) or Diploma/Degree in Applied Science and Technology or similar.

This is a fantastic opportunity to be part of a start-up operation with significant ability to influence and contribute to the success of the organisation. We offer an attractive remuneration package and the opportunity to work in a dynamic, high performing team environment where world class outcomes are our goal.

To apply, submit your cover letter and CV to: dominic.young@xtra.co.nz .