

## Laboratory Technician (m/w/d)



### WHO WE ARE

Disco Pharmaceuticals is a young ETH spin-off company based in Schlieren/Switzerland and Cologne/Germany. We leverage a novel mass spectrometric technology to understand the architecture of proteins on the surface of cancer. We combine methodologies in cell biology, biochemistry, mass spectrometry with computational tools to identify relevant protein communities on the surface of cancer cells. Our goal is to develop innovative cancer therapies using our unique insights into the protein surfaceome of cancer cells.

### POSITION

To strengthen our activities, DISCO Pharmaceuticals Swiss is looking for a talented technician (BTA, MTA or equivalent) to join our international team. The candidate will be based in our lab in Schlieren and collaborate with a motivated and dynamic team with the goal to map the surfaceome of various tumor types to identify novel targets for cancer therapies. Given the nature of the duties and responsibilities, this is an on-site role. It is possible to perform the role on a full-time or part-time basis with a minimum of 70%.

### RESPONSIBILITIES

- Manage and handle various mammalian tissue cultures including immortalized and primary cell lines
- Take responsibility for laboratory organization
- General laboratory maintenance, equipment monitoring and maintenance, reagent preparation, inventory management, and master cell bank maintenance
- Conduct and document experiments in biochemistry and molecular biology with interdisciplinary applications in cell biology and proteomics
- Optimize and troubleshoot protocols as needed to ensure experimental accuracy and reproducibility
- Assist in writing, revising, and improving project and cell culture records and logs, SOPs and other required documentation

## **CANDIDATE PROFILE – Qualification and experience**

The candidate is trained as medical or biology laboratory technician with at least 3+ years' experience, preferably in a biotechnology or pharma environment.

We expect competences in the following areas:

- Strong expertise in tissue and cell culture of immortalized and primary human cells as well as in cell biology methods
- Strong experience in laboratory organization, including ordering and laboratory administration
- Proficiency in molecular biology and protein chemistry techniques, including protein extraction and biochemical assays. Familiarity with mass spectrometry sample preparation is beneficial but not a must
- Flexible and reliable team player, capable of working independently
- Good oral and written communication skills in English and German (main company communication is English)

## **CONTACT**

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