

Job Vacancy 'Junior researcher on valorization in AquaCulture'

At ABSint, we are passionate about how biotechnology can improve society. Our contribution is to help bridge the gap between research and industrial application in the biobased economy. We are dedicated to helping academic and industry clients in navigating the complex regulatory landscape surrounding biotech R&D, we help in translating the sustainability mindset in the biobased economy, and we assist with the valorisation of research results. You can find more information on our website www.abs-int.eu.

ABSint is one of the partners in the recently started EU Marie Curie project EATFISH (<https://eatfishmariecurie.wordpress.com/>). Each partner will host one early stage researcher, who will all study different aspects of aquaculture in Europe. ABSint is the only business partner in the consortium, and our role is to look at the valorization of aquaculture. To better understand the potential business models for aquaculture development, and to assess how entre- or intrapreneurship can enhance aquaculture profitability. The specific objectives are: (1) to investigate how the value that is created in EATFISH can be captured in a successful way, (2) to map existing and future business models for aquaculture entre- and intrapreneurship and (3) develop innovative finance structures for offshore aquaculture. The successful applicant will also work on other ongoing and future valorization projects within ABSint.

Your profile

- You are passionate about how academia and industry can come together to create value;
- You have a Master degree in an aquaculture related field and are business savvy, or you have a Master degree in business or business administration and have a keen interest in the bio-based economy in general and aquaculture in specific;
- You have a maximum of 5 years of work experience – fresh graduates are encouraged to apply;
- You can demonstrate strong verbal and written communication skills;
- You are a pro-active and ambitious person;
- You cannot have resided for more than 6 months in Belgium in the past 3 years;
- You are fluent in English; knowledge of another EU language is desirable.

Our offer

- A fulltime contract, with possibility for a permanent contract;
- Possibility to grow within the organization;
- The responsibility and freedom to really make a difference;
- Competitive salary package;
- A young and dynamic work environment;
- Flexible working hours, partially from home, partially from our office in Bruges (Belgium).

DEADLINE for application is June 30th of 2022.

START DATE negotiable, but preferably as soon as possible

Please send your application letter, including your CV and the names of 2 referees, to jobs@abs-int.eu