



## POSITION OPENING

The National Food Lab, a premier laboratory consulting firm, is expanding its sensory evaluation department and has an opening for a **Sensory Project Leader**.

**POSITION DESCRIPTION:** This position is responsible for supporting the descriptive analysis function at The National Food Laboratory in evaluating a wide variety of consumer products on a contract basis.

### KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Act as project leader for quantitative and consensus descriptive research studies. Manage all aspects of projects including language development, data collection, panel performance, and data analysis.
- Interface with clients to develop research plans for studies, cost projects, and develop proposals based on plan.
- Interpret study data, form accurate conclusions, and communicate results in written reports or presentations.
- Review panelists' performance and provide panelist feedback.
- Support additional sensory functions as needed.

### OPPORTUNITIES:

- Work in a interesting, challenging, and dynamic environment
- Work with a congenial and flexible, yet demanding and fast-paced department
- Gain experience on a broad range of products for an assortment of clients

### EXPERIENCE/EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- M.S. in Food Science or related discipline relevant to sensory evaluation
- 4-8 years experience in sensory evaluation, descriptive analysis, statistics
- Working fundamental knowledge of experimental design, statistical analysis, and computers
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills

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