

CEPI is looking for a **Vaccine Development Project Leader with global experience** to join the growing **Vaccine Development team based in London**.

If you are interested in joining the CEPI team and think you have the appropriate qualifications for this role, please read the detailed job description below and details of our current work available on our website before following the instructions for applying below.

Vaccine Development Project Leader, London

OBJECTIVES

This role will oversee the coordination and progress of a number of CEPI's funded projects in its growing portfolio of vaccine development projects. Working closely with internal and external project teams, partners and international experts, the Project Leader will be responsible for keeping projects under his/her responsibility on track.

Providing leadership and intervention, the Project Leader will engage with international experts to ensure the vaccine development projects progress effectively. Using a breadth of knowledge of vaccine development, they will identify areas where projects could benefit from greater level of expert input and work with colleagues to engage with resources accordingly.

Being the technical subject matter expert on vaccine, platforms and pathogens, the Vaccine Development Project Leader will lead and contribute to cross cutting work to enable the advancement of our vaccine project portfolio and facilitate success. They will be an ambassador for CEPI and represent CEPI on our Joint Monitoring and Advisory Committee, working in collaboration with our partners to ensure success.

ACCOUNTABILITIES

- Advise CEPI's vaccine development partners on advancement of the integrated product development plan
- Identify areas where deep subject matter experts should provide support to vaccine development partners
- Lead the CEPI team in the Joint Monitoring and Advisory Committee with our vaccine development partners
- Identifies potential technical issues or obstacles and works with vaccine development partners to resolve them
- Leads and contributes to technical cross cutting working groups to facilitate the advancement of the vaccine portfolio
- Acts as CEPI subject matter expert on vaccines, platforms and pathogens and acts as an ambassador to CEPI
- Contributes to stage gate and portfolio analysis process
- Supports continuous improvement of CEPI

EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE, KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS

This is an opportunity for someone who can demonstrate:

- Advance degree (PhD or MD) degree in relevant life sciences or equivalent level of qualification experience
- Minimum 8 years pharmaceutical industry, academic or non-profit vaccine development in a multi-disciplinary, global environment and with experience working in a global matrix team, remotely
- Experience in working with and leading product development consortia
- Broad knowledge of vaccine R&D including pre-clinical and clinical development, CMC and regulatory
- Strong leadership skills, with the ability to building trust with partners
- Strong interpersonal skills, team player, able to work in different cultural environments, to negotiate timelines and develop effective international collaboration. Experience working in southeast Asia, India, the Arabic Peninsula, or West Africa is a plus

- Strong critical and objective interpretation of complex development and scientific data
- Requires the flexibility and tolerance to best manage change and differing opinions with diplomacy and competence

TRAVEL AND LOCATION REQUIREMENTS

- Will be required to travel internationally on a frequent basis
- You must have the right to work in the UK to be considered for this position

WHAT WE CAN OFFER YOU

- Experience from the international effort on developing vaccines against EIDs and accelerating vaccine development response to outbreaks
- An exciting job opportunity at a newly established international organisation focusing on funding and facilitating vaccine development
- Attractive benefit package including holidays, health benefits and private pension arrangements
- Competitive salary

HOW TO APPLY

If you are interested in being considered for this position, please send your Curriculum Vitae along with a covering email / letter to jobs@cepi.net

If you have any questions about the position, please email Glenn.Foster@cepi.net