
Genetwister is an innovative Dutch biotechnology company founded in 1998 specialized in molecular breeding and bioinformatics of agricultural, horticultural and ornamental plants. Through our research projects we help our customers improve crop quality to enable more sustainable farming and a more reliable food supply for the future. Our shareholders are five internationally renowned vegetable and ornamental breeding companies we are proud to serve.

In view of further growth of the company, Genetwister has a vacancy for a

Senior Scientist Genomics (full-time)

to join our team in Wageningen, The Netherlands.

The Senior Scientist Genomics initiates and performs innovative research projects aimed at molecular technology development- or application, with a focus on generation of (reference) genomes, sequence-based genotyping methods, genetic marker development and other innovative applications of next generation sequencing for crop breeding.

YOUR POSITION

As Senior Scientist Genomics you fulfill a crucial role in Genetwister's mission to stay at the forefront of genomics technology development for application in crops. You are passionate about the opportunities to develop and implement new molecular methods and thereby contribute to the breeding programs of our customers in a wide variety of vegetable and ornamental species. We expect you to be pro-active, work with a high level of autonomy and communicate clearly about the impact of your work with internal and external stakeholders. You report to the Team Lead Genomics.

YOUR PROFILE

- You have a Ph.D. in plant genomics, molecular biology or molecular genetics
- You are a creative scientist with more than six years of post-doctoral work experience and a significant track record of (senior-author) scientific publications
- You are interested in technology development and optimization, and to implement new methods for routine use. Familiarity with IP protection of technologies is preferred
- You are sensitive to customer's needs and capable of translating opportunities into attractive research proposals
- You are a team player who enjoys working in an international environment and in multidisciplinary project teams
- You have excellent communication skills, are fluent in English and comfortable to present your research results to various (international) audiences

Genetwister offers you a challenging job in a commercial research environment with professionals who are passionate about innovation and application.

Please send your CV and brief motivation letter before October 1, 2021 to Tina Graafmans, Senior Office Manager at info@genetwister.nl. You can contact Stephan Ferreira, Team Lead Genomics, in case you have questions about this vacancy at +31 317 466 420 or s.ferreira@genetwister.nl.