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Company

Genetwister is a Dutch biotechnology company founded in 1998 specialized in molecular breeding and bioinformatics of agricultural, horticultural and ornamental plants. With our research we help our customers improve crop quality, stimulate sustainable farming and ensure a reliable food supply for the future. Our shareholders are four global family-owned vegetable and ornamental breeding companies we are proud to serve.

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

Researcher Quantitative Genetics

to join our team in Wageningen, The Netherlands.

Your position

The Researcher Quantitative Genetics is a member of our Genetics & Breeding team who will perform research activities that contribute to the advancement of commercial crop breeding programs. In this role, you will work on applied and innovative projects which focus on analyzing genetic and phenotypic data using a range of (proprietary) methods and tools to identify superior individuals for selected traits. You will contribute to realizing the objectives of Genetwister's R&D program, which aims to develop novel tools and methods and you may be involved in collaboration projects with academia. You will be responsible for delivering high-quality research results that contribute to the success of our clients' breeding programs and proactively contribute new project ideas. You will work closely with colleagues from the Genomics, Bioinformatics & Software Development teams.

Your profile

- Master's degree with at least three year work experience or a PhD degree in plant breeding
- A keen interest in bridging science and application
- A good understanding of, and hands-on experience with applying quantitative genetic principles and methods including linkage maps, QTL- and association studies, Genomic Selection and modelling GxE interactions.
- Proficient in statistical programming languages like R, to perform hands on data analyses.
- Fluent in English and professional communication skills
- Well-organized, accurate and a strong team player

Our offer

Genetwister offers you a challenging job in a commercial research environment with professionals who are passionate about innovation and application. You will have the opportunity to grow within a multidisciplinary team and contribute to the future of sustainable agriculture.

How to apply

Please send your CV and brief motivation letter before **January 19, 2026** to Tina Graafmans, Senior Office Manager at info@genetwister.nl. You can contact Stephan Ferreira, Team Lead Genomics and Genetics & Breeding, in case you have questions about this vacancy at S.Ferreira@genetwister.nl.

Acquisition further to this advertisement is not appreciated.