



Development Technician



Herrco Cosmetics have an exciting opportunity for a **Development Technician** to join our team based in **Halesworth, Suffolk**.

We are offering a starting salary of **£18000**

The Job: Working directly with the chemists and the team in producing products of all relevant categories and in-line with daily priorities. To work closely with the New Product Development team on customer requests including stability updates and press samples. Taking a key role in the stability / compatibility programme for both new product developments and existing products. Guiding and assisting colleagues on essential tasks from raw material sample renewal to packaging and despatch of products.

Herrco Cosmetics...

...are an innovative UK based cosmetics manufacturer, specialising in bespoke product development and formulation. For over two decades, we have been creating some of the most well-known cosmetic products in the UK, and year on year, our formulations are winning increasingly prestigious awards in top cosmetics ceremonies.

Manufacturing cosmetics and personal care products spanning skin care, bath, body, and aromatherapy products, as well as more niche markets such as mother & baby, Sun Protection factors and organics. Herrco is a thriving family business whose company philosophy is firmly rooted in providing flexible innovative solutions for our clients' production criteria.

We are now looking for a talented individual to come and join our team. We recruit people who believe in the things we do, people who are motivated, hardworking, and have a 'can do, will do attitude'.

Development Technician Job Duties:

- Contacting suppliers and requesting raw materials for development
- Assisting the chemists in troubleshooting manufactured batch issues.
- Producing samples for:
 - Customers, both NPD and additional sample requests.
 - Challenge Testing.
 - Stability / Compatibility trials
- Initiating stability / compatibility trials and updating all relevant records.
- Measuring and recording batch parameters
- Making observations on stability samples and notifying chemists of any issues.
- Updating stability / compatibility records and all relevant documents and spread sheets.
- Assisting the team in maintaining a clean, tidy and efficient laboratory.
- Formula Administration; printing batch formulas, updating creativity, filing hard copies and updating all relevant spread sheets.
- Growing and developing knowledge and laboratory skills.

Essential Skills & Experiences:

- Organizing, planning, and problem-solving skills
- Attention to detail and accuracy.
- Good interpersonal and communication skills
- Ability to work as a part of a team as well as be self motivated
- High standard on Microsoft packages, excel, outlook, word, power point



How to Apply:

Please email HR@herrco.co.uk with your CV and Cover Letter.