

Nutreco is a global leader in animal nutrition and fish feed. Our advanced feed solutions are at the origin of food for millions of consumers worldwide. Quality, innovation and sustainability are guiding principles, embedded in the Nutreco culture from research and raw material procurement to products and services for agriculture and aquaculture. Experience across 100 years brings Nutreco a rich heritage of knowledge and experience for building its future. Nutreco employs almost 9,300 people in 30 countries, with sales in 80 countries.

At Nutreco we believe in the value of **research & development** as a source of innovative product concepts and advances in technology, and as a resource for providing our customers with valuable advice and technical support. Our research & development makes an important contribution to improving the sustainability of Nutreco and its customers. Our commitment to R&D is fulfilled through our seven research centres in Europe focusing on various aspects of Nutreco activities.

To strengthen our R&D team at the Ingredients Research Centre,
Nutreco is currently looking for a

Senior Researcher Feed Evaluation

The job

As a Senior Researcher for the Ingredients Research Centre you develop new concepts, tools and knowledge for the operating companies of Nutreco. You will coordinate the feed evaluation research across species (pigs, poultry and ruminants) and play a leading role in the development and implementation of new methods and knowledge for assessing the nutritional value of ingredients. This is done in close cooperation with the innovation managers of the business units within Nutreco.

In this position you will:

- initiate and lead projects, carry out literature studies, set up trials at our own research facilities and transfer the acquired knowledge in presentations
- carry out laboratory, nutritional and physiological studies at a scientific level
- maintain and initiate contacts with universities/institutes and with our internal businesses
- coach our Junior Researchers and international students

The working location is Boxmeer, the Netherlands

The position offers the opportunity to:

- Join an established international team of researchers
- Work and operate in an international, progressive, competitive and highly innovative environment, close to practice
- Use of own research facilities and external contract research
- Play an important role in identifying, testing and implementing new concepts
- Interact with, and travel to, other company sites and conferences throughout the world
- Follow internal training programs
- Work in a nice working atmosphere

Who are we looking for?

- You have a PhD degree or equivalent research experience in animal science, animal nutrition or other relevant degree.
- You have several years of work experience in R&D
- Your knowledge of feed evaluation is above average and you combine this with the creativity to make this knowledge practically applicable. Expertise in Near Infrared Spectroscopy (NIR) will be of added value.
- You are a team player, expressing yourself clearly when transferring knowledge and ideas (i.e. presentations)
- You are research driven, analytically strong and result oriented
- Your English is fluent

How to apply

For further information on this vacancy, please contact Mr Coen Smits, Manager Nutreco Ingredients Research Centre, telephone +31 485 589 466. You can send your written application to Mrs Elvira Bennenbroek-Hurkmans (Human Resources Officer), Nutreco Nederland B.V., P.O. Box 220, 5830 AE Boxmeer, The Netherlands or via e-mail to Recruitment@nutreco.com.