

Job opening: Cell Culture Technician / Associate

Intro – Post headline

Join Our Team as a Cell Culture Technician / Associate at BIOEMTECH!

Are you passionate about cell biology and eager to contribute to cutting-edge research in oncology and radiopharmaceuticals? BIOEMTECH is expanding its Preclinical team in Athens, Greece, and we're looking for a **motivated Cell Culture Technician / Associate** to help drive innovation in molecular imaging and therapeutic development.

About us

BIOEMTECH is a trusted partner to scientists and institutions worldwide, specializing in **preclinical studies in radiopharmaceuticals**. Our vision is to accelerate preclinical research and support the clinical translation of promising drugs through our high-quality services and products.

As a **preclinical CRO**, we provide a one-stop shop at our **state-of-the-art laboratories**, covering the full preclinical study chain while applying a **GLP-like approach** in our daily operations to ensure reliability and consistency. In addition, as a **manufacturer of novel breakthrough imaging systems (eyes™ series)**, we bring simplicity, speed, and efficiency to early-stage compound testing, helping researchers streamline their workflow. Our ultimate goal is **to help scientists innovate at every step of their research journey**.

Job description

BIOEMTECH is seeking to recruit a motivated entry-level **Cell Culture Technician/ Associate** to join our team in Athens, Greece. In this role, you will be responsible for maintaining, propagating, and characterising mammalian cell lines while supporting preclinical oncology and radiopharmaceutical studies. You will conduct in vitro radioligand-binding and uptake assays and contribute to the development of mouse tumour models, working closely with a multidisciplinary research team.

Location

You will work in our Preclinical Laboratories in Athens, Greece.

Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in **Biology, Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Molecular Biology**, or a related field
- **MSc** in one of the above disciplines preferred
- **1–5 years** of hands-on cell culture experience in academic, research, or industrial settings
- Experience handling diverse mammalian cell lines
- Solid knowledge of **sterile techniques**, cell growth monitoring, and reagent preparation
- Familiarity with **cell-based assays** (e.g., viability, ELISA, solid-phase assays)
- Experience in **GLP/GMP** environments is a plus
- Prior experience with **radioisotopes** is considered an asset (training provided if needed)

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Skills

- Exceptional attention to detail and documentation accuracy
- Strong organizational and time-management abilities
- Team-oriented mindset with the ability to work independently

Key Responsibilities / Position Requirements

- Perform **routine cell culture maintenance**, including thawing, expanding, characterizing and cryopreserving of cell lines for use in *in vitro* and *in vivo* studies
- Ensure **strict aseptic techniques** to prevent contamination.
- Prepare and maintain culture media, reagents, and buffers.
- Monitor and record **cell morphology** (microscopic imaging), **growth rates** (cell counting), and **experimental observations**.
- Support the generation of subcutaneous and orthotopic **mouse tumor xenograft models**, by preparing cells for implantation into animals.
- Perform **cell viability** and **cell-based assays for radioligand binding**, internalization, uptake, and competition studies using gamma counting.
- Analyze data using relevant software (GraphPad Prism, Excel, etc.)
- Maintain accurate and detailed laboratory and experimental records in compliance with GLP/GMP and SOPs standards. Follow established protocols to ensure aseptic conditions and the highest quality of cell cultures and experimental outcomes.
- Ensure compliance with **safety and quality standards**, including biosafety and waste disposal regulations.
- Operate, clean, and maintain laboratory equipment such as incubators, microscopes, and centrifuges. This may also include scheduling maintenance and managing inventory.
- Monitor and manage the inventory of lab supplies and order new materials as needed.
- Collaborate with scientists and cross-functional teams to support experimental or production goals.
- Participate in troubleshooting, data interpretation, and presentation of experimental results.

What we offer

- Full-time contract with a competitive salary in the range of 20-25k annual income, based on qualifications and experience, supplemented with various extra-legal benefits
- Healthy work-life balance
- Working with an open team that encourages discussions and personal expression
- Opportunities to work in international teams and to attend meetings, conferences and trainings

Hiring Process

- CV submitting @ info@bioemtech.com
- 1st interview (on-site or digital)
- 2nd interview (on-site)
- Welcome onboard!

We're looking forward to working with you!

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