



IMERYYS

Board & Packaging Applications Scientist

IMERYYS is the world leader in speciality industrial minerals; active in 47 countries and with over 15,000 employees world-wide, the four business groups of Imerys represent consolidated sales of €3.3 billion.

We have taken the decision to focus and grow our business of minerals and pigments to Board and Packaging applications and segments. To support growth the team is now being reinforced with an Applications Scientist, reporting to the Board & Packaging Manager.

This role will be responsible for undertaking and driving technical developments for new products for Board & Packaging applications. The job-holder will work closely with the commercial and marketing teams to ensure that developments are underpinned by sound market knowledge and that successful opportunities are rapidly commercialised. The key tasks and responsibilities include:

- ◆ To plan, research and undertake technical investigations of the use and performance of IMERYYS products in Board and Packaging materials and applications
- ◆ To take a hands-on role in the development work, to analyse the data generated within the relevant project, and to write, and present, detailed reports on the projects as they develop
- ◆ To contribute technically to the commercial introduction and marketing of new products for Board & Packaging applications
- ◆ To maintain a detailed technical knowledge of Board & Packaging products (and raw materials) and their applications, and also to maintain a detailed technical knowledge of the function and use of minerals in Board & Packaging
- ◆ To attend, and contribute to, technical meetings, development trials, etc. both internally and at customer locations as required
- ◆ Close collaboration with the IMERYYS technical community and with Board and Packaging/Paper marketing and commercial resources

Our ideal candidate will:

- ✓ Be a Graduate in chemistry or equivalent scientific qualification
- ✓ PhD in chemistry, material science or chemical engineering would be a distinct advantage
- ✓ Have proven experience in Board & Packaging products and/or applications
- ✓ Experience specifically related to paper pulp & fibre science would be a distinct advantage
- ✓ Be dynamic, with positive energy and common sense
- ✓ Be a strong team player, but self-motivated
- ✓ Be fluent in the English language

Applications should be submitted to Mark Crawford by e-mail (Mark.Crawford@imerys.com) or at the address below:

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