

# Cryo-EM Specialist - Structural Biology

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## 摘要

ROLE LOCATION: Basel, Switzerland ROLE Type: Full-time Onsite, #LI-onsite

We are currently recruiting a Principal Scientist with a strong background in Cryo-Electron Microscopy (Cryo-EM) (Cryo-EM) to join our team in Basel, Switzerland. This position offers a unique opportunity to contribute to a dynamic and collaborative research environment.

The ideal candidate will bring scientific curiosity, strong motivation and a collaborative mindset, along with excellent organizational and communication skills.

About the Role

#### Job Purpose

Biomedical Research at Novartis is committed to pioneering innovative approaches that lead to transformative therapies for patients. The Discovery Sciences department at Novartis plays a critical role in early-stage drug discovery, driving the development of novel therapeutics to address complex and challenging disease targets.

Within Discovery Sciences, the Protein Sciences group is a collaborative team of experts dedicated to producing and characterizing proteins using biophysics, NMR, X-ray crystallography and Cryo-Electron Microscopy (Cryo-EM). These efforts enable target-based drug discovery and support the identification of promising therapeutic candidates.

#### Your responsibilities will include:

- Perform day-to-day operations within the EM group from maintaining and operating high-end electron microscopy to structure determination, modeling and interpretation of biologically and therapeutically relevant targets.
- Collaborate closely within the Protein Sciences group and cryo-EM colleagues at Novartis globally.
- Stay up to date with the latest developments in cryo-EM technologies.
- Mentor and train new users in EM techniques and best practices.
- Maintain detailed records of experiments, instrument logs, and maintenance activities.

### Minimum requirements

- Ph.D. in a relevant scientific discipline with 5 years experience or equivalent relevant research experience in an academic setting and/or in the pharmaceutical/biotech sector
- Strong background in cryo-EM techniques including sample preparation, single-particle analysis, and modeling.
- Excellent communication and presentation skills in oral and written English, German and/or French.

#### Desirable Requirements:

- Proficiency in scripting and automated processing workflows.
- Ability to troubleshoot and optimize cryo-EM data pipelines for single-particle analysis.
- Familiarity with Al-based tools for construct design.
- Experience with expression, purification and modification of a range of protein targets.
- Experience in cryo-electron tomography and dual-beam scanning electron microscopy.

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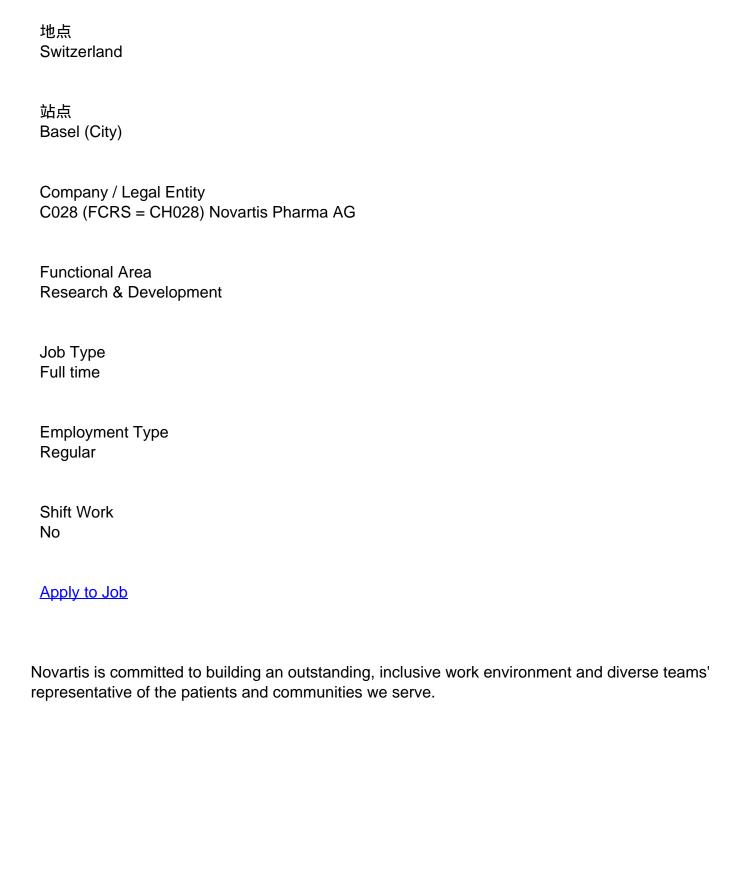
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