



Job Title:	Analyst, Quality
Location:	Belpre, OH
Employment Status:	Full Time
Reports To:	Quality Manager
Travel (%):	< 20%

Major Roles & Responsibilities

Kraton is looking to hire a new member of our Quality Assurance team. The Quality Analyst will support the Belpre site's analytical needs for ongoing production as well as R&D innovation and Lean Six Sigma.

Major Roles & Responsibilities:

- Provide analytical technical support to the Plant Quality Assurance Laboratory and Plant Operations.
- Serve as the Method Owner for numerous analytical methods.
- Serve as project leader on selected Quality Assurance capital projects associated with analytical methodology and laboratory operations including project justification, AFE development/approval, project tracking, and closure.
- Identify and manage external laboratory resources including initial assessments and periodic performance reviews.
- Serve as a technical resource on selected plant RCA's and projects (e.g. product color problems, slag pond problems, etc.).
- Provide regulatory compliance assurance in QA (FDA, environmental).
- Oversee Environmental and FDA testing.
- Provide general lab support to include document management, sample administration, and knowledge of type change schedule.
- Manage QA Meridium activities.
- Statistically analyze Analytical Methods for accuracy and precision.
- Revise, update, and create Analytical Methods.
- Assist with product testing.
- Liaison for FDA/GMP compliance testing.
- Serve as the analytical resource for Kraton's Innovation Center in Houston, TX.
- Troubleshoot resource for production unit quality issues.
- Develop SQC charts for customers.
- Perform instrument troubleshooting and setup of new equipment.

The statements above are intended to describe the general nature and level of work performed by employees assigned to this classification. Statements are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of all duties, responsibilities and skills required for this position.

Kraton's internal talent acquisition team manages our recruiting efforts and from time to time works with pre-selected/pre-approved external staffing agencies. We do NOT accept unsolicited resumes or candidate referrals from recruiters and/or agencies who are not pre-selected/pre-approved.

<u>Skills and Experience</u>	<p><i>Required</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Minimum of 5 years of experience in chemical laboratory setting• Familiarization with ISO9001• Strong Computer Skills (MS Office, Minitab)• Knowledge of Kraton products and management systems preferred.• Ability to drive change and lead improvements.• Ability to influence others.• Excellent communication skills.• Successful candidates will be detail-oriented, able to work independently with a minimum of supervision.• Excellent troubleshooting skills.• Able to work with all levels of the organization.• Be familiar with NMR, GPC, and FTIR testing.• Bachelor's Degree in Chemistry or Analytical Chemistry.• Will consider candidates with Bachelor's Degrees in Science or Engineering. <p><i>Preferred</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Master of Science preferred.
<u>How to Apply</u>	Submit your resume to jobs@kraton.com Your privacy is important to us. For information on how we handle your personal data, please review our applicable Privacy Statement