

Quality Control / Entry-Level R&D Chemist

KOSTER American Corp has an immediate opening for a full time entry-level chemist. Responsibilities include the opportunity to learn and perform quality control testing in a state-of-the-art industrial coatings lab. Procedures include coatings film draw downs, viscosity measurement, determination of unit weight, gel time, evaluate and compare color, assess drying time, and perform analyses of raw materials and finished products using Fourier transform infrared spectroscopy. The position also involves supervised polymer coating research and development work.

Essential skills include a strong desire to perform careful, accurate analytical work; ability to follow lab safety procedures; understanding of math for unit conversions and mix ratios; typical analytical lab unit operations including weighing and volumetric measurement; experience with interpretation of IR data is a plus; working knowledge of Microsoft Excel and Word is required. Position requires a minimum of an associate degree (A.A.S.) or 2 years of experience working in coatings laboratory. Academically, the ideal candidate will have completed general chemistry, analytical, and organic chemistry classes. ACS-certified B.S. in chemistry preferred.

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