



TECHNICAL SPECIALIST – FOOD

NCS International is one of Australia's largest and most experienced third-party certification bodies with a strong national footprint and expanding international operations. We are seeking a Technical Specialist to join our food safety team preferably in our headquarters in Sydney, or in one of our branches in Brisbane, Melbourne, Adelaide or Perth.

Reporting to the Technical Manager you will

- Have tertiary qualifications e.g. Bachelor of Food Science or equivalent;
- Have a minimum of 5 years total work experience including a minimum of three in food safety, quality assurance, food technology, food science, agricultural science or regulatory compliance;
- Have some knowledge of standards such as WQA, SQF, BRC and Codex HACCP. Recognition as a Coles Auditor and approval as a WQA auditor (or ability to gain) viewed favourably;
- Computer literate and ability to comfortably manage multiple files, records and backup processes;
- Highly organised, with a proven ability to manage a number of projects at any given time;
- A good communicator that can liaise with, and influence, a wide audience including staff, external groups and committees;
- Be RABQSA certified as a food safety auditor with a variety of scopes or at least meet the requirements for same.

Your role will be to

- Conduct Technical certification reviews within area of expertise (Food standards) and co-ordinate resolution of issues to ensure that turn-around times meet established KPIs;
- Maintain a 30% audit load and RABQSA certification;
- Keep up to date with changes in food standards and legislation. Assist in corresponding documentation and training updates;
- Provide specialist assistance to the Technical Manager and Divisional Manager Food to undertake program development, knowledge and maintain consistency;
- Assist in implementing changes required due to updates of standards and JAS-ANZ procedures / policies / advisory notes;
- Undertake witness audits as directed and assist in the maintenance of the witness audit schedule;
- Provide phone and email support to staff enquiries regarding reporting requirements and related technical audit issues;
- Provide technical advice where required to key clients on audit outcomes.

As the pioneer and leader in the certification and compliance services industry, NCS International is investing in their people by providing further training and support to add additional skills. The remuneration package includes a base salary, superannuation and a car allowance. Employees are entitled to participate in the company bonus scheme and will benefit from our Work-Life-Balance policies. This is your opportunity to make a difference!

Please forward your resume to careers@ncsi.com.au. For more information, contact Ariane Falkenberg, Human Resources Manager, on 02 8999 0600.