**Graduate Internship Programme – Employer Job Description**

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| **Job title** | Graduate Technical Assistant (NALI) |
| **Organisation** | Nali Consulting |
| **The line manager who the intern will report to** | Natalie Alibrandi |
| **Is this role hybrid working or permanently onsite at your company?** | Hybrid working |

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| **Please provide a one-sentence description for advertising the role on the GI website** |
| Technical Intern at Nali Consulting to support product development for food and beverage brands |

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| **The main purpose of the job** |
| The aim of the internship is for the post holder to gain employability skills and experience of working in a professional working environment and an understanding of aspects of the business.  To provide technical and curriculum support, demonstration and supervision for the technical facilities, and equipment for Nali Consulting. This includes the set-up, maintenance of resources and equipment, and the provision of technical assistance to students and academic staff.  The post holder will work as part of a team to enable the effective operation and delivery of technical support and services in Nali Consulting, and to actively promote the services and cross-disciplinary working.  Graduate Interns will be supported throughout their internship with a programme of development and evaluation. |

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| **What you will gain from this internship** |
| 1. Support in product development for the food and beverage brands we work with 2. Support R&D at our partnership with the University of West London Lab 3. Research on food and beverage trends in the industry 4. Technical support on product analysis and shelf-life studies 5. Research on manufacturing and copackers for projects |

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| **Key areas of responsibility** |
| 1. Leading product development at the University of West London laboratory 2. Responsible for conducting analytical and sensorial testing on samples made at UWL lab 3. Supporting the Head of R&D on all live projects 4. Supporting conducting research for market analysis or testing requirements for clients |

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| **Skills/knowledge that would be desirable** |
| 1. Ideally a background in food science/nutrition/agribusiness/chemistry or biology 2. Interest in working within the food and beverage industry 3. Knowledge of analytical testing for food and beverage products 4. Experience working in a food laboratory |

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| **Recruitment criteria** |
| Graduate must have completed an undergraduate degree, BA/BMus/BSc/BEng/LLB etc. and be from the summer graduating class of June/July 2023. |

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