

Vita Coco

Quality Assurance Specialist

Vita Coco is the pioneer in coconut water and is the #1 selling coconut water in the US. Vita Coco is a passionate, fun-loving, Brazilian coconut water brand in one of beverage's fastest growing and most profitable segments. Beyond its impressive natural hydration and functional benefits, Vita Coco has built a real following in popular culture with celebrities, professional athletes, top-selling musicians, and many more.

Position Summary

Vita Coco's Quality Assurance Specialist for the AMI office business unit will be a key member of the Global Quality team and help assist with all quality measures from factories, co-packers and warehouses. This position will be responsible for helping aid in the launch of our new database quality system as well as managing quality attributes on the market level. As a part of AMI this quality personnel will be strongly focused on market quality to communicate back to the factory level.

The QAS will help drive the company's quality performance by providing quality control analysis through the use of testing parameters and data analytics to determine trends amongst factories.

Location:

All Market Inc.-New York

Requirements:

- 1-3 years' experience in quality or consumer foods industry preferred
- Chemistry or Nutrition and Food Science Technology education
- Experience in beverages preferred
- Ability to travel internationally and domestically
- Ability to adapt to work with different cultures

Responsibilities:

- Management of all quality reports for data analysis and trending to be communicated to factories
- Management of all document related material for food safety, kosher, employee welfare etc.
- Management of all quality holds within AMI
- Sensory Analysis Training of Key internal employees and external plant personnel
- Work with suppliers for all quality matters involving product performance
- Develop a strategies to implement new processes with the department
- Manage relationships with operations, suppliers and R&D

Qualifications & Skills:

- Degree in Food Science and/or Basic Science
- Strong analytical skills
- Fluent in English
- Extremely well-versed in project management.
- Advanced statistical analysis skills
- Expert level proficiency in database management
- Proven leadership skills with demonstrated experience in leading and driving change within a team.

Personal Characteristics

- A team player by nature
- Superior analytical skills and attention to detail.
- Strong set of personal and business values
- Communicates a message that is understandable and relevant, linking business issues, analytical results and strategy.
- Understands the dynamics of an entrepreneurial high-growth business and effectively manage relationships.
- Good people development skills (can motivate, recruit, develop and retain high potential people) are essential.
- Entrepreneurial with a self-starter mentality; creates their own urgency.
- Action-oriented: A history of getting things done quickly and efficiently with limited resources.
- Possesses the energy level and results-orientation required to succeed in a smaller company environment; roll up your sleeves while keeping your eye on the bigger picture.
- Superior analytical skills and attention to detail.
- Results oriented with a strong work ethic.

Please send your resume to nalibrandi@vitacoco.com