

At R&W Scott we have been handcrafting jams and preserves from our site in Carluke in Central Scotland for over 130 years. We have taken this expertise to expand our range of quality products to now include marmalades, curds and sweet sauces; to chocolate coatings, jellies, fruit pie fillings and more.

We are looking to expand the existing Technical department with the addition of a QA Team Leader. The successful candidate will be responsible for ensuring that the food manufacturing process complies with all food safety and quality specifications. Along with first line management of a dedicated team covering all aspects of factory quality. The Quality Team Leader ensures the food safety, quality and legality of R&W Scott produce

Key responsibilities:

- Providing a high-quality technical expertise across all shift patterns at R&W Scott
- First line management of the hygiene team
- To promote the required technical standards and awareness throughout the business
- Ensure that customers (internal and external) receive a quality service and a high standard of care, meeting agreed standards
- To provide leadership and support to the operatives in regard to food safety & quality, providing training, guidance and raising concerns as appropriate
- Effectively communicate with staff, colleagues and senior managers on matters regarding production, quality, service, safety and people issues as necessary maintaining good employee relations
- To complete staff rotas for holidays, daily & weekly staffing and all aspects of resource planning to assist Production plans
- To ensure traceability is being achieved for all factory products by ensuring efficient procedures are being supplied, regularly auditing and spot-checking Production & QA checks
- To audit for compliance to expected quality and factory standards through relevant audit processes, taste panel, micro, weight controls etc
- Ensure CCP's are being controlled and monitored to agreed standards
- Auditing and reporting on GMP / hygiene standards within the factory
- To take an active role in new product development as defined within the NPD critical path
- Respond to customer quality comments / issues in a timely manner
- To manage reject stocks to ensure proper disposal or re-manufacture.

If you think you have the right skill set for this role, please send your CV along with a covering letter stating salary expectations and notice period.