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Animal Health Intelligence

Job Title: R&D Program Manager, Allflex Livestock Intelligence

Department: Development and research

Position Location: Agrident GmbH, Barsinghausen, Germany

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AN INNOVATIVE COMPANY IN EMERGING DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY FOR LIVESTOCK.

Through its commitment to the Science of Healthier Animals®, MSD Animal Health offers veterinarians, farmers, pet owners and governments one of the widest ranges of veterinary pharmaceuticals, vaccines and health management solutions and services as well as an extensive suite of digitally connected identification, traceability and monitoring products. MSD Animal Health is dedicated to preserving and improving the health, well-being and performance of animals and the people who care for them.

MSD Animal Health Intelligence is a business unit of Merck Animal Health responsible for the non-BioPharma Technology within the group. Allflex Livestock Intelligence (ALI) is the Livestock business within MSD Animal Health Intelligence.

ALI is the world leader in the design, development, manufacturing and delivery of solutions for animal identification, monitoring and traceability. Our data-driven solutions are used by farmers, companies and countries to manage hundreds of millions of animals worldwide. As the largest provider of animal identification technology, we meet growing customer needs by providing over 500 million tags for identifying, tracking and monitoring animals every year and we monitor over 5.5 million cows daily, which allows access to real-time, actionable data and insights to help improve or enhance animal management and health outcomes.

With over 60 years of experience and around 1,900 team members worldwide, we have a global network of experts, each with a great depth of experience and unparalleled knowledge, who provide a valuable resource to farmers, companies and countries. Allflex Livestock Intelligence has manufacturing and technology subsidiaries in North America, Europe, Israel, South America, China, Australia and New Zealand. Our products are distributed in over 100 countries.

By putting intelligent, actionable management information into farmers' hands, our solutions empower them to act in a timely manner to safeguard their animals' health and wellbeing, while achieving optimal production outcomes for a healthy food supply.

The other business units of MSD Animal Health Intelligence are Sure PetCare, which innovates, develops and commercializes connected devices for pets and Biomark & Vaki, which together develop and commercialize technologies in fish, both for fish conservation in rivers and also for aquaculture.

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Job Description:

Antelliq is a world leading company in animal monitoring and animal intelligence. We are looking for a highly talented and motivated Program Manager to join the R&D team.

As a Program Manager you will manage few projects from initiation stage, working with Marketing and Product managers through development to a successful release. You will manage the day-to-day working of several SW projects and activities, managing projects/products lifecycle and ensuring that R&D is working on the most important tasks, and that releases happen on time and with a high quality. In addition, you will cooperate with other programs including hardware projects and with entities external to R&D department ensuring products are rolled out properly.

The ideal candidate is a strong and independent individual, with strong background in SW development who knows how to lead a team in the right direction even without a formal authority.

Responsibilities:

- Collaborate with DEV Teams, QA, Product managers and other stakeholders. Work closely with the R&D Team leads and Product Managers to make sure that the right things are being worked on and programs/releases are delivered on time.
- Help prioritizing product development efforts by balancing feature requests, reported issues, customer requirements and business constraints.
- Collaborating with other departments at the company, such as Marketing, Engineering and Support group assisting them with R&D tier support issues.
- Cooperating with other Program managers both Software and Hardware.
- Defining and implementing development processes and tools.

Key Competencies:

- Reliability and project planning experience.
- Ability to work in cross-functional teams.

Qualifications:

Education Minimum Requirements

- B.Sc. in Computer Science or similar

Required Experience & Skills

- 5+ years of experience as a Program/Project Manager
- SW development experience and strong technical background
- SW architecture understanding
- Solid understanding of SW development lifecycle
- Working experience in a company that creates and markets its own products (both HW and SW)
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills, maintaining proactive and can-do attitude
- Experience in Agile environments
- English – Fluent

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Job: R&D

Travel: Yes (~2/year)

Shift (if applicable): N/A

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