



Job Description

Director of Quality and Compliance

Department: Operations

Type: Permanent

Location: Amsterdam or Remote

Hours: 32 - 40 per week

Reports to: COO

Salary: Competitive plus bonus and stock options

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Our Core Values



Achieve anything with a healthy and happy team



Push boundaries through direct communication and diversity



Act responsibly and protect the data



Amaze through user-friendly and rewarding experiences



Maximize research impact

About the role

At Castor, we're all committed to a world with faster, smarter, medical research. Our cloud based software solutions are revolutionizing data capture for academic and commercial researchers worldwide. You've found yourself a company with a true purpose.

Our Operations team support all the professional 'cogs' that allow us to make the magic happen. As we move into our next investment, we're on the lookout for a Director of Quality and Compliance to join the team.

In this role, you'll take overall ownership and accountability for the entire Quality & Information Security Management (QISMS) system at Castor. By proactively managing quality and compliance, you'll keep the business ahead with requirements as we enter new, more regulated markets.

What you'll be doing

- Maintain a world-class QISMS that supports business needs
- Maintain Standard Operating Procedures and Work Instructions
- Ensure policies and procedures are lean and practical
- Educating teams on applicable regulations such as 21 CFR Part 11, GCP, Annex 11, GAMP, various relevant ISOs, and HIPAA
- Coordinate and conduct supplier audits
- Address QISMS gaps as we enter new markets
- Ensuring we are ahead of product compliance for new functionality
- Inform the product roadmap based on compliance gaps
- Support commercial growth through compliance documentation, RFPs, customer conversations and general sales queries
- Facilitate and coordinate customer audits
- Set up tooling to enable remote audits by prospects/customers
- Support market growth decisions based on compliance requirements

What you'll bring

You'll definitely have:

- Experience working in life sciences space with a strong understanding of Good Clinical Practice and 21 CFR Part 11
- Working knowledge of general quality and compliance principles
- Tech savviness with experience working in an IT/ technical environment
- A broad ability and passion for autonomy in a hands-on role
- The ability to communicate and drive decisions with Senior Managers
- A customer focussed and collaborative approach
- Exceptional written communication skills (eg - for SOPs)
- A pragmatic approach with an aptitude for process perfection
- The adaptability and resilience to thrive in a fast-paced startup

It would be good if you had:

- Experience of handling and answering compliance questions in RFPs
- eClinical technology platform experience (EDC, CTMS, eTMF, IRT)
- Certified Information Systems Auditor or Certified Quality Auditor (CQA)

Your main contact for this vacancy:



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