



The **Biostatistics and Research Decision Sciences** department is currently searching to recruit two Statistical Programming Analysts for its Brussels office.

<p style="text-align: center;">2 STATISTICAL PROGRAMMING ANALYSTS in Brussels Office (Belgium)</p>

Description of position

The Statistical Programming Analyst leads the statistical programming work in drug clinical studies as part of a global cross-functional project team (including data managers, clinicians, statisticians and IT stakeholders). He/She is part of a global organization and reports to the manager of Scientific Programming in Brussels.

Responsibilities include:

- Development, testing and validation of high quality and efficient SAS code used to create statistical analysis datasets, tables, figures and listings to support clinical study analysis and regulatory interactions.
- Development of documented programming requirement specifications in collaboration with project biostatisticians and clinicians.
- Support and coordination of project activities related to preparation and creation of safety and efficacy reporting deliverables (SDTM files, analysis datasets, tables, figures and listings).
- Compliance to Standard Operating Procedures and Software Life Cycle.
- Contributions to the review of key project specific database specifications.

Profile

- Bachelor/Master preferably in Computer Science, Statistics, Life Sciences. Master is a preferred.
- Several years of relevant experience in statistical programming in the clinical trials environment (preferably supporting Phase II to IV studies).
- Thorough knowledge of programming techniques (especially very strong SAS background), analytical ability, and sound professional judgment.
- Good project management skills and broad knowledge of clinical trials processes.
- Team player with excellent interpersonal skills and ability to communicate effectively. Excellent collaboration, negotiation and organization skills.
- Fluency in English, verbal and written is essential.
- CDISC SDTM and ADaM standards knowledge is a plus
- Ability to independently support a clinical trial from a scientific programming function.
- Last but not least, passion for programming and clinical data.

Candidates should apply by sending their Resume directly to Nathalie Vion (nathalie_vion@merk.com)