

# Product Development Technologist

Walter & Wild is a New Zealand Manufacturing company with a substantial portfolio of iconic brands including Hubbards, I Love Food Co., Aunt Betty's, Hansells, Vitafresh and Alfa One. We are growing which is why we have two awesome, full time, permanent Assistant Brand Manager vacancies. The roles are 40 hours per week based in our Penrose office, just a short walk from the Train Station.

## Responsibilities for the role include but are not limited to:

- New Product development
- Trials and Testing of formulations
- New raw materials and packaging sourcing
- Costings and documentation
- Adhering to food regulations

## To be successful for this role, you will:

- Be results driven
- Have a strong business acumen
- Be an innovative and creative thinker
- Take initiative and know how to problem solve
- Work well within a team and build collaborative relationships
- Be well-organised, adept at planning and able to prioritise effectively
- have a qualification in Food Technology or relevant experience
- Experience with AX or similar ERP systems
- A "can do" attitude, positive demeanour, sense of humour and flexible style is a must

Having product development experience in an FMCG or a similar industry and management of new product development projects is not required but will send you to the top of the shortlist. We are after someone with exceptional communication skills, a bubbly and driven personality plus an attitude where nothing is too difficult, and great customer experience is at the top of your priority list.

## Why Walter & Wild?

Joining us means joining a global organisation with very exciting growth plans.

With a fresh approach, we aspire to be the leading innovator, marketer and creators of food in NZ. Whilst our ambitions are big, we do not want to feel big.

At Walter & Wild we believe in being fiercely independent and doing what we feel is right and sometimes that means taking the path less traveled.

At Walter & Wild, we celebrate and value what makes us different. Having a variety of people who are passionate, innovative, flexible and who know how to have fun is important to us.

Our people are Walter & Wild.

Basically, what we are trying to say is that Walter & Wild is an awesome place to work full of equally awesome people.

## The Box Ticking Stuff:

- Only applicants with the right to work in New Zealand will be considered for this role.
- In line with Walter & Wild policy, all applicants must agree to pre-employment drug testing and health assessments (and need to pass!)

**To apply for this job go to:**

**<https://walterandwild.recruitment.co.nz/Current-Opportunities/>**

**& enter ref code: 4615273. Applications close 29 March 2019**

