

**ROLE PROFILE: QA / QC Assistant – Summer Placement**

**Background**: Timothy Taylor (<http://timothytaylor.co.uk>) is one of the UK’s most respected family brewers; based in Keighley, West Yorkshire and producing high quality and nationally renowned ales (‘Boltmaker’ was voted the Champion Beer of Britain in 2014 at CAMRA’s Great British Beer Festival and ‘Landlord’ has won the same award--and many others--more times than any other beer).

The Company also has a modest pub estate of one outlet it manages itself and eighteen others managed by business partners as well as a wholly owned distribution operation which has proved its worth through flexible operation and high service levels.

The company believes quality is key to its success! This appointment is to reinforce this commitment and support the company’s Food Safety & Quality Culture through its next phase of development. This is a permanent position, working 40 Hours per week Monday – Friday reporting to the Head of Quality.

**Role purpose and responsibilities:**

* Working within our QA/QC team you will be part of a highly motivated and quality-driven team, brewing and packaging beers of unsurpassed character and flavour.
* This is a hands-on role, supporting our existing brewing and packaging operations increasing our analytical functions and augment current practices for future growth.
* Provide technical and analytical support to meet critical controls. Whilst promoting the BRCGS-certified Food Safety & Quality Management System.
* Analyse, trend, determine and ensure compliance both internal and external, communicating these results appropriately.
* You will play a key part in lab evolution, working with new equipment to establish robust sampling programmes throughout the brewing process.
* Responsibilities will include collection and analysis of samples from raw material through to finished product including microbial and physical quality testing, food safety testing, shelf life analysis, environmental monitoring and organoleptic assessment of products.
* Production metrics and trending are also key role responsibilities shared within the existing team.
* The writing of SOP’s for any new lab equipment or functions, for training purposes to other members of the brewing team.

*Personal*

* A self-starter with the ability to deliver your work in an intelligent, collaborative, practical and enthusiastic manner; personally effective.
* Good written and verbal communication skills, with a collaborative ‘Can Do’ attitude and attention to detail.
* Flexibility, is key to the successful operation of the laboratory including shift cover during holiday periods.
* Able to work well as part of a team but also have the ability to work independently.

**Remuneration**

* £500 / week (40 Hr Week) – a level of accommodation assistance can be provided.

**Application Process**

* Please send all applications to Gillian Goddard-Gallery ([Gillian@timtaylors.co.uk](mailto:Gillian@timtaylors.co.uk)) by June 28th 2024.

**Start Date**

* The position is available for an immediate start for a 12 week period.