

(Senior) Mouse Scientist

This is an in person position based central London (NW1), near Kings Cross.

Snapshot

Navira is a new London-based company where science is at our core — shaping not just our vision but our very foundation. Our mission is to harness the power of Navira's nAAVigator platform to accelerate gene therapies and advance scientific discovery. By uniting experts from diverse fields, including wet lab research and computational protein design, we push the boundaries of innovation. Together, we aim to tackle the greatest challenge in gene therapy: delivery.

About Navira

At Navira, we believe the combination of gene therapy and artificial intelligence could be one of humanity's most transformative innovations. As a team of scientists and protein engineers, we are advancing the state of the art in gene therapy delivery to drive scientific discovery and create technologies that benefit society. Collaborating with others to tackle critical challenges, we are committed to maintaining the highest standards of safety and ethics in everything we do.

The Role

We are seeking a passionate and enthusiastic (Senior) Mouse Scientist to join our team to take responsibility for the *in vivo* experimentation.

In this role, you will drive the assessment of the performance and refinement of Navira's nAAVigator platform *in vivo* in the mouse model, in the spirit of the 3Rs of animal research. You will be responsible for the pre-clinical validation of our delivery systems, with particular focus on applications in the field of neurological conditions. You will be highly involved in the activities performed by the entire team.

Key responsibilities

- Work collaboratively to ensure effective coordination
- Design and write study plans autonomously
- •Perform regulated procedures on animal models in compliance with the relevant regulatory framework
- Maintain a high-quality record of all experiments performed
- •Report and present research findings and developments clearly and efficiently both internally and externally in a fast paced environment

About you

- Having a Procedural Individual Licence (PIL A/B/C)
- Confidence in animal handling
- Experience with IV/IM/IP injections
- Experience with stereotactic intracranial injections
- Strong organisational and record-keeping skills
- Ability to work on a team-based project
- Ability to independently troubleshoot
- Proficiency in efficient time planning
- •Experience with BLI is preferable

What benefits Navira has to offer

- •The opportunity to be a key member in an exciting, dynamic and fast-moving new company
- An attractive salary and benefits package
- •A flexible and supportive work environment located in central London
- Access to our company's pension plan
- •Access to our companies health insurance plan
- Access to a canteen
- Access to a secure bike storage facility

For more details of the full job description, informal queries, and to make formal applications please email **careers@navira.bio**Applications will be reviewed on an incoming basis, but should be received no later than 28th February 2025