Syngenta is a world-leading agribusiness committed to sustainable agriculture through innovative research and technology. The company is a leader in crop protection, and ranks third in the high-value commercial seeds market. Sales in 2006 were approximately $8.1 billion. Syngenta employs around 19,500 people in over 90 countries. Syngenta is listed on the Swiss stock exchange (SYNN) and in New York (SYT). Further information is available at www.syngenta.com.

To complete our Crop Protection team based at our headquarters in Basel, Switzerland, we are looking for a

Technical Manager
Professional Products for Turf

In this role you will develop, communicate and implement global development and technical business support strategies for turf. You will liaise with our current and future customers and influencers on all turf-related technical matters. You will further support Marketing in all technical matters relating to design, and implement a successful growth strategy for Syngenta. In addition you will design global development & technical business support plans that support the BU business plan for delivering objectives established by the PP BU leadership team. You will ensure that the development portfolio incorporates the investment needed both to support the strategic development and business plans, as well as to create new opportunities. You will also monitor and provide expert technical assessment of new technologies and competitors’ products.

This challenging position requires a broad knowledge of the turf industry, as well as in-depth knowledge of the technical properties of crop protection (CP) products and associated turf technologies. The position also calls for experience of commercial and business concepts in the turf business.

You will be able to demonstrate a successful track record of developing technologies that resulted in value-added opportunities. You will be expected to work cross-functionally and with people from widely diverse cultures and backgrounds. You will need strong project management skills as well as the ability to analyse technical issues. Excellent communications skills in English (both written and oral) are mandatory.

Does this sound like you? If so, we look forward to receiving your application. Please send your full particulars to: Syngenta Crop Protection AG, Tobias Bossert, WRO-1010.1.01, P.O. Box, CH-4002 Basel, Switzerland, tel. +41 (0)61 323 69 92, e-mail tobias.bossert@syngenta.com.

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