



Appointment Reflects Entrust Resource Solutions' Growth Aim

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Executive search consultancy, Horton International UK, has announced the appointment of scientific recruitment heavyweight, Dafydd Wright, as Managing Partner. The move comes as the company continues to implement the ambitious growth plans of parent group, Entrust Resource Solutions.

Beginning his career as a research scientist for the biotechnology and brewing industries, Dafydd brings more than 18 years' experience of international life sciences resourcing to the role, including 12 years in both consultant and management roles for a global, executive-level interim management service.

Oxford-based Horton International UK was acquired by Dundee-headquartered Entrust Resource Solutions in 2018. Recently named within Hunt Scanlon Media's Top 50 Healthcare and Life Sciences Executive Search Companies, Horton International provides a global, retained executive search and talent strategy service, focusing upon senior management and board level appointments.

Commenting on his appointment, Dafydd said: "I am thrilled to be joining an energetic team of dedicated professionals, who clearly share my passion to support organisations in hiring the very best talent, in order to bring scientific benefits to both the patient and consumer.

"Despite these challenging times, Horton International's portfolio grows as we continue to identify highly-qualified candidates for specific senior-level positions. Our retained search service is justly renowned for the quality and performance of our candidates and this is testament to the drive, commitment and quality of our hiring and talent advisory teams."

Ryan Watson, Managing Director of Entrust Resource Solutions added: "We are an ambitious company, with a bullish growth strategy in place and we are excited about the experience and fresh perspective Dafydd will bring to his role.

"To attract as high calibre an individual as Dafydd is hugely encouraging; not only demonstrating the strong reputation Horton International UK has already built, but also highlighting the demonstrable growth potential of the company."

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Picture caption: Dafydd Wright, Managing Partner, Horton International



Notes to editors

Horton International UK

Established in 1991, Horton International UK is a founding partner of Horton Group International Ltd, a global executive search partnership with over 40 international offices.

Always attuned to market and client circumstances, Horton International UK's strategy allows for greater flexibility in response to clients' requests. In addition to its extensive international Executive Search capability, Horton International UK provides clients with the expertise to future-proof and strengthen their organisations via its Leadership Advisory and Board Practice, Interim Management Practice and HR Advisory Practice services

Horton International UK focuses on the following sectors: Life Sciences; Pharmaceutical; Medical Devices; Transport & Transformative Technologies; Digital & Consumer Goods; and Not for Profit.

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Entrust Resource Solutions

Established in 2010, Dundee-headquartered Entrust Resource Solutions provides specialist Life Sciences, Technology and Healthcare talent solutions. Its consultative approach provides a collaborative, end-to-end recruitment service which sources the best talent for its clients' niche roles.

Following the acquisition of Horton International UK in 2018 and SCI Search and Selection in 2019, Entrust Resource Solutions offers a highly comprehensive range of industry and sector expertise, and fully accountable bench to board talent solution.

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