



Position Announcement

Position Title: Aquaculture Facility Technician
Location: San Diego, CA
Supervisor: Facility and Safety Manager
Job Classification: Full-time; \$18-24 per hour plus benefits

Job Summary: Maintain and repair salt water flow-through and recirculating aquaculture systems (RAS), and other aquaculture systems as needed. Assist the Facility Manager with day to day tasks and upkeep of laboratory facilities.

Primary Duties:

- Repair and maintain saltwater flow through and recirculating aquaculture systems using proven skills in fabrication, plumbing and carpentry.
- Perform preventative and corrective maintenance as needed to keep systems and associated equipment in excellent working condition and appearance.
- As part of the HSWRI facilities team, work with outside contractors and equipment/parts suppliers as needed to complete projects in a timely manner.
- Maintain a current inventory of maintenance supplies, equipment, service records, etc.
- Develop and update operating guides for new and existing systems.
- Participate in the 24hr emergency life support monitoring program on an on-call rotational schedule.
- Assist with daily maintenance and cleaning of the facility and laboratory work spaces.

Qualifications: Hardworking individual who is highly motivated with effective time management, organization and communication skills. Ability to do construction, plumbing, and electrical work preferred. Aquaculture systems experience is preferred. Excellent written and verbal communication skills, including the use of standard word processing and spreadsheet programs.

Physical Requirements and Working Conditions:

- Mobility to work in a hatchery building and outdoor setting, to use a computer, and to travel to various sites within and away from southern California.
- Ability to lift 50lbs.
- Vision to read printed materials and a computer screen; hearing and speech to communicate effectively in person and over the telephone.
- Work areas are outdoors and semi-protected areas (laboratory building and grounds). Outdoor work areas are damp environments and subject to weather exposure. Indoor activities include office work.
- Possess and maintain a valid driving license, a reliable personal vehicle, and insurability to drive a HSWRI vehicle.

At Hubbs-SeaWorld Research Institute, your base wage is only a portion of your overall compensation package. We are proud to offer a full benefits package, which may include:

- Health insurance benefits options, including medical, prescription, vision, dental, life, and short- and long-term disability.
- Flexible spending accounts for medical and dependent care expenses
- Retirement Plan options
- Paid time off for all regular FT team members (starting at 10 annual days each sick and vacation; plus 12 observed Federal holidays)
- Employee Assistance Program – Confidential professional counseling, financial, and legal assistance provided at no charge to Team Members and immediate family members

How to apply: Please send a completed application along with a cover letter and resume to hr@hswri.org. *Hubbs-SeaWorld Research Institute is an Equal Opportunity Employer.*