



THE CENTER FOR AQUACULTURE TECHNOLOGIES CANADA

Research Scientist / Study Director - Fish Health

The Center for Aquaculture Technologies Canada, a private aquaculture innovation and research company, is seeking a **Senior Research Scientist / Study Director** to assist in the daily operations of its R&D Facility in Souris, Prince Edward Island. This is a full-time, permanent, position and will begin immediately with the successful candidate reporting to the Director of Fish Health. Our research team focuses on providing high quality contract R&D support and professional services to the global aquaculture industry.

- Study Director/ Principal Investigator for *in vitro* and/ or *in vivo* clinical and research trials
- Writing of protocols and reports
- Analyses of data and production of study reports
- Designing and ensuring scientific integrity of experiments
- Care and maintenance of research animals including husbandry and animal welfare checks.
- Propagation and maintenance of pathogen isolates including use of standard cell culture and microbiological techniques.
- Development and revision of standard operating procedures.
- Timely completion of all projects with a high degree of quality and excellence.

Desired skills/experience/competencies:

- A minimum University degree including Aquaculture; Animal Biology; Microbiology; Parasitology; Virology; Biochemistry; Immunology; Cell Biology/Physiology. Masters or PhD seen as an advantage, but not essential
- Virology and/ or bacteriology experience
- Experience working in a laboratory setting including responsibility for documenting tasks.
- Ability to work as part of a team in compliance with facility standard operating procedures.
- Research experience in a strictly controlled regulatory environment will be considered an asset.
- Willingness to learn new skills and to perform routine tasks.
- Demonstrable organizational skills with the ability to multi-task.
- Self-motivated with a demonstrated ability to think creatively and solve problems.
- Fosters a positive work environment congruent with the company values and philosophy.

CATC offers a competitive salary and benefits including group health care and retirement savings plans.

Please send CV/Resume and provide the contact information for three references to: careers@aquatechcenter.com with 'Research Scientist/ Study Director' as the subject line.

Applications are accepted until the position is filled; only candidates selected for interview will be contacted.