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# Example of Research Tech Job Description

Our innovative and growing company is looking to fill the role of research tech. Thank you in advance for taking a look at the list of responsibilities and qualifications. We look forward to reviewing your resume.

## Responsibilities for research tech

* Monitoring animals under anesthesia and recovery
* Ordering animals for research projects and maintain a record of animals available for research
* Responsible for updating laboratory SOP
* Requires considerable use of arms and legs, and handling of materials that weigh as much as 50 pounds
* Must be able to work in an environment with exposure to laboratory animals, bedding materials, and animal by-products
* Participate in weekly laboratory meetings
* Do literature searches related to large animal monitoring, post-operative care, and environmental improvement
* Flexibility to work odd or late hours
* Time will be divided between anesthesia, post op care, and administrative duties
* Order supplies and maintain financial information, and participate in financial meetings

## Qualifications for research tech

* Significant experience in molecular biology, animal husbandry and enthusiasm to learn new techniques desired
* Physical ability to lift, sit, stand, bend, reach, squat, twist and push to safely handle and care for the nonhuman primates
* American Association for Laboratory Animal Science (AALAS) certification at the Assistant Laboratory AnimalTechnician (ALAT) or Laboratory Animal Technician (LAT), or Laboratory Animal Technologist (LATG) level preferred
* Applicant will be required to have a measles titer within the first week of employment
* Must possess a valid driver's license that meets standards of UW Risk Management in order to operate WNPRC vehicles
* Experience working with genetically modified mouse models