

AQUATIC TECHNICIAN (PART-TIME, FULL-TIME)

ABOUT US

Headquartered in Montreal, Rolf C. Hagen Inc. is the world's largest privately-owned pet product manufacturer and distributor. Now in our 68th year of operation, we continue to provide stability and growth in an exciting industry while evolving to meet the needs of a rapidly changing world. One thing that has remained constant throughout our history is our love and compassion for animals. As we expand into the future, we are looking for teammates who will share this passion for the natural world that surrounds us.

OVERVIEW

Reporting to the Senior Marketing Manager and working in collaboration with the Aquatic Sciences and Development Coordinator, the Aquatic Technician will apply their knowledge and passion for fishkeeping to create and maintain a wide variety of "showpiece" aquariums for our leading global aquatic brand at company headquarters.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Create and maintain live aquarium displays throughout the head office building for use in videos, presentations, social media posts and other needs. This includes but is not limited to: performing partial water changes, trimming and maintaining live aquatic plants, cleaning inside & outside aquarium glass, cleaning and replacing filters, verifying equipment is operating as expected, and dosing aquariums with appropriate substances.
- Set up, aquascape, shut down and relocate aquariums as needed.
- Assist in the quality control testing of first production samples of new products.
- Aid in the quality assurance testing, review, and investigation of potentially defective products.
- Ensure showroom, aquatic lab and surrounding areas are maintained and kept clean and tidy: sweep and mop floors, clean aquatic product displays, maintain RO filtration system, sort and organize old equipment in storage, etc.
- Make sure aquatic product displays are properly merchandised, coordinating replenishment orders as necessary.
- Coordinate acquisition of fish, fish food, and other aquarium supplies.
- Place sample orders for the department as needed.
- Assist Marketing team with special projects as needed.

REQUIREMENTS

- Advanced knowledge and experience in aquascaping and the maintenance of freshwater and saltwater aquariums.
- Meticulous with a high attention to detail.
- Self-starter: able to work independently with minimal supervision.
- Strong organizational and time management skills.
- Able to find solutions to problems related to aquarium maintenance and fish health.
- Capable of performing physically demanding tasks.

BENEFITS

- Flexible schedule
- Employee discount on pet products
- Casual dress
- On-site gym with locker room and showers

SCHEDULE

22.5 hours / week (3 days) with the potential to develop into full-time employment.

PAY

\$16.00 - \$19.00 / hour, based on level of aquatic knowledge and experience.

HOW TO APPLY

If you are passionate about taking the next step in your career, do not miss this opportunity!

Please submit your CV and cover letter to: eric.nadon@rchagen.com

We thank all applicants who apply, but only those selected for an interview will be contacted.