Lab Technician Position, Full-Time

Dr. Amber Southwell’s laboratory has an open position for a laboratory technician. This position is in a research laboratory at UCF focused on the development of experimental therapies for neurodegenerative diseases. The research lab is located at the UCF Burnett School of Biomedical Sciences at the Lake Nona campus.

This is an OPS (non-benefit earning) position, however health insurance may be offered. Specific duties will include mouse husbandry, such as daily care, timed and static mating, weaning, identification, genotyping, and colony maintenance as well as mouse behavioral assessment, tissue and sample collection, and molecular biology techniques. Other duties will include maintaining lab inventories, data entry, and general laboratory maintenance. The successful candidate will work collaboratively with and support other members of the lab. An ability to interact positively with students is expected.

Position qualification and preferences: BS degree in the life sciences required with preference for Molecular Biology, Neurobiology or similar areas of focus. Previous experience with molecular biology methods and the handling of laboratory mice is required, though training will be provided for specific techniques. The candidate must have great attention to detail, excellent oral and written communication skills, be well-organized, self-motivated, and function well in a team setting.

To apply, please email a CV/resume along with the contact information for three references to amber.southwell@ucf.edu

Review of applications will begin on September 5, 2017.