



Forensic Molecular Biologist (Full Time) Job Posting

Intermountain Forensics (IMF) is a 501(c)3 charitable organization that was founded to ensure that the full power of Forensic DNA will always be attainable, transparent and of the highest possible quality. IMF is a fully accredited forensic laboratory, and we pride ourselves on being able to offer the very latest in STR and SNP technology. We are seeking to add a Forensic Molecular Biologist to our growing team!

The Forensic Molecular Biologist position runs the processing of laboratory samples to generate a result and feeds all generated information to analysts. The position is responsible for interaction with clients (case consultations, evidence transfers), evidence intake and release for all laboratory functions.

Overview of Responsibilities

- Assist agencies with evidence transfer
- Evidence intake and evidence release
- Review of submitted evidence
- Processing of evidence
 - Serology, initial stage of cutting evidence and preparing it for extraction
 - Preparing reagents for the process of extraction, quantification, and amplification
 - Loading samples onto instruments
- Maintenance of instruments
- Courtroom testimony
- General Knowledge of Serology, Extraction, RT-PCR, PCR, Genetic Analyzers, and Sequencers
- Reagent preparation, documentation, and storage
- Knowledge and ability in all current laboratory testing protocols authorized to perform
- Laboratory Information Management System (LIMS) use
- Participates in the IMF proficiency testing program
- Participates in implementing and maintaining the quality assurance and quality control program, as well as laboratory safety, to ensure the integrity of analytical testing and results.

Minimum Education/Experience Requirements

- Bachelor's degree in a natural, physical, or forensic science area
- Three (3) years of laboratory experience (preference given to Forensic DNA Laboratory experience) obtained at a laboratory where DNA testing was conducted for the identification and evaluation of biological evidence in criminal matters
- Preference given to laboratory experience that includes:
 - DNA sequencing and/or fragment assay (Next Generation Sequencing preferred)
 - RT-PCR assays
 - DNA extraction assays
 - Reagent preparation and or aliquoting using manual pipetting techniques

Hours/Compensation

This position is a full-time (.75-1FTE) hourly position. Compensation is determined by experience and ranges from \$20-\$24/hour. All job duties must be performed at our laboratory located in Murray, Utah. No remote work is available with this position. Health, dental, and vision benefits are available.

To Apply

Send your resume and cover letter via email to deborah@intermountainforensics.com

Position closes on September 15, 2023