



# THE CENTER FOR AQUACULTURE TECHNOLOGIES CANADA

## Research Scientist- Fish & Crustacean Health

The Center for Aquaculture Technologies Canada is seeking an experienced and motivated scientist for a research position in conducting fish and crustacean health research. We are expanding our research team in Prince Edward Island, Canada with a focus on providing R&D support and professional services to the aquaculture industry.

To be successful in this position it is necessary for candidates to have a background in applied animal health research. Candidates must demonstrate a good understanding of the key concepts of fish health and have experience in and be prepared to carry out research using live fish of multiple species. They must be independent, creative thinkers with the ability to multi-task in a fast-paced environment. Excellent communication skills along with problem-solving expertise are essential.

As part of their research experience, the candidate will be expected to have:

- Participated in the development of project rationale including the use of literature and research databases to build a project proposal.
- Demonstrated proficiency with study design to test a hypothesis using appropriate and defensible scientific methodology.
- Undertaken training and demonstrate an understanding of the policies and regulations associated with the use of animals in research.
- Worked both independently and as part of a team to achieve a research objective. The successful candidate may be responsible for supervision of research associates and aquaculture technicians.
- Shown a strong work ethic with the ability to set objectives and deliver results in a timely manner.
- Exhibited an ability to troubleshoot and propose creative solutions to technical problems encountered during the conduct of scientific research.
- Demonstrated an aptitude for communication of scientific results through the publication of articles in peer-reviewed journals and presentation of abstracts at scientific meetings.
- Proven themselves to be good team players with the ability to both supervise and respond well to supervision.

The successful candidate must at minimum have received a thesis-based doctoral degree in a relevant scientific field from an internationally recognized institution. An undergraduate degree/research experience, a MSc. degree, or a post-doctoral fellowship in a complimentary field including cell biology, molecular biology or biochemistry would also be considered an asset. Experience that would be considered an advantage to a candidate for this position would be research experience in support of development of commercial products and research experience in a GLP or other strictly controlled regulatory environment.

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: [info@aquatechcenter.com](mailto:info@aquatechcenter.com) with Research Scientist-Fish Health in the subject line.

Applications will be accepted until October 11, 2018; only candidates selected for interview will be contacted.