

## **SEA LIFE Sunshine Coast Aquarist (Casual)**

Are you passionate about aquariums? Would you like to work for one of Sunshine Coast's star attraction ensuring that our animals receive the highest level of care and our guests have a magical experience? An exciting opportunity currently exists to join our team of Aquarists.

This entry level casual position involves assisting the Displays department with the day to day running of the aquarium. This position involves working with a variety of across our collection including sea jellies, saltwater and freshwater species and land based reptiles. You will have the chance to not only care for these amazing animals, but also to promote education and conservation through providing a unique experience for our visitors. This position involves a varied hours roster including work on weekends and public holidays.

### **Mandatory Requirements:**

- Current Australian working rights is essential
- Excellent observation and record keeping skills, verbal and written communication skills, organisational and decision making skills'
- Computer skills using MS Office
- Ability to be flexible and adaptable including making the most of a challenging or unfamiliar environment, the ability to act with urgency and respond positively to situations
- Ability to problem solve, including understanding the issues, the cause of the issues and making sound decisions to ensure the issues are resolved
- Current Manual Driver's Licence
- Ability to bending/Stoop; Squat; Crawl; Crouch; Kneel; Balance; Climb Heights (4m); Carry and Lift up to 30kg

### **Desirable**

- Bachelor degree in biology, zoology, marine science or related field
- SCUBA certification of dive master, Instructor or commercial diving qualification (Scientific diving) (ability to obtain within 6 months of employment)
- Knowledge and practical experience within the aquarium industry
- Experience in identification of animal health issues and their treatment.
- Experience with Life Support Systems & Water Quality monitoring
- First Aid and/ or Oxy Resuscitation training
- Mechanical Aptitude

For more information or to apply online, go to;

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**Closing date not specified.**