

The Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland invites applications for the position of

Animal Technician

This post will be based in the Biomedical Research Facilities (BRFs) in the heart of Dublin, Ireland.

THE PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES WILL INCLUDE:	THE REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS FOR THIS ROLE INCLUDE:	ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lab Animal Care and Husbandry duties on rodent and porcine models. • GA and non-GA rodent colony management. • Attendance to relevant committees. • Lab and holding areas management. • Management of equipment, stocks and supplies. • Delivering training and upskilling stakeholders. • Acting as Radiation officer • Management of imaging equipment (IVIS and CT scan). • Update of the animal management software for the maintenance of animal records. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A minimum of IAT Level 3 Laboratory Animal Sciences & Technology diploma or equivalent in a subject related to animal care. • BSc (Hons) or equivalent in a Biomedical Science discipline. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Up to date knowledge of laboratory animal technology, care, accommodation, husbandry and welfare on the species hosted (rodents and porcine). • Understanding of animal genetics and breeding of laboratory rodents. • Have proven experience with husbandry and maintenance of laboratory rodents, colony management of non- GM and GM rodents. • Be familiar with current legislation and the ethical principles of using laboratory animals for scientific purposes. • Excellent attention to detail, time management skills. • Ability to build and maintain strong working relationship with key stakeholders. • Ability of proven problem solving in a complex working environment.

For details of the full job description, informal queries, and to make formal applications please contact

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Applications will be reviewed on an incoming basis, but should be received no later than 31st January 2025.