

Hazardous Waste Chemist Intern

Main Job Function

This position exists primarily to offer natural science students hands-on experience with processing, labeling and storing hazardous waste in an environmentally correct manner.

This is not an office/lab position.

Learning Opportunities

- Assist in reactions of compressed gas
- Assist with classifying and segregation of lab chemicals
- Assist with preparation and operation of precipitation and dewatering process
- Demanufacturing of apparatuses containing hazardous materials
- Organoleptic analysis of waste
- Commingling compatible materials
- Conduct sampling
- Maintain equipment and work areas
- Assist with packaging, loading and transporting waste one day per week
- Participate in Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) collections

Qualifications

- Ability to maneuver significant weight as 55 gallon drums of liquid waste are routinely moved
- Ability to work in extreme temperatures (both hot and cold)
- Ability to work in a team environment
- Attention to detail
- Legible handwriting
- Comply with all safety and work rules and regulations
- Must be 18 years of age or older

Education and Experience

- Must have completed or currently be enrolled in Organic Chemistry I

Compensation & Benefits

- Wage starts at \$11/hour
- Students who continue employment after their internship (e.g. returning the next summer for another internship) will be eligible to receive a 3% employer 401k contribution, and an annual pay increase
- Bonuses paid annually, and progressively, at conclusion of internship(s)

Hours and length of internship will be determined on an individual basis.

Applicants selected will be subject to a Government security background investigation and must meet eligibility and suitability requirements.

Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer

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