THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND

Position Description

TITLE: Research Associate II

DIVISION: Academic Affairs (College of Pharmacy: Biomedical and Pharmaceutical Sciences)

REPORTS TO: Principal Investigator and/or Director and/or Dean

GRADE: 9

SUPERVISES: Research assistants, and/or others assigned to assist with project.

BASIC FUNCTION:

Perform independent research work.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Perform independent important research work under the occasional review of the Principal Investigator.

Perform complex experiments involving use of highly technical instruments and devices under occasional review of Principal Investigator.

Perform complex tests on materials or specimens and for analyzing samples.

OTHER DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Perform other duties as assigned.

LICENSES, TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT:

Personal computers, printers and word processing, database management and spreadsheet software.

ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS:

This position is not substantially exposed to adverse environmental conditions.
QUALIFICATIONS:

REQUIRED: Master’s degree in Nutritional Sciences; Minimum two years of combined experience in molecular biology techniques, analysis of electrophysiologic data, and breeding and genotyping of mutant mouse lines; Demonstrated strong interpersonal and verbal communication skills; Demonstrated proficiency in written communication skills; Demonstrated supervisory experience; and, Demonstrated ability to work with diverse groups/populations.

ALL REQUIREMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO POSSIBLE MODIFICATION TO REASONABLY ACCOMMODATE INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES.