

JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Details	
Organization	Dubai Safari Park
Job Title	General Curator
Department	Life Sciences
Unit	Zoology
Reporting to	Head of Life Sciences
Location	Dubai, U.A.E
Role Overview	
Role Summary	Managing the park's animal collection and overseeing all aspects of animal care at the park
Main Duties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supervising and managing all day to day operations in the Zoology department; • Hands on environment, with daily reporting from the Animal presentations team, the Animal food preparation team and the Collection supervisors who report to the General Curator; • Working with Curators, Specialists and the different animal sections to make the right decisions involving animal husbandry, diets, capture and restraint procedures, enrichment activities, animal transportation, and research projects in • Establishing protocols for animal husbandry, breeding programs and population management in the park. • Supporting the selection and acquisition of new animals for the collection as well as to formulate the Institutional Collection Plan. • Supervising the Registrar in maintaining animal records (daily reports, ZIMS and inventory lists) and in generating any documents required for reports and animal exchanges; • Supervise in Exhibit and Holding design for the animals in the park to ensure the integrity and suitability of the animal areas. • Involved directly in preparing and administrating applicable annual budgets for the department. • Along with the Operations and Health and Safety Departments, initiate the emergency response team and is involved directly in tackling any animal emergencies within the park. • Other duties as assigned.

Role Specification	
Qualifications	Bachelor's Degree in Biology, Zoology, Zoo Management or equivalent
Experience	At least eight (8) years of zoo animal care experience in a zoo accredited by an national or regional zoo association, including five (5) years supervisory experience.
Skills	Proficiency in the use of computer operating systems; written and oral communication; research and the Zoological Information Management System (ZIMS) software.
Remuneration	Commensurate with experience

Applicants will need to email their CV and covering letter (detailing relevant experience and skills, stating which position they want to apply for and why they are best suited for the job) to epic_rbharadwaj@dm.gov.ae before the deadline.