

Science Theater Scientist Job Description

Title / Position: Science Theater Scientist

Reports to: (remotely) Chief Operations Officer (Bedford, MA)

Schedule: On call as needed for 7.5 hour shifts

Work Type: Hourly (\$20/hr) Non-Exempt

Position Summary:

The Science Theater Scientist will present in a scripted Science demonstration. The Science Theater Scientist will be part of a rotating cast to accommodate a set schedule (5 demonstrations per day, 7 days per week.)

Responsibilities

The Science Theater Scientist will be responsible for:

- Attending presentation rehearsals, schedule pursuant to an established schedule.
- Learning and understanding the science behind the demonstrations.
- Leading the science discussion during the theater presentation.
- Engaging the audience in the presentation.
- Being available for a 5-show schedule each day they are scheduled to work.
- Helping to reset props and demos in between presentations.
- Comply with work venue standards, rules and regulations

Basic Qualifications

- Undergraduate degree in a STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) field.
- Must be able to execute science demos as part of a theater presentation.
- Must be able to stand, bend and twist, and lift up to 25 pounds.
- Excellence with public speaking and presenting to a crowd.
- Demonstrate ability to communicate STEM topics appropriate to all age levels.
- Must pass background check upon hire and once every year thereafter.
- Possess excellent organizational and time management skills.
- Have a team-oriented mindset and the ability to work independently without direct supervision.
- Be prepared to give and receive constructive, timely, and appropriate feedback.
- Express a passion for making science approachable to all, especially children.
- Be comfortable with technology and willing to learn new online systems (specifically email, instant messaging, and online tools to submit hours worked.)

Compensation & Benefits

This is an hourly, non-exempt (eligible for overtime) position for extended cast member to be on call as needed for 7.5 hour shifts, expected to last for 9- 10 months. The position pays \$20/hr.

Benefits include paid sick time.

To apply, please complete the [application form](#) and email a cover letter and resume to jobs@sciencefromscientists.org

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