JOB TITLE: MARINE BENTHIC INVERTEBRATE TAXONOMIST

COMPANY: FVG LTD

Job Purpose

Identification and enumeration of marine benthic invertebrates and the occasional provision of in-house taxonomy training.

Key Responsibilities

— Identification of fauna (fixed marine invertebrates removed from benthic sediment samples) to species level (where possible)
— Provision of Excel faunal matrices including ITI/IQI group
— Development and maintenance of Reference Collections
— Participation in the NMBAQC Scheme and maintenance of technical quality
— In-house staff training (occasional)
— Development of in-house taxonomic courses (occasional)

Qualifications and experience:

— Educated to degree level in a relevant discipline
— Considerable experience of processing marine benthic invertebrate samples, with excellent broad taxonomic skills.
— Proven ability to work as part of a team
— A proven track record in quality control/ audits/ accreditation- particularly long term participation in NMBAQC Ring Tests and OWN samples.

Personal attributes/characteristics:

— Self-motivated and autonomous with effective time management abilities
— Flexible and able to travel occasionally
— Good at keeping calm under pressure and working to deadlines
— Able to adapt to sudden changes in work load
— Comfortable with working remotely (if working from home)

Reports to: FVG Enviro Manager

Direct Reports: None

Location: Inverness or home address

Travel: Rarely required

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