

Peter Morris

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Dedicated Science Professional

Dedicated and hard-working future leader combining clinical laboratory experience and superior customer service and communication skills. Motivated young professional with clinical training and practical experience in research and experimentation methodology. Well-organized, superior communicator who can quickly adapt to new environments.

Areas of Expertise

- Strategic Planning & Analysis
- GMP / GLP / OSHA Training
- Batch Data Processing
- Excellent Oral & Written Communication
- Laboratory Automation
- Statistical Data Analysis
- Scientific Documentation
- Personnel & Time Management
- Laboratory Information Management System (LIMS)

EXPERIENCE HIGHLIGHTS

IEH Laboratories and Consulting Group, Richmond, VA, March 2019 – Present

Microbiology Laboratory Analyst

Analyzing and identifying pathogens present in food, water, and environmental samples through means of PCR, immunoassays, petrifilms, microfilms, and pour plates testing.

Key Accomplishments:

- Working in a 24-hour QA/QC laboratory environment to ensure product safety.
- Used LIMS and other laboratory software to upload client data for statistical analysis.
- Conducts work in a BSL-2 environment and routinely handles pathogenic bacterial agents.

Pharmaceutical Product Development, Richmond, VA, October 2017 – January 2019

Vaccine Sciences Department, Clinical Bioassay Group

Assistant Scientist

Performs a variety of sample preparation and bioanalysis procedures to quantitatively measure pharmaceutical and immunological compounds in a variety of formulations for clinical and developmental studies.

Key Accomplishments:

- Worked as part of a R&D team to develop automation methods for large scale clinical testing at multiple facilities. Testing including manual, as well as robotic-assisted bioassay methods.
- Responsible for review and compilation of results, as well as data comparison against SOP acceptance criteria, methodology, protocol and product specifications.
- Maintains laboratory notebook and completes all laboratory documentation in clear and accurate language according to SOP and GLP guidelines.
- Performs and documents routine troubleshooting, maintenance, and calibration of laboratory equipment, including: single and multichannel pipettes, spectrophotometers, incubators, freezers/refrigerators, biosafety cabinets, and various other laboratory equipment.

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Florida State College at Jacksonville, Jacksonville, FL, September 2015 - August 2017

Student

Bachelor of Science candidate in Bio-Medical Science at a university with a rigorous, hands-on laboratory-based curriculum designed to prepare students for direct entry into analytical/research laboratories and health sciences.

Key Accomplishments:

- Core requirements encompassed chemistry, biology, microbiology, molecular biology, and genetics.
- Additional courses in my field included Qualitative Analysis, and Calculus with Analytic Geometry.
- Learned basics of web programming/management and command line interface.

Zoe's Kitchen, Jacksonville, FL & Richmond, VA, June 2015 – August 2017

Shift Manager

Manage teams of employees serving customers during lunch and dinner hours. Develop training plans for all employees, including cross-training for maximum efficiency.

Key Accomplishments:

- Oversee daily financial records, including deposits and cash register reconciliation.
- Coach employee performance and document significant information for evaluations.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science Degree in Bio-Medical Science | Florida State College at Jacksonville, Jacksonville, FL, August 2017

Member of Science Technology Engineering and Mathematics Club

Member of Programming/Web Development Club

Associate of Arts Degree in Biology | University of North Florida, Jacksonville, FL, August 2010

Member of Pre-Medical and Pre-Pharmacy club

Member of Engineering Club

College Courses | Indian River State College, September 2006 – May 2008

Dual Enrollment Program with High School/College