

**University of Derby Job Description**

# **Job Summary**

## Job Title

Technician in Sport and Exercise Science

## College/Department

College of Science and Engineering

## Location

Kedleston Road, Derby

## Job Reference Number

0338-21

## Salary

£23,300 to £25,530 per annum

## Reports To

Technical Team Leader (School of Human Sciences)

## Line Management Responsibility

No

# **Job Description and Person Specification**

## Role Summary

Provide technical support for teaching, research and academic enterprise principally in Sport Therapy and also support staff and students in other subject areas within Sport and Exercise Science (where necessary). Through the Technical Team Leader and Senior technician, liaise with academic staff in Sport and Exercise Science to ensure full technical support for teaching, course development and research in this area. Ensure that work generated in this way is fully communicated to the relevant Technical Team Leader for programming of work.

## Principal Accountabilities

* Provide Technical support for practical classes and research in Sport and Exercise Science.
* Help maintain the efficient operation and orderly appearance of the Discipline work areas, in particular The Sport Therapy rooms and associated resources.
* Provide technical support for the Sport Therapy Clinic.
* Provide relevant technical assistance for student projects.
* Assist with supervision and training of trainee technicians.
* Construct and/or install new apparatus and equipment, maintain existing apparatus as appropriate.
* Help to maintain material stocks, spares etc. and report deficiencies to the Senior Technician.
* Demonstrate in relevant practical classes as required.
* Provide technical assistance to other areas of the College as required by the Technical Team Leader or Technical Manager.
* Undertake appropriate technician development programmes.
* Ensure local compliance with all relevant Health and Safety regulations and policies.

## Person Specification

### **Essential Criteria**

#### **Qualifications**

* Degree / equivalent qualification in Sport Therapy

#### **Experience**

* Demonstrable ability to apply experience, knowledge and skills to a Sport Therapy environment
* Knowledge and experience of Sport Therapy equipment

#### **Skills, knowledge & abilities**

* Ability to plan and monitor own workload operating both alone and as part of a small team
* Working knowledge of relevant Health and Safety regulations
* Demonstrable high level of organisational and practical skills

#### **Business requirements**

* Ability/willingness to be First aid trained
* Experience of or ability to train as a Portable Appliance Tester

### **Desirable Criteria**

#### **Qualifications**

* Professional Registration (Technician)

#### **Experience**

* Knowledge and experience of providing technical support within Sports Therapy

#### **Skills, knowledge and abilities**

* First aider
* PA Tester

# **Benefits**

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