

# TWIN STRAND™

## Biosciences

### Laboratory Assistant

#### POSITION OVERVIEW

TwinStrand Biosciences is seeking a highly-organized individual to join our team as a Laboratory Assistant, focused on supporting scientists and laboratory managers. As a Laboratory Assistant, you will work in a team environment, contributing to both internal projects and collaborative efforts with external partners. We are recruiting those who share our vision, passion and ambition to advance genomics and personalized medicine.

#### RESPONSIBILITIES

- Help prepare reagents for laboratory use
- Help fulfill kit orders and shipments
- Perform lab safety checks, including eyewash and safety showers
- Maintain rigorous electronic records
- Assist in keeping laboratory clean and in excellent working order, including equipment care, reagent inventory and orders, and other laboratory maintenance tasks
- Sample receipt, accessioning and QC
- DNA extraction
- Upkeep of general facilities
- Other duties, as assigned

#### PREFERRED BACKGROUND AND SKILLS

- Adaptable and flexible regarding work duties
- Efficient, detail-oriented, and thorough planning skills
- Eager to learn new skills and continually improve lab operations
- Outstanding communication and interpersonal skills
- Superior organizational skills and a strong work ethic
- Team player who is comfortable in a fast-paced startup company with ambitious goals and timelines
- Proficient with Microsoft suite and Google drive/Google docs
- An Associate's or Bachelor's degree in Molecular Biology or related field

## **HIGHLY QUALIFIED CANDIDATES WILL POSSESS**

- Previous experience working in a laboratory setting
- Basic knowledge of molecular biology techniques including PCR, DNA extraction and DNA sequencing

## **ABOUT TWINSTRAND BIOSCIENCES**

We are a vibrant, young company committed to applying a powerful new genomic technology across disciplines to improve human health and accelerate scientific discovery. Our mission is to bring the unprecedented accuracy of Duplex Sequencing to applications in clinical medicine and life sciences where it can do the greatest good for the greatest number of people. Our approach is multifaceted and encompasses internal development projects, external collaborations and empowering of partner organizations. Our operation is strongly rooted in the academic principles of responsible citizenship within the broader scientific community, yet executed with the nimbleness of a startup, such that research can be rapidly translated into products that benefit many. To the greatest extent possible, we strive for open sharing of knowledge and discovery through publication, and open-source tools and resources. TwinStrand Biosciences is an equal opportunity employer. We celebrate diversity and are committed to creating an inclusive environment for all employees.

**Interested applicants should contact:**

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