

# Spec III, Raptor Rehabilitation

JOB INFORMATION				
Job Code	GA18C			
Job Description Title	Spec III, Raptor Rehabilitation			
Pay Grade	VT09			
Range Minimum	\$50,460			
33rd %	\$62,230			
Range Midpoint	\$68,120			
67th %	\$74,000			
Range Maximum	\$85,770			
Exemption Status	Exempt			
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## JOB FAMILY AND FUNCTION

Job Family:	Veterinary & Animal Care
Job Function:	Patient Care & Rehabilitation

## JOB SUMMARY

Provides rehabilitative care to raptors at the Auburn University Raptor Center (AURC).

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Provides and assists with veterinary technical support and medical care for raptors under the directions of the veterinary staff.
- Collaborates with the Education Unit of the raptor center to schedule and assist with the annual examination, treatment, and ongoing medical care for the educational raptor collection.
- Assists in the direction, supervision, and recruitment of volunteers for the Rehabilitation Unit of the raptor center.
- Instructs veterinary students and volunteers in the proper handling, restraining, and triaging of raptors.
- Participates in lectures, presentations, programs, and research efforts relating to the raptor center.
- Communicates with state and federal wildlife agencies and raptor center personnel on matters relating to various professional association requirements and policies.
- May periodically update sections of the raptor center website.

#### SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES

Supervisory Responsibility May supervise employees but supervision is not the main focus of the job.

#### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

To be eligible, an individual must meet all minimum requirements which are representative of the knowledge, skills, and abilities typically expected to be successful in the role. For education and experience, minimum requirements are listed on the top row below. If substitutions are available, they will be listed on subsequent rows and may only to be utilized when the candidate does not meet the minimum requirements.

MINIMUM EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE						
Education Level	Focus of Education		Years of Experience	Focus of Experience		
High School Diploma		and	8 years of	Experience in raptor rehabilitation and husbandry.	Or	
Associate's Degree	No specific degree required.  Degree in Wildlife Sciences, Veterinary Sciences, or related field is preferred.	and	6 years of	Experience in raptor rehabilitation and husbandry.	Or	
Bachelor's Degree	No specific degree required.  Degree in Wildlife Sciences, Veterinary Sciences, or related field is preferred.	and	4 years of	Experience in raptor rehabilitation and husbandry.		

# MINIMUM KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, & ABILITIES

Possesses and applies a broad knowledge of principles, practices and procedures of a particular field of specialization to the completion of difficult assignments.

Also possesses knowledge of related fields and areas of operation which affect, or are affected by, own area.

MINIMUM LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS						
Licenses/Certifications	Licenses/Certification Details	Time Frame	Required/ Desired			
DL NUMBER - Driver License, Valid and in State						

## PHYSICAL DEMANDS & WORKING CONDITIONS

Physical Demands Category: Other

PHYSICAL DEMANDS								
Physical Demand	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Constantly	Weight		
Standing					X			
Walking				X				
Sitting			X					
Lifting	X							
Climbing			X					
Stooping/ Kneeling/ Crouching			X					
Reaching			X					
Talking			X					
Hearing			X					
Repetitive Motions				X				
Eye/Hand/Foot Coordination				Χ				

WORKING ENVIRONMENT						
Working Condition	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Constantly	
Extreme cold				Χ		

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Working Condition	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Constantly		
Extreme heat				X			
Humidity				X			
Wet				X			
Noise				X			
Hazards				X			
Temperature Change				X			
Atmospheric Conditions				X			
Vibration				Χ			

# **Vision Requirements:**

Ability to see information in print and/or electronically.