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Job Title Research Technician
Department Psychology
Institution University at Buffalo
Buffalo, New York

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Application Deadline 08/25/2026
Position Start Date Available immediately

Job Categories Research Scientist/Associate

Academic Field(s) Biology - Neuroscience/Neurobiology
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Position Information

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Full-Time

Posting Detail Information

Position Summary

The Meyer Lab in the Department of Psychology at the University at Buffalo is seeking a full-time Research Technician to contribute to ongoing research in behavioral genetics and neuropsychopharmacology. This position offers the opportunity to gain hands-on experience in animal models of motivation and addiction and will include extensive training in rodent surgery, behavioral models of neuropsychiatric disorders, and neurobiological methods.

Key accountabilities and responsibilities

- Conduct animal surgeries, drug administration, and tissue collection
- Conduct behavioral testing using rat models of learning, memory, and motivation
- Maintain accurate records of experimental procedures and outcomes
- Manage inventory and order lab supplies
- Care for and monitor laboratory animals following laboratory protocols
- Clean and maintain laboratory equipment and workspaces

The University at Buffalo is a flagship institution in the SUNY system, known for strong interdisciplinary research and a commitment to inclusive excellence. The Meyer Lab is funded by NIH and focused on the neurobiology of learning, motivation, and addiction, using behavioral, genetic, and neurochemical approaches.

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- Our [benefits](#), where we prioritize your well-being and success to enhance every aspect of your life.
- Being a part of the [University at Buffalo community](#).

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Minimum Qualifications

- Education towards a degree in psychology, neuroscience, biology, or a related field
- At least one year of experience in a laboratory setting
- Familiarity with rodent handling and behavioral experiments
- Strong organizational and communication skills
- Ability to work both independently and collaboratively
- Availability for evening and weekend work

Preferred Qualifications

- Bachelors degree in psychology, neuroscience, biology, or a related field
- Experience with jugular catheterizations in rats is highly desired
- Experience with stereotaxic surgery, histology, or neuropharmacology
- Experience with behavioral software (e.g., Med Associates)
- Interest in long-term research involvement (minimum 2 years)

Physical Demands

Salary Range

\$34,151- \$46,000

Special Instructions Summary

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No

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Date to be filled:

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