

Repair and Maintenance Technician

East Coast, Vancouver Island

Cermaq is a world leading salmon farming company. We have a team of more than 3500 employees across Chile, Canada and Norway. A team committed and proud to grow superior seafood for a global market. At Cermaq, you become part of a meaningful, developing, and diverse workplace. We offer a wide range of job opportunities where you will be able to grow and learn in a sustainable and rapidly developing industry. We support our employees' personal development and make it possible for you to realize new ideas and initiatives. Our culture is informal and committed. We are smart people in rubber boots. We care for each other, for the environment, and for our communities.

Cermaq Canada is currently looking to fill the role of a permanent, full-time **Repair and Maintenance Technician** for our Saltwater operations. This position will be primarily based out of Campbell River and Port McNeil with company provided bus and boat transportation.

As a Repair and Maintenance Technician you will be responsible for maintaining all physical assets of Cermaq Canada, including generators, compressors, buildings, small engines and a variety of other equipment. You'll get the chance to work with and live with a group of hardworking, dedicated employees. Housing is provided and is well-equipped with exercise equipment, satellite tv, and Internet. This role is a great opportunity if you enjoy working on the ocean, expanding your mechanical skills, and contributing to our communities through sustainable aquaculture.

POSITION DETAILS:

- **Status:** Permanent, full-time position
- **Shift:** This is a camp-based position with 8 days on, 6 days off; 10 hours per day for a total of 80 hours every two weeks
- **Hourly Rate:** \$22.51/hr with a \$20/day camp food budget
- **Benefits:** Employer paid extended dental, medical, RRSP matching program, virtual healthcare and others

WHAT YOU'LL BE DOING:

- Providing repair & maintenance support to our sea site operations to ensure our operations continue to run smoothly while growing our fish from smolt entry through to harvest.
- Conducting routine maintenance to equipment in order to eliminate down time due to equipment failure.
- Repairing equipment in a priority sequence while being conscious of time restraints to minimize down time.
- Maintaining accurate maintenance logs and record keeping of inventories and daily work completed.
- Maintaining a clean, safe, and bio-secure site by performing simple maintenance and keeping a clean work site at all times.
- Operating heavy machinery such as forklifts and boats.

YOUR QUALIFICATIONS:

- You have previous education or work experience in repair and maintenance, working on generators, compressors and small engines with some basic plumbing as well.
- Boat maintenance experience and work experience in a marine environment are an asset.
- Hands-on general building maintenance, including basic plumbing and 12/24 volt DC wiring systems.
- PCOC, SVOP, ROC-M, confined space training, and computer skills (MS Word/Excel) are an asset.
- You consider yourself a team player, get along great with others and are always looking to lend a hand.
- You can also work independently and without supervision; you take initiative and apply your critical thinking skills to solve problems.
- You are physically fit, enjoy being outside, are willing to work in all types of weather conditions, and are comfortable being on the water.

- You are dependable, work safely, and have a strong work ethic and positive attitude.

Cermaq Canada values its employees and is committed to their growth and development. The company is able and willing to provide training for the right individual to grow into this role.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Prerequisites to hiring include a physical fitness test, a criminal record check, and reference checks.
- This position is camp-based, transportation is provided with various pick up locations from Courtenay, Campbell River and Sayward to Port McNeil.
- Only applicants who are legally allowed to work in Canada will be considered.

How to Apply:

If your qualifications meet the application requirements and you would like to apply for this opportunity, please forward your resume and cover letter in person, by fax, or by e-mail, stating “Repair & Maintenance Technician – East Coast” in the subject line before **June 17, 2021** to: Office: 203-919 Island Highway, Campbell River | Fax: 250-286-0042 | E- mail: careers.canada@cermaq.com

If a suitable candidate is identified, this position may be filled prior to the closing date.

Cermaq Canada is an equal opportunities employer who provides a workplace that is free of discrimination.

Cermaq Canada has a progressive view of reconciliation with Indigenous peoples. Although wholly committed to hire the best candidate available, we strongly encourage applications from Indigenous peoples for this role.

We would like to thank all applicants for their interest; however only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.