THE UNIVERSITY OF KWAZULU-NATAL (UKZN) IS COMMITTED TO EMPLOYMENT EQUITY. FOR THIS POSITION APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FROM AFRICAN MALES AND AFRICAN FEMALES AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES.

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TECHNICIAN (CHEMICAL)
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SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING
HOWARD COLLEGE CAMPUS

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The incumbent will provide technical support to students, staff and visitors, as well as manage and maintain a safe laboratory environment for all staff, students and visitors. S/he will ensure that all undergraduate experiments (practical, laboratory projects and vacation work) are set-up, running and maintained. S/he will also conduct administrative duties and liaise with suppliers and other service providers to procure equipment, materials and services.

The incumbent will report to the Principal Technician (Chemical Engineering).

Minimum Requirements:

- Matric plus three-year relevant tertiary qualification
- 3 years relevant experience in a Chemical Engineering environment
- Knowledge of laboratory techniques and skills in handling related laboratory instrumentation such as pH meters, conductivity meters, UV spectrophotometers, balances, gas chromatographs, etc
- Familiarity with the Occupational Health Safety and Environment Act and related regulations governing work within a hazardous environment
- Experience in Microsoft Excel and Word

Short-listed candidates may be required to undergo a skills test.

Enquiries and details regarding this post, as well as requests for a job profile may be directed to Roland Koch, on 031-260-3984, or email Koch@ukzn.ac.za

Appointment to this position will be on the January 2012 Conditions of Service.

The total remuneration package offered includes benefits.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 28 February 2014.

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Completed Application Forms must be sent to Recruitment-aes@ukzn.ac.za

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