

Laboratory Technical Leader

New Glarus Brewing Company

New Glarus, WI

POSITION SUMMARY

- The Laboratory Technical Leader is responsible for the overall operation, leadership, direction and administration of the QC Laboratory and Sensory Laboratory.
- The Laboratory Technical Leader works with other departmental Team Leaders to help troubleshoot operations & provide reliable data, insight, and feedback to facilitate the production of World Class Beer.
- This position reports to the Assistant Brewmaster.

DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Work hands-on with the QC Lab Team and Sensory Panel Leader to ensure daily job duties are completed with accuracy in a timely manner.
- Mentor, train, monitor, and review performance of Lab Team staff.
- Ensure that microbiology, chemistry, physical and sensory data are accurate, reliable and documented properly via training of Lab Team, calibration of equipment, and daily review of generated data.
- Develop and maintain SOP's.
- Assist with Process Improvement, Continuous Quality Improvement, and Research & Development projects.
- Write daily operation report for Lab-related activities & data.
- Assist Team Leaders in collaborative scheduling of production activities.
- Any other duties as required by Brewmaster, Asst. Brewmaster or Production Team Leaders.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Laboratory experience in the food or beverage industry.
- Supervisory experience in the food or beverage industry.
- Minimum of a B.Sc. Degree in a life science discipline.
- Possess exceptional analytical and problem-solving skills.
- Possess strong organizational skills.
- Knowledge of Microsoft Office programs.
- Possess good communication skills, both oral and written.

- The work schedule covers core weekday work hours but requires flexibility with regards to:
 - A rotational weekend 'facility checks' shift (this is shared by all production Team Leaders).
 - A rotational 2nd shift (this is shared by all production Team Leaders).
 - Coverage as needed for Lab Team vacation schedules.
 - Unforeseen production emergencies.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Experience in the brewing industry or allied industries.
- Experience & knowledge in maintenance of laboratory equipment.
- Knowledge of experimental design and basic statistical methods.

BENEFITS

- Employment package includes a competitive salary, 401K, full medical insurance, liberal vacation schedule, and profit-sharing benefits.

ABOUT NEW GLARUS BREWING COMPANY

- New Glarus Brewing Company was founded in 1993 by Deb & Dan Carey.
- We are the leading craft brewery in Wisconsin.
- We are actively growing and are in the top 20 volume-producing craft breweries in the U.S.
 - All while distributing only in Wisconsin!
- New Glarus Brewing Company provides a safe work environment for all employees and visitors.
- New Glarus Brewing Company is Employee Owned.
- Our business strategy invests for long-term success with immediate sustainability.
- We're a family brewery that fosters mutual respect, empowers its employees, encourages educational opportunities and prides itself on a low employee turnover rate.
- We are located in the beautiful rolling hills of southern Wisconsin, a short distance to Madison.
- The Village of New Glarus has an excellent school system & is a great place to raise a family.

CONTACT INFORMATION

- Please submit resumes/applications to:
 - info@newglarusbrewing.com
 - Or mail to:
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