



Job Title: Junior Forensic Anthropologist

Location: San Diego, CA (with travel required)

Salary: \$65,000 (Master's level), \$100,000 (PhD level)

Duration: 1 Year

INTRODUCTION

NAAG FORENSIC PC is an independent, nonpartisan, private forensic pathology practice. We provide "first" and "second" forensic pathology opinions for medical examiners and coroners, attorneys (criminal, civil, administrative law), law enforcement officers, governmental administrative bodies, and next-of-kin. We handle medicolegal case consultations from across the globe.

We are seeking a **Junior Forensic Anthropologist** to join our Human Identification Lab, where you will work directly with our forensic anthropology expert. This role is ideally suited for a motivated individual interested in advancing their career in forensic anthropology, with a focus on pediatric cases.

POSITION DESCRIPTION

As the **Junior Forensic Anthropologist**, you will collaborate with forensic pathologists and anthropologists, reporting directly to our Chief Forensic Anthropologist. Your role will include providing forensic anthropology services including conducting consultations on fleshed and skeletonized remains, and working on collaborative projects. This position will also involve digital forensic anthropology (postmortem CT scanning), radiologic evaluation of pediatric bone disease, and pediatric forensic bone pathology.

The role of **Junior Forensic Anthropologist** assists our agency in advancing our forensic investigations. This multi-faceted position requires exceptional analytical and collaborative skills, as well as the ability to handle sensitive and complex cases involving medical forensics. The ideal candidate will demonstrate: **1) Proficiency in forensic anthropology, 2) Strong communication and teamwork capabilities, and 3) Experience or desire to pursue expertise with digital forensic techniques and medical imaging.** enhances operational efficiency, and promotes clarity in the forensic autopsy process.



RESPONSIBILITIES

- Collaborate with the Chief Forensic Anthropologist and our forensic pathologists to analyze skeletal trauma, bone disease, and developmental abnormalities, with a focus on pediatric cases.
- Conduct forensic anthropological analysis to determine age, sex, ancestry, and trauma or disease patterns.
- Assist law enforcement in identifying unknown decedents through skeletal analysis.
- Utilize post-mortem computed tomography (PMCT) for skeletal evaluations and trauma assessments.
- Provide expert digital forensic anthropology services, using advanced imaging technology to assess bone structure and injuries.
- Perform radiologic analyses of pediatric bones with routine and ultra-high-resolution imaging.
- Identify and document pathological conditions, congenital anomalies, and trauma, contributing to the medico-legal assessments.
- Conduct bone dissections to determine pathological conditions and trauma-related findings in osseous structures.
- Collaborate with forensic pathologists on bone pathology assessments, ensuring accurate documentation for forensic reports.
- Prepare bone samples for histological examination to evaluate microstructural changes.
- Conduct analyses to support findings related to disease, injury, or trauma in pediatric cases.
- Lead or participate in data collection and analysis focused on pediatric forensic anthropology, bone pathology, and trauma analysis.
- Publish findings in peer-reviewed journals and present at professional conferences to advance knowledge in the field of forensic anthropology and forensic pathology, particularly in those areas that have a pediatrics focus.
- Participate in educational initiatives, delivering lectures, workshops, or training sessions to internal staff or external audiences.

REQUIREMENTS

- Master's degree in Anthropology or a related field (PhD preferred).
- At least entry-level proficiency in one of postmortem CT scanning, bone histology, or general radiologic imaging.
- Must have proficiency with both Apple and PC computers, and software including Microsoft Office (Outlook 365, Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access).
- Excellent written and interpersonal communication skills are a must.



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- ❑ Must be able to successfully complete a background investigation (including a criminal background check and drug/alcohol screening).
 - ❑ Must be legally authorized to work in the United States.
 - ❑ Must be willing and able to travel domestically and internationally as required (must possess or be willing to obtain a passport).
 - ❑ Must be comfortable working with disturbing medical content, including photographs and investigative materials that many may find objectionable.
 - ❑ Must be willing to work odd hours, including on-call shifts and overnight duties for special projects.

We are far more interested in hiring the "right person" than hiring for the right credentials. We need a team player who is easy to get along with, and who will be driven and productive without continuous supervision.

INTERESTED IN JOINING US?

If you're passionate about forensic science and believe you're a great fit for this role, we encourage you to apply. Please send your cover letter and CV to Veronica Bracker, Administrative Services Manager, at admin@naagforensic.com.

PEDIATRIC FORENSIC ANTHROPOLOGY



PAID FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITY

SUMMARY

WHO



We are law enforcement and defense department contractors who provide forensic medicine and pathology services globally. We are committed to excellence in the forensic lab services.

WHAT



This is a paid professional fellowship opportunity for individuals with masters or PhD degrees in physical or forensic anthropology who have an interest in pediatric issues related to the skeleton.

WHERE



We operate globally but are based in San Diego, California. We provide forensic autopsy services for the Sheriff-Coroner system across California, and process consultations from across the world.



WHY



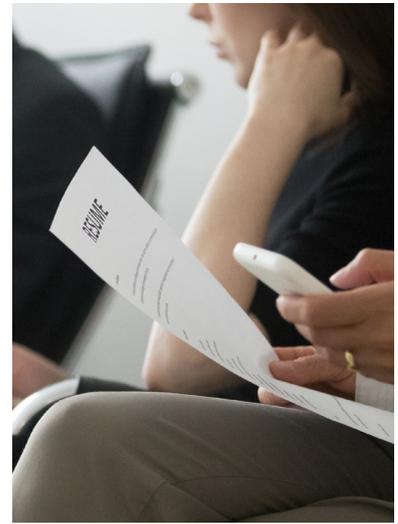
We believe that medicolegal issues related to the growing human skeleton are special. For that reason they require a different approach, special equipment, techniques and expertise.

WHEN



This is a rolling application. We have the caseload to allow for more than one successful applicant. This opportunity may lead to full-time employment for the right candidate.

HOW



Email your CV and a cover letter to our Chief Forensic Anthropologist Dr. Madeleine Hinkes PhD D-ABFA to apply:

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