



## LARGE CARNIVORE/UNGULATE KEEPER

At Tasmania Zoo, we know that keepers are passionate about nature and animals – and not just the ones they work with! Our natural state is renowned for an abundance of unique wildlife, beautiful scenery and a more relaxed pace of life. As a ZAA Animal Welfare Accredited member we participate in regional and international conservation programs; and are in an active growth phase as our zoo family continues to expand with new species and breeding.

### THE POSITION:

We have an exciting opportunity for an experienced large carnivore and/or Ungulate keeper to join our dedicated team as. As a small team this role will require flexibility and you may be required to work across our extensive collection at times. This is a full-time keeping position involving a high standard of care, training and conditioning, exhibit maintenance/landscaping, food preparation and keeper presentations. Hours are 5 days per week, 7.6hrs daily including weekends and public holidays, salary dependent on experience.

### ESSENTIAL QUALITIES

- Minimum 3 years working within a captive animal facility
- Certificate 3 in Captive Animal Management or similar
- Initiative
- Motivated
- Hard worker
- High level of physical fitness
- Customer service skills
- Time management skills
- Basic maintenance skills
- Meat processing experience
- Team player
- Ability to work in a fast-paced environment
- Full drivers' licence (manual preferred)
- Firearms licence (or ability to obtain)
- Available for immediate start

If you are a hard-working person with a genuine interest in making a difference for animals and conservation, we would like to hear from you.

Please submit your resume and cover letter outlining skills and experience to [zoo@tasmaniazoo.com.au](mailto:zoo@tasmaniazoo.com.au) by c.o.b Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2022.

*Please note : Only applicants short listed will be contacted.*