



KAUST – Scientific Illustrator

King Abdullah University of Science and Technology is an international graduate-level, merit-based research university located on the shores of the Red Sea in Saudi Arabia. Our state-of-the-art campus, globally renowned faculty and brand new facilities come together to provide the ideal setting for significant, high-impact research. KAUST is dedicated to inspiring a new age of scientific achievement in the Kingdom that will also benefit the region and the world.

Seeking to increase the international reputation and visibility of the University as well as to enhance the research output of individual faculty members, the Scientific Illustrator provides arts and graphics support to all faculty members, the Office for Academic Writing Services and the Office of the Vice President for Research.

Key responsibilities include:

- Meets with faculty members to discuss their illustration needs, develops the illustrations, and delivers the finished content in a timely manner.
- Works independently and manages his/her time to complete all projects within specified deadlines.
- Familiar with the publication requirements of science journals and understands and works within the constraints of these requirements.
- Provide arts and graphics support to faculty members, the Office of Academic Writing Services and the Office for the Vice President for Research.
- Meet with faculty members to discuss their illustration needs.
- Create illustrations (table of contents/graphical abstracts, figures, covers, etc.) using graphics software such as Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop, InDesign, Acrobat, PowerPoint, and 3D Illustration programs
- Work on deadline in a busy office.
- Ensure overall consistency and quality of work products.
- Maintain design excellence in a deadline-driven environment.

To be successful within this role you must have:

- Ability to utilize graphic design skills with an understanding/interest in scientific illustration.
- Ability to work creatively with minimal input from clients.
- Excellent communication skills in English.
- Demonstrated ability to meet strict deadlines.
- Excellent attention to detail.
- Ability to understand scientific research.
- Familiarity with the university environment.
- Familiarity with academic research and researchers.
- Bachelor's degree specializing in Art, Design or related fields with a specialization in scientific illustration.
- At least four years of directly related experience in scientific illustration, preferably in a deadline-intensive environment.
- 3D design experience.
- Web design experience an asset

In addition to world class facilities and living conditions, you will be remunerated with a highly competitive package and the opportunity to work within an ambitious and growing University.

To be considered for this exciting role, please visit our website www.kaust.edu.sa and apply directly through the careers page.