



Applications are invited for a short-term seasonal contract position of

## **Part-time Education Guide (X8)** for uShaka Sea World Education

(Contract period: Expected commencement in July 2026 (subject to confirmation), with the contract ending on 14 December 2026).

### **The responsibilities will include:**

- Guide and control school groups through uShaka Sea World and Dangerous Creatures.
- To provide interesting, high-quality commentaries interpreting identified exhibits during tours, with basic marine conservation messages and visitor take-home action.
- Ensure coordinated school flow through uShaka Sea World and Dangerous Creatures with minimal impact on full-paying guests.
- Contribute to the uShaka Sea World Formal Education Department's activities.

### **The following will be required of the successful applicant:**

- Grade 12 with Biology at university level entrance or equivalent knowledge base.
- At least two year's marine education experience in a formal and informal education setting.
- The ability to communicate clearly and confidently with a diverse audience of different size groups, in English and isiZulu.
- Ability to use a microphone.
- Ability to understand and translate complex information and communicate it in simple, accessible language.
- Exhibit enthusiasm and level-headedness.
- Create a welcoming environment that is responsive to clients' needs.
- Ability and willingness to continually undertake appropriate training and self-study to grow own capability to deliver education programmes to fulfil SAAMBR's mission.
- Ability to work flexible hours.
- Good time-management skills.
- Ability to manage new and changing situations with confidence and calmly solve problems.
- Effectively work as part of a team.
- High standard of personal presentation.
- Willing to undergo basic water safety training.
- Physically fit to stand and walk for extended periods of time and able to lift objects of 8 kg.
- General knowledge of marine environment and relevant conservation issues.

If you meet these requirements and would like to apply for this position, submit your Curriculum Vitae by either:

- E-mail: [recruitment@saambr.org.za](mailto:recruitment@saambr.org.za)

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SAAMBR is a Non-Profit Company and a member of: IUCN (World Conservation Union) and WAZA (World Association of Zoos and Aquariums)

Accredited member of AAWHC (African Association for Wildlife in Human Care)

ORI is academically affiliated with the University of KwaZulu-Natal

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**THE CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS IS 25 JUNE 2026**

Appointments will be made in line with SAAMBR's employment equity requirements. In line with the Protection of Personal Information Act, all personal information submitted as part of your application will be used solely for recruitment purposes and handled in a lawful, responsible, and confidential manner. SAAMBR reserves the right not to make an appointment.

Only potential short-list candidates will be contacted. Should you not have heard from us by **30 June 2026**, please consider your application unsuccessful.