

Director of Facility Operations  
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<b>Job Title</b>	Director of Facility Operations
<b>Department</b>	East Baton Rouge Parish
<b>Institution</b>	LSU AgCenter Baton Rouge, Louisiana
<b>Date Posted</b>	Oct. 9, 2025
<b>Application Deadline</b>	Oct. 23, 2025
<b>Position Start Date</b>	Available immediately
<b>Job Categories</b>	Director/Manager
<b>Academic Field(s)</b>	Facilities Operations
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POSITION VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Job Description

The LSU Agricultural Center is a statewide organization with offices in every parish of Louisiana. We are currently seeking extraordinary candidates for the position outlined below. This position will be domiciled at the Aquatic Germplasm and Genetic Resources Center in Baton Rouge, LA.

**About the LSU Agricultural Center:** The [LSU AgCenter](#) is one of 8 campuses within the LSU enterprise. The LSU AgCenter includes the Louisiana Agricultural Experiment Station, which conducts agricultural-based research, and the Louisiana Cooperative Extension Service, which extends the

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knowledge derived from research to the people of the state. The AgCenter is headquartered in Baton Rouge and has 12 academic departments and five regions which are made up of 15 branch research stations and an extension office in each parish. More information can be found at [www.lsuagcenter.com](http://www.lsuagcenter.com).

**Position Description:**The Director of Facility Operations position's primary purpose is Maintaining the safety, operations, appearance and shop for the 23,000 sq ft facility are the main responsibilities for this position. This position reports to the Professor and Director. Specific duties are as follows:

Keeping a staff of 40, including 30 student workers, aware of safety around the aquatic environment equipment, cryogenic freezing equipment and the shop equipment. This would include training and compliance with university safety regulations. Monitoring the 75-year-old facility for any safety issues.

Maintaining operational needs through staffing, maintenance schedules and contractors. Managing special projects involving facility planning and contractors.

Maintaining clean appearance of interior and exterior of the facility including the direction of student workers and collaboration with staff members.

Maintaining a clean, safe shop with well-maintained equipment, tools and supplies.

Performs other duties as assigned.

**Qualification Requirements:**Baccalaureate degree in a related field. Experience in the public sector and/or a university setting is desirable. Must have excellent interpersonal, administrative, and organizational skills, along with strong computer skills.

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LSU and the AgCenter are dedicated to fostering an environment where our employees feel appreciated for their skills and individual qualifications. If a candidate does not meet the minimum qualifications listed but has other qualifications or substantial experience related to the key responsibilities, we encourage them to apply (per La. RS 42:36).

**Date Available:** Upon completion of the selection process.

**Application Deadline:** October 23, 2025, or until a suitable candidate is identified.

**Application Procedure:** Qualified candidates must apply online using the [LSU Workday Careers site](#) (or through Workday for internal applicants) by attaching file(s) containing a curriculum vita, a letter of application, official university transcripts, and two letters of reference. Questions about the online application system should be directed to the HRM Office at 225/578-0324 or [hrmhelp@agcenter.lsu.edu](mailto:hrmhelp@agcenter.lsu.edu). (Paper, faxed, or emailed application materials will not be accepted.) In lieu of attaching the letters of reference, they may be sent directly to:

Dr. Terrence R. Tiersch, Professor

Aquatic Germplasm and Genetic Resources Center

Louisiana State University Agricultural Center

2288 Gourrier Avenue

Baton Rouge, LA 70820

Email: [ttiersch@agcenter.lsu.edu](mailto:ttiersch@agcenter.lsu.edu)

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