

# Animal Care

## Zoological Compliance Administrator/Registrar



**Q: Does the job require a degree, certification, or both?**

**A: No degree needed. However, for jobs at Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) facilities, you will need a Registrar Certificate, but it can be obtained after getting the position.**

**Q: Is there any way to volunteer or shadow with this position?**

**A: Typically no, but it's institution dependent.**

**Q: Are there any internships that help to get this position?**

**A: Yes, but limited.**

Q: What does your average day look like?

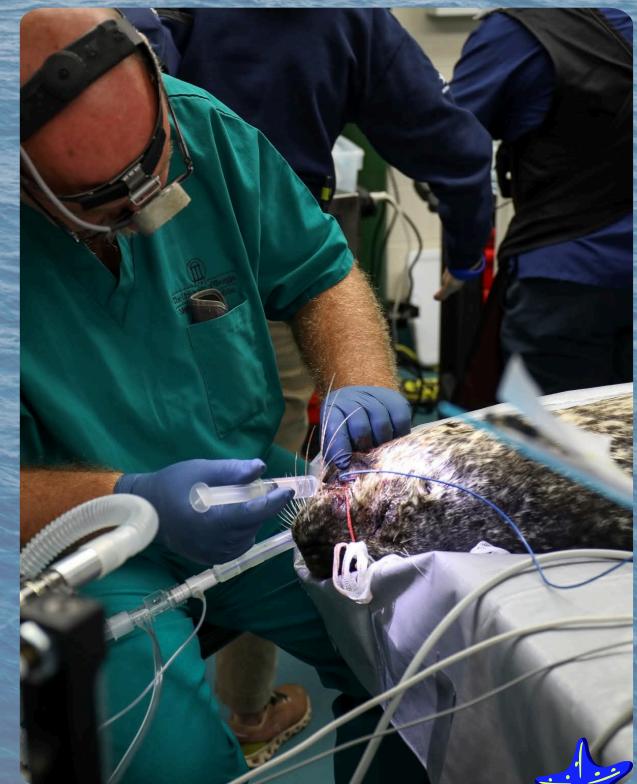


A: When not in meetings, an average day includes project management of our Animal Welfare Committee and IACUC (Research Committee). This management, alongside animal records management, system troubleshooting, and a mixture of permitting, licensing, and accreditations, keeps us busy!

Q: What path did you take to get to Georgia Aquarium?



A: My journey was not a straight line. I started in dolphin training, then went to field research, environmental protection, state permitting, back to school for master's degree, animal rescue, wildlife center, Registrar position at another institution, and now my current role at Georgia Aquarium.



Q: What is your favorite part about working at Georgia Aquarium?



A: Seeing the positive impact of my work.

