

## Job description

**Conservator (Inorganics)**

## Scope

Undertake conservation practice according to the direction outlined by the Senior Conservator while providing necessary technical support in the field of expertise.

## Main Responsibilities

* Examines artefacts, plans programme of treatment, executes conservation treatment, ensures the protection of artefacts from deterioration and compiles all necessary records and documentation of all projects in her or his care as directed by the Senior Conservator
* Operates equipment in the execution of conservation duties
* Undertakes research and fieldwork as directed
* Provides information as requested
* Participates in public programmes and training programmes
* Participates in exhibition planning
* Keeps oneself informed and up-to-date on conservation practice relating to one’s specialisation
* Monitors and documents the state of preservation of artefacts and provides recommendations
* Leads a group of technicians as and when necessary
* Works in close collaboration with other Heritage Malta professionals
* Observes professional ethics;
* Ensures adherence to policies and approved budgets;
* Use of personal car against reimbursement according to HM policy
* Other duties as may be assigned by the Agency.

## Qualifications

Pertinent first degree (MQF Lv6) in the respective area of research and operation or an appropriate recognised comparable qualification plus three (3) years relevant work experience

AND

Warrant to practice as Conservator OR necessary documentation to qualify for a warrant in terms of article 31 and 32 of the Cultural Heritage Act.

Qualified conservators who do not have the necessary requisites to qualify for a warrant may also apply, however they would have to work under constant supervision of a warranted conservator.