

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

CATEGORY: Horticulture

TITLE: Nursery Manager

DEGREE AND CURRICULUM:

Associate degree in Horticulture or related degree. Will consider all qualified agriculture degrees.

JOB DESCRIPTION:

Manages nursery to grow horticultural plants, such as trees, shrubs, flowers, ornamental plants, or vegetables for sale to wholesale or retail customers. Determines types and quantity of horticultural plants to be grown, considering such factors as whether plants will be grown under controlled conditions in hothouse, greenhouse, or under natural weather conditions in field, and market demand conditions, utilizing knowledge of plant germination, growing habits, soil conditioners, plant nutrients, and disease control requirements. Selects and purchases seed, plant nutrients, and disease control chemicals according to type of horticultural plants and conditions under which plants will be grown. Directs workers engaged in planting of seed, raising, feeding, and controlling growth and disease of plants, and in transplanting, potting, or cutting plants for market. Coordinates clerical, record keeping, accounting, and marketing activities. May purchase nursery stock for resale and sell gardening accessories, such as sprays, garden implements, and plant nutrients.

LOCATION: Knightdale, North Carolina

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

1 year in nursery work.

SALARY AND FRINGE BENEFITS:

Complete benefit package including life insurance, health insurance, retirement benefits, educational aid, paid vacation, paid holidays, and long-term disability. Salary will vary with education and experience.

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CATEGORY: General

TITLE: Instructional Technical Assistant

DEGREE AND CURRICULUM:

Associate degree in any agricultural area. Will consider all qualified agriculture degrees.

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This person will assist agriculture instructor by preparing laboratory exercises, lecture material, and some instruction. Applicant must have a good understanding of subject area and a pleasant personality. Must establish a good rapport with both students and instructors. Will assist with advising of student organization.

LOCATION: Raleigh, North Carolina

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

None

SALARY AND FRINGE BENEFITS:

Complete benefit package including life insurance, health insurance, retirement benefits, educational aid, paid vacations, paid holidays, and long-term disability. Salary will vary with education and experience.

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CATEGORY: Agribusiness

TITLE: Manager Trainee

DEGREE AND CURRICULUM:

Associate Degree in Agricultural Business or related agricultural area. Will consider all qualified agriculture degrees.

JOB DESCRIPTION:

Wholesale and retail sales of feeds, farm supplies, and farm equipment. Responsibilities will include developing employee work schedules, analyzing and resolving work problems, training new employees, initiating personnel actions such as promotions, transfers, discharges, and disciplinary actions. Will also be involved in purchasing feed mixing materials, farm supplies, and equipment for resale.

LOCATION: Clinton, North Carolina

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

Some experience in sales helpful but not required.

SALARY AND FRINGE BENEFITS:

Complete benefit package including life insurance, health insurance, retirement benefits, educational aid, paid vacation, paid holidays, and long-term disability. Salary will vary with education and experience.

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CATEGORY: Animal Production

TITLE: Swine Production Trainee

Beef Cattle Herdsman

Poultry Production

DEGREE AND CURRICULUM:

Associate degree in Animal Science or Agribusiness but will consider all qualified agriculture degrees and applicants approaching graduation.

JOB DESCRIPTION:

General care, breeding, feeding, record-keeping of 1,000 sow commercial farrow-to-finish operation.

General care, breeding, feeding, record-keeping for a 350 commercial-cow-calf beef herd.

General care of a large poultry operation.

LOCATION: Raleigh, N. C.

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

Experience is helpful but not necessary.

SALARY AND FRINGE BENEFITS:

Complete benefit package including life insurance, health insurance, retirement benefits, educational aid, paid vacation, paid holidays, and long-term disability. Salary will vary with education and experience.

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CATEGORY: Turfgrass

TITLE: Assistant Golf Course Superintendent

DEGREE AND CURRICULUM:

Associate Degree in Turfgrass Management

JOB DESCRIPTION:

Assist superintendent with daily operations of golf course, golf course maintenance, clubhouse laws, flower gardens, trees and shrubbery pesticide application, mowing equipment maintenance, irrigation, record keeping, personnel training and public relations. Assistant superintendent should have or be able to obtain all licenses and permits required for application of pesticide.

LOCATION: Raleigh, North Carolina

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

Working knowledge of golf course operation along with good communication skills.

SALARY AND FRINGE BENEFITS:

Complete benefit package including, health insurance, life insurance, retirement benefits, educational aid, paid vacation, paid holidays, and long-term disability. Salary will vary with education and experience.

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CATEGORY: Nursery/Landscape

TITLE: Grounds Supervisor
(Crew Leader)

DEGREE AND CURRICULUM:

Associate Degree in Flower and Nursery Crops and/or
Landscape Technology.

JOB DESCRIPTION:

Need to provide technical guidance and supervision to crew (3-5 subordinate employees) engaged in the installation and maintenance of turf, flower beds, shrubs, and trees. Responsibilities will include developing work schedule, analyzing and resolving work problems, training new employees, initiating personal actions such as promotion, discharge, and disciplinary actions. Also needs to have or be able to obtain an Ornamental Pesticide License.

LOCATION: Raleigh, North Carolina

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

Some experience working on a landscape crew would be helpful but not required.

SALARY AND FRINGE BENEFITS:

Complete benefit package including, health insurance, life insurance, retirement benefits, education aid, paid vacation, paid holidays, and long-term disability benefits. Salary will vary with education and experience.

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CATEGORY: Agriculture

TITLE: Sales Representative

DEGREE AND CURRICULUM:

Associate Degree in Agricultural Science or Agricultural Power and Machinery. Will consider all qualified agriculture degrees and applicants approaching graduation.

JOB DESCRIPTION:

Sells farm and garden machinery, equipment, and supplies, such as tractors, feed, fertilizer, seed, insecticide, and farm garden implements. Sells products to businesses and industrial establishments or individuals for manufacturer or distribution at sales office, store, showroom, or customer's place of business, utilizing knowledge of product sold. Compiles lists of prospective customers for use as sales leads, based on information from newspapers, business directories, and other sources. Travels throughout assigned territory to call on regular and prospective customers to solicit orders or talks with customers on sales floor or by phone. Displays or demonstrates product, using samples or catalog, and emphasizes salable features. Quotes prices and credit terms and prepares sales contracts for orders obtained. Estimates date of delivery to customers, based on knowledge of own firm's production and delivery schedules. Prepares reports of business transactions and keeps expense accounts.

LOCATION: Raleigh, N. C.

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

Any type of sales experience would be helpful.

SALARY AND FRINGE BENEFITS:

Complete benefit package including life insurance, health insurance, retirement benefits, educational aid, paid vacation, paid holidays, and long-term disability. Salary will vary with education and experience.

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CATEGORY: Crop Production

TITLE: General Crop Producer

DEGREE AND CURRICULUM:

Associate degree in Farm Management or Agricultural Business.
Will consider all qualified agriculture degrees.

JOB DESCRIPTION:

Plants, cultivates, and harvests one or more grain crops, such as barley, corn, rice, soybeans, or wheat for cash sales. Selects and buys type and amount of grain seed to be grown, taking into consideration local growing conditions and market demands. Operates equipment to plow, disk, harrow, and fertilize ground for planting, and to plant grain. Plans harvesting, considering ripeness and maturity of grain and weather conditions and operates grain harvesting equipment. Sells grain or stores grain for future sales.

LOCATION: Raleigh, N. C.

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

Some farming experience would be helpful.

SALARY AND FRINGE BENEFITS:

Complete benefit package including life insurance, health insurance, retirement benefits, educational aid, paid vacations, paid holidays, and long-term disability. Salary will vary with education and experience.

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