



Job Posting

Greenhouse Grower

Essential Functions/Responsibilities:

1. Oversee the production of pine mini plugs harvested from hedges on site.
2. Successful rooting of pine mini plugs to finished transplantable liners.
3. Successful rooting of Sweet Gum into containers as a direct stick crop.
4. Application of fertilizer and pesticides as dictated by the crop.
5. Administration of misting regimes to accommodate the rooting of cuttings at various stages of development.
6. Supervising production and harvest crews working in the greenhouses.
7. At various times, be able to assist nursery staff with weekend watering duties and monitoring crops in cold weather.

Education/Experience/Skills:

- Ideal candidate should have an Associate's degree in Horticulture Greenhouse Management
- Candidate should have 2 – 3 years of experience in commercial greenhouse growing and operation.
- Candidate should have experience with and be comfortable operating computerized greenhouse irrigation and environmental systems.
- Candidate must be able to lift 50 lbs. and be able to bend, reach, and stoop in order to accomplish the growing tasks. Candidate should be able to tolerate extremes of temperatures throughout the growing season.
- Candidate should have or be qualified to obtain a valid Pesticide Applicator's license for the state of Georgia.
- Candidate having computer skills with Word, Excel, and Power Point is highly desirable.
- Experience operating farm tractors and forklifts are desirable.

Physical Requirements:

This is heavy work exerting up to 50 pounds of force; work may involve climbing, stooping, crouching, kneeling, reaching, pushing, pulling, lifting and grasping; worker is subject to inside and outside environment, noise, vibration, working hazards, fumes, odors, dust, gasses and chemicals; visual acuity is required for experiments; requires hearing sufficient to perceive noises for diagnostic purposes. This can be inside or outside work or working in hot, humid cold and damp conditions. Applicant must have a valid driver's license. Applicant must pass a drug screening test.

DISCLAIMER

This job description indicates the general nature and level of work expected of the incumbent. It is not designed to cover or contain a comprehensive listing of activities, duties or responsibilities required of the applicant. Incumbent may be asked to perform other duties as required and the responsibilities of the position may change.

If interested, submit current resume to Human Resources. AA/EEO/M/F/D/V/V