

Estate Horticulturist – Greenhouse Grower

Large private estate located in west central Connecticut seeks a full-time Horticulturist to maintain greenhouses and nursery including extensive tropical and temperate plant collections. These include orchids, fragrant tropicals, tropical fruits, cut flowers, vegetable and woody plant species. The owner has a passion for plants and is very involved in the development of the gardens and land.

Responsibilities

- Maintain a broad array of plant species
- Propagate and grow plants for installation in gardens
- Implement an Integrated Pest Management plan
- Ensure greenhouse areas are impeccably maintained
- Assist with apiary maintenance
- Promote a team dynamic

Qualifications

Must have a minimum of a B.S. in Horticulture or related field or have completed a specialized program

Requirements

- A passion for plants, positive attitude, and ability to attain very high standards
- Excellent time management skills with great attention to detail
- Must be energetic and adaptable with strong problem-solving skills
- Ability to lift 40 lbs. and withstand exposure to inclement weather conditions

Compensation

- Generous salary
- Medical insurance coverage
- Paid vacation
- 401k, after 1 year

Please send resume and cover letter to:

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