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Farm Foreman (m/f/d)

We're looking for a Farm Foreman (m/f/d) to join KWS Vegetables. The working site will be in Cartagena (Murcia). The position is unlimited and full-time. The main objectives of the position are agronomic management and general cleaning/maintenance at our research station in Cartagena.

You want to accept the challenge of building from the beginning.

Key duties:

Preparation of fields and execution of crop maintenance:

- Preparation of fields like soil preparations, solarization and installation of irrigation lines pre growing. Execution of the crop maintenance activities like planting, pruning, harvesting and application of agrochemicals
- In cold periods: prepare GH for severe cold nights

Obtain fruits and seeds:

- Pollinate and harvest fruits of selected plants
- Sow trials
- Clean seeds, dry and package them

General maintenance of premises:

- Warehouse, greenhouses and agricultural machinery.
- Load and unload materials and organize the agricultural warehouse (fruit pallets, fertilizers, boxes, pots, residuals, used chemicals etc.)
- Basic general maintenance of premises (painting, plastering, plumbing, electricity, gardening, cleaning)
- Inform farm manager for items of need in repair
- Application of shade on greenhouses when needed
- Support in occasional tasks: pick up cars from workshops, collect data, purchase small material, move equipment or furniture, help in general activities of the company
- Work accordingly and maintain high phytosanitary and Health and Safety standard

Key responsibilities:

- Realization with quality, exactness and according to the required standards in the required time the works

Performance indicators:

- Quality and timeliness in the works
- Keep high level of phytosanitary measures
- No accidents
- Order and tidiness in premises

Core Competencies:

- Work well as a team member
- A "can-do" mentality
- Responsibility and attention to details

Your Profile:

- Vocational training in agricultural sector, preferably in horticulture
- Some technical knowledge of crops and practical agricultural experience
- Permit to apply agrochemicals
- Permit to drive forklift/tractor
- Driving License
- Good Level of English

- Some experience in general maintenance
- Work open air and in greenhouses
- Exposure to agrochemicals

We are looking forward to your application using our online application system SuccessFactors! Please click the “Apply” button which you can find in the online ad.

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