

JOB VACANCIES

Agronomist

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Assisting incubatees on crop productions to achieve maximum productivity per unit plant
- Keep records of plant productivity to ensure crops are producing as directed by seeds suppliers
- Studying plants and soil in order to develop better planting, cultivation, and harvesting techniques, improve crop yield, and solve problems facing the incubatees.
- Researching, developing, and promoting farming practices or products that enhancing crop productivity at the incubator.
- Daily visiting and assessment of open field and screenhouses of each incubate to observe crop growth and performance and give advice
- Collecting of plants, soil and testing samples for nutritional deficiencies, diseases, or other changes.
- Assisting with the plant testing and selection process at the incubator's net-house to get the best crop variety in productivity
- Assisting the incubatees in the development of planting and irrigation schedules, budgets, and timelines.
- Keeping detailed records of each incubate regarding plants growth, productivity and challenges.
- Generating weekly reports on incubatees crops performances and presenting to management.
- Promoting products and techniques through educational presentations.

Skills and Requirements:

- With at least 4-5 yrs proven work experience in multiple horticulture crops, and in all-year cultivation using screenhouses and drip irrigation, in a large commercial production facility (or experience with numerous small farmers at the same time).
- Bachelor's degree in Agronomy, Agriculture, or related field.
- Ability to work outside, stand, walk, kneel, and stoop for extended periods.
- Proficiency with computers, especially MS Office and Excel
- Strong research, decision making, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills.
- Awareness of industry trends, technology, and developments.

How to Apply

PASS Trust is an equal opportunity employer and the position is open to all qualified candidates should submit a CV and cover letter explaining how the experience detailed CV in the will contribute to the requirements of the position. The CV and cover letter should be sent to md@pass.or.tz on or before 30th September 2020. Unfortunately, due to the large volume of applications we receive, we will not be able to respond to each individual candidate. Only shortlisted will be contacted.

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