

CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION FFA
JOB INTERVIEW CONTEST
2016-2017

JOB TITLES AND CONTACT PERSONS

NOTE: Prepare a letter of introduction to ONLY ONE of the job interview titles listed below. All information on the application, listed in your resume', communicated during the interview, etc. is to be accurate. Approach the contest as if the openings appeared in your local newspaper. Please do not contact these individuals and/or companies directly, as this is a Career Development Event for the California Association of Future Farmers of America.

Agricultural Business Management – Administrative Assistant

Do you have strong computer skills? Can you relate to customers? If you answered yes to these two questions, then Wilbur-Ellis has an opportunity for you. Join us and grow your career with a strong and profitable industry leader. We are seeking a detail-oriented Administrative Assistant to provide office service support in a fast-paced customer focused Agriculture branch office. Potential employees should have strong organizational skills, have experience with Microsoft Windows, be able to communicate effectively both verbally and through written correspondences and have the ability to work as a member of the team. To be considered for this position submit resume' and cover letter to: Wilbur Ellis, Nancy Constanga, Personnel Manager, 975 Vintage Avenue, St. Helena, CA 94574.

Agricultural Mechanics – Maintenance Mechanic

Crop Production Services in Cutler is looking for a Maintenance Mechanic. Duties include maintaining facility vehicles and equipment, updating records, repair welding, fabrication, and completing safety inspections. Candidates should possess a strong mechanical aptitude as well as skills needed in fabrication and repair. Experience in agriculture is a plus. Forward resume' and cover letter to: Crop Production Services, Attn: John Carpenter, HR Supervisor, 12768 Avenue 402, Cutler, CA 93615.

Animal Science – Animal Technician Trainee

Aerotek has an immediate career opportunity for Animal Technician Trainees in their Sacramento, California Facility. Animal Technician Trainees work under relatively close supervision and will have extensive training to learn the principles and practices for basic animal husbandry. Candidates must be detail oriented, organized, a self-starter, motivated to adhere to quality standards, and have a tenacious aptitude for learning basic genetics. Candidates will work in a fast paced, team oriented environment. Submit resume' and cover letter to: Suzzette Smittburg, Human Resources, Aerotek, 3721 Douglas Boulevard, Roseville, CA 95661.

Floral – Floral Clerk

Safeway, one of the largest retailers in North America, is seeking a Floral Clerk to join their Chico store. As a Floral Clerk, you will use your artistic ability to create the freshest and brightest arrangements that are sure to brighten up any day. To truly be successful in this position you need to be thoughtful and passionate about your work. Tasks will include providing high-quality customer service, designing esthetically pleasing floral arrangements, moving stock, operating the floral chopper, operate the cash register, and maintain a clean and safe environment. If you wish to join our team, forward your resume' and cover letter to Valerie Watcherman, Store Manager, Safeway, Inc., 211 West East Avenue, Chico, CA 95926.

Forestry and Natural Resources – Forest Technician Assistant

The USDA Forest Service has an opening in the Stanislaus National Forest, Groveland, California for a Forest Technician Assistant. The position is to assist in performing duties in timber stand improvement, reforestation, and tree improvement. Specific tasks will include planting, thinning, seeding, and site preparation. Candidates should submit their resume' and a cover letter to USDA Forest Service, Attn. William F. Gould, 24545 CA-120, Groveland, CA 95321.

Ornamental Horticulture – Inside Sales Representative

Village Nurseries is hiring a part-time Inside Sales Representative to join their team in Orange, California. The Inside Sales Representative processes and assembles orders, builds and maintains customer relationships and develops the individual customer base through telemarketing and mailers. Strong plant identification skills, by both common and botanical names, and computer skills is desired. Submit your resume' and cover letter to: Maria Hernandez, Manager, Village Nurseries, 10500 Garfield Avenue, Huntington Beach, CA 92646.

Plant and Soil Science – Application Driver Trainee

In the Salinas Valley, you will find some of the most productive soil in the world. In the midst of this valley is Coastal Farms. Coastal Farms is seeking to add to their family a qualified Application Driver. Candidates must be detail oriented with excellent communication skills both verbal and written. Job duties include: operation of spray equipment, mixing and loading pesticides/fertilizers, cleaning and maintain equipment, updating application/spray records, and performing other duties as assigned. Having experience in farming is a plus. Resume' and cover letter should be sent to Chris McDougal, Director of Personnel, Coastal Farms, 1901 Shelton Drive, Hollister, CA 95023.

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