

Job description Post Harvest

INDUSTRY OVERVIEW:

Postharvest handling is an absolutely critical time in fresh food and crop production. Correct handling and storage protects the freshness and quality, it can also increase the value of produce. With over 250 postharvest facilities using state of the art technologies and systems in NZ, plenty of talented people are needed to operate them.

JOB OVERVIEW:

There is a high seasonal demand for staff at harvest. As fruit and vegetable production increases nationally, this challenge provides a range of opportunities such as packers, graders, forklift operators, dispatch personnel, supervisors, administrators and computer operators.

SKILLS & EXPERIENCE:

- · Strong focus and attention to detail.
- Understand Health and Safety practices.
- Understanding of food safety & compliance an advantage.
- Excellent communication skills.
- Have respect for people and different cultures.
- Be able to multitask and work under pressure.
- Forklift Licence would be advantageous.
- Are able / eligible to work in NZ.
- · Eager to learn and train while you work.
- Able to work independently or as part of a team.

A Post Harvest role is an excellent opportunity to be employed in a position that requires high attention to detail, as well as working and training with an existing team of skilled people that will give you heaps of development opportunities to grow into.

