

EXPERIENCE

MAINTENANCE WORKER AGRICULTURAL

San Francisco, CA

06/2014 – present

- Assist in the repair and routine maintenance of valves, pumps, drains, and related working parts of feeding and manure hauling systems
- Assist with the pouring and finishing of cement surfaces such as gutters, floors, ramps, and foundations
- Assist in the replacement of drain spouts and expansion joints and in the installation of structural supports
- Repair and replace fixtures, valves, traps, piping, and related working parts of feeding, watering, and manure hauling systems
- Assist in the repair and alteration of floors, doors, roofs, rails, fences, gates, and related areas in and around agricultural barns and sheds
- Assist in the repair and routine maintenance of agricultural equipment such as plows, fertilizer spreaders, discs, mowers, and seeders
- Instruct assigned support employees in work methods and processes

AGRICULTURAL TECHNICIAN

Detroit, MI

03/2010 – 04/2014

- Supervise harvest crews, shop mechanics and communicate with producers
- Develop planting schedules, monitor crops, test maturity and organize harvest operations
- Knowledge of agronomy practices
- Ensure adherence to policies, procedures, and practices
- Design, monitor, and maintain a safe working environment
- Cultivate a positive and innovative work environment
- Strive for fast continuous systematic planned improvement

LABORER AGRICULTURAL

Phoenix, AZ

04/2003 – 11/2009

- Assist tradesmen by handling, holding, positioning, and collecting tools, supplies, and equipment
- Assist with the pouring and spreading of concrete, gravel, and other structural and paving materials
- Assist with the planting, cultivating, and harvesting of field crops
- Assist in the transporting, loading, and unloading of livestock
- Assist in the care and feeding of livestock and poultry
- Dig ditches and assist in the laying of irrigation tiles and systems
- Assist in the preparation, construction, and maintenance of experimental crop plots

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

Bachelor's Degree in Agriculture

SKILLS

- Satisfactory completion and favorable adjudication of a background investigation and/or fingerprint check
- Work can be at extreme heights in grain elevators and aboard ships
- The work environment is in a poultry or shell egg plant and involves moderate discomforts and risks such as the cold temperatures and freezer storage areas, the presence of processing equipment, moving carts and forklifts, and wet slippery floors
- Locality pay will vary based upon the selectee's duty location. A final salary determination will be made upon selection
- This position is designated a public trust position and is subject to satisfactory completion and favorable adjudication of initial background investigation and reinvestigation as a condition of employment
- The work is partially sedentary
- The work is usually performed in an office or laboratory setting
- Successful completion of a one-year probationary or trial period (if new hire to the Federal service)
- Obtaining samples involves climbing onto trucks, barges, hopper cars, man lifts, etc., using probes, pelicans, and similar sampling devices; and moving and lifting grain bags or sacks weighing up to 55 pounds
- Ship inspections involve climbing into and out of the ship holds