



# FARM HAND POSITION DESCRIPTION

## **Summary:**

The Small Farms Initiative is a farmer training program located on our community farm in South Salt Lake City. The Farm Hand will be an integral position on our farm ensuring that we are producing as much food as we can while educating farm apprentices and farm interns throughout the growing season.

#### **Position Information:**

The Farm Hand will directly report the Farm Manager. This position is responsible for completing daily tasks on the farm including but not limited to preparing rows for planting with a broadfork, weeding, planting transplants, direct sowing seeds, seed blocking, composting, caring for chickens, leading the days events with apprentices and interns, teaching apprentices and interns, harvesting, and packing CSA's.

## **Primary Duties and Responsibilities**

- Ability to work 20 hrs/week
- Completing daily tasks assigned by farm manager through Google Keep
- Broadforking and constructing rows in the spring for spring/summer planting
- Planting and harvesting spring crops
- Seed blocking
- Prepping rows in greenhouse and high tunnels
- Planting rows in greenhouse and high tunnels
- Meeting Apprentices and Interns at farm at scheduled meeting times
- Educating and answering questions from interns and apprentices
- Harvest veggies
- Packing csa's

# **Position Requirements**

- Must be able to lift 40 lbs
- Experience working with sensitive communities
- Experience organic gardening/farming

## Compensation

- \$13-\$14.00/hr
- Weekly CSA share

#### How to Apply:

Send a resume and cover letter to Katie at katie@gulb.org.