

# FOXGLOVE FARM

and the Centre for Arts, Ecology & Agriculture  
Salt Spring Island, British Columbia

## **Field Foreman Job Description**

Foxglove Farm is seeking a field foreman for the 2009-2010 production season.

The field foreman will work under the direction of the farm manager supervising the day-to day management of farm operations.

Specific responsibilities and duties include but are not limited to:

- Day to day staff, intern, and volunteer management
- Directing all field operations; cultivation, irrigation, planting/transplanting, harvests, etc.
- Maintaining daily journal entries
- Crop/input/harvest record keeping
- Basic tool and equipment maintenance
- Maintaining a clean and orderly environment
- Management of all post harvest operations
- Management of seeds and propagation
- Support in CSA and farmers markets

### Skills and Requirements

- Minimum 5 years market farming experience
- Good interpersonal and supervisory skills
- Knowledge of basic tools, machinery operation/ maintenance
- Good organizational skills
- Sense of humor

Position begins April 1, 2010 for an 8-month period. Salary/benefits are dependent on experience. Please send resume and three prior employment references via e-mail to [m.ableman@fieldsofplenty.com](mailto:m.ableman@fieldsofplenty.com) or by post to Michael Ableman, Foxglove Farm, 1200 Mt. Maxwell Rd., Salt Spring Island, BC, Canada, V8K2H7. Please mark all correspondence "Field Foreman Position".

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