

Handsome Brook Farms is the industry leader in organic, pasture-raised eggs, working with a network of small producers to raise organic eggs according to American Humane certified standards. We have developed and strictly follow standards for Pasture Raised hens that ensure that our hens forage freely outdoors with protective cover and are able to nest and sleep safely indoors at night with plenty of room to roam, perch, and exhibit natural chicken behaviors. Handsome Brook Farms' subsidiary, The Farmer's Hen, works with a separate network of small producers to raise free range, organic free range, and organic pasture-raised eggs according to Certified Humane standards. We currently work with over 140 independent producers raising more than 2,000,000 layer hens keeping the health and welfare of our hens, the quality of our eggs, and the stewardship of our land as top priorities.

We are currently recruiting for a **Flock Supervisor** to work with our Head of Live Ops and our Director of Compliance to service farms in the Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee region. They will function as the main resource to our producers. This position entails but is not limited to the following functions:

Job Description

- Weekly service visit to all farms; visits at least bi-weekly (every 10 days) (with additional check-in calls as needed)
- Extensive, on-site data collection (ex: feed & water consumption, bird weight, case weights, ammonia readings etc.)
- Submission of production report data in Excel-based files held in Dropbox, including notes and photographs as appropriate
- Coordination of feed ordering from the HBF designated mill, including involvement in any reports of quality failure or management of consumption
- Weekly review of data and feed with the Head of Live Operations and Director of Compliance
- Set your visitation schedule weekly on Google Calendar
- Oversee biosecurity, organic and pasture-raised compliance across the farms you service. This includes, giving verbal warnings, drafting non-compliance warning letters, and developing and enforcing follow-up plans with clear instructions and deadlines
- Attend training offerings
- For new producers, provide on-boarding support and ensure barn construction matches AHA or HFAC requirements and organic certification preparations are in line with expectations

Qualifications:

Required:

- Experience working with poultry (preferably layers)
- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Highly organized
- Ability to effectively manage time. There are many moving parts to this position and little supervision, so self-discipline is a must
- Quick problem-solving skills
- A valid driver's license and clean driving record
- Own vehicle 30-60 day "trial period" prior to lease
- A team player with a collaborative approach to work
- A high degree of initiative
- Comfortable with technology (preferably Excel, Dropbox, and Google Workspace)

Preferred:

- Experience working with small farms
- Bachelor's degree in Poultry Science, Animal Science, Biology, or a related field preferred
- Knowledge of animal welfare standards and biosecurity, and state/federal agriculture/farming regulations and standards

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