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Employment Services

The PEI Agriculture Sector Council Employment services are available for employees and employers for free. We will be happy to help you with your employment needs. Please call Charlottetown at 1-866-892-1091.

Training

P.E.I Farm Technician Apprenticeship 2018 Training Block will be held Monday, January 8 - Friday, February 9, 2018 at the Farm Centre, 420 University Avenue, Charlottetown P.E.I. to register contact PEIAGSC at 902-892-1091 by October 25th. Developed in consultation with the PEI Agricultural Trade Advisory Committee, this one-of-a-kind, free two-year registered apprenticeship program combines classroom learning with on-farm experience, earning students a Certificate of Qualification in Farm Technician by the PEI Department of Innovation and Advanced Learning. Apprentices work throughout the year gaining skills on-farm with a farm mentor in addition to participating in five weeks of in-class training delivered by Extended Learning, Dalhousie Faculty of Agriculture, on PEI. This unique program was developed to address the demand for a skilled, sustainable, agricultural workforce on P.E.I. Those interested in starting the journey to become a Blue Seal Certified Farm Technician must first register with P.E.I. Agriculture Sector Council at 902- 892-1091 or email: info@peiagsc.ca

3 A Training Session will be offered in December. To register contact Robin at 902-892-1091 by October 27th to hold a seat. From field to road...do you have employees that drive your trucks, but don't have their licenses? We are looking for experienced drivers that would like to obtain their Airbrakes and Class 3A license. The PEI Agriculture Sector Council will be facilitating these two courses through JVI and Access. This project will be processed through the Canada Job Grant and Skills PEI. Draft Schedule: Day 1- Airbrake theory Day 2- Review of Airbrakes and Airbrake test (written on site), Preform a pre-use inspection Day 3- Driving and Testing for Class 3A (time scheduled test on site) Day 4- Driving and Testing for Class 3A (time scheduled test on site). Requirements- must have valid truck driving experience, but not licensed & Medical completed and returned. For more details on registration requirements, contact Robin or Laurie at 892-1091. To sign up, contact the PEI Agriculture Sector Council at 892-1091 or e-mail info@peiagsc.ca.

For more information on any of these events, please contact the P.E.I. Agriculture Sector Council @ 902-892-1091.