

Containerised Production Manager



Hours: Full time **Based:** Bronington, Wrexham

Maelor Forest Nurseries Ltd, owned by BSW Timber Ltd, forms part of the unique seed to sawmill offering under the Group umbrella. The nursery produces an extensive range of commercial forestry and native broadleaf species, marketing in excess of 28 million UK grown trees a year to customers throughout the UK and Europe. Our investment in a new state-of-the-art laboratory highlights our dedication to providing cutting edge research into the benefits of genetic improvement for commercial tree species.

An exciting opportunity has arisen to become an integral part of the team responsible for driving the growth of one of the UK's largest commercial tree nurseries. We are therefore looking to recruit a person manage and deliver existing conventional containerised production, and Vegetative Propagation (VP) programme as well as manage our exciting brand new 30 million cells new polytunnel and rolling bench facility as a single production cycle.

Your job role will include:

- Manually seeding and transplanting a range of species, to agreed production plan for broadleaves and conifers.
- Responsibility for the team and agency staff to complete the programmes.
- Ensuring the maintenance of the infrastructure and related irrigation.
- Monitoring weed and pest presence and ensuring adequate control.
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- Liaise and work with the Agronomy manager for the husbandry and care for stock hedges.
- Managing the fully automated seedling lines to seed 30m cells, for transplant production in the field.
- Managing production of 30m cells, one species and maximising the potential for other species.

Alongside these attributes, candidates need to be highly motivated, driven, enthusiastic, reliable and adaptable with a willingness to travel as required.

In return, we offer an attractive salary and benefits package, the opportunity of being part of a talented and well-motivated team, together with first class opportunities for both personal and career development in a truly national and integrated company.

To apply, email your CV and covering letter, clearly stating the position you are applying for, to: moneill@maelor.co.uk

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