

Cookbook Full-time Retail Sales / Cheese + Dairy Buyer Job Description

Cookbook Market in Echo Park is hiring immediately, and as we are opening a second location in Highland Park this spring, we have lots of opportunities to grow with our company.

We are looking for a mature, knowledgeable, and genuinely friendly individual to join our small, dedicated and professional crew on a full-time basis as a Retail Salesperson with additional Cheese + Dairy buying responsibilities.

We specialize in super tasty, responsibly raised meats, cheeses & produce. We're committed to sourcing seasonally, locally and organically, to creating lasting partnerships with our farmers and producers, and to serving outstanding food that highlights these connections and high quality ingredients.

This is a fast-paced work environment, and we're here to help people and to make the shop a place our customers want to come back to day after day.

Applicants must have a deep knowledge of food and cooking, and be able to answer detailed questions about all of our products, including meats and cheeses, as well as how to prepare and cook them. Applicants must love talking with people, must love hard work, and must know how to hustle in a fast-paced environment. Must be available weekends + nights.

We are looking for someone who is:

- Knowledgeable about cheese + dairy products
- Available full-time, including nights and weekends
- Friendly, responsible, respectful, reliable, self-motivated and hard-working
- Passionate about food and cooking, and eager to learn more
- Excited about the local/sustainable food movement
- Food service/retail/farmers market/farmhand experience is ideal
- Able to lift 50 lbs

Responsibilities include:

- Assisting customers in local, seasonal, or sustainably produced meat, cheese, grocery and prepared food selections
- Tending cash register
- Maintaining, organizing & stocking store shelves and cases
- Closing, stocking and cleaning the store
- All sourcing, purchasing, pricing and merchandising of cheese + dairy
- Communication, education and staff development related to cheese + dairy offerings
- Responsible for relaying pricing and product updates to staff
- Researching and suggesting new products

COMPENSATION this position is PAID: hourly, varies DOE, up to \$35,000/year
+ company matched health and dental insurance + a generous store discount

If you'd like to work with some really friendly and knowledgeable people who are into hard work, good food and cooking, then please send us your resume.

Please let us know what your 3 favorite ingredients are, what your best dish is, and what cookbook you are cooking out of at the moment.

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