Syngenta, a multinational company in the horticulture industry seeks to recruit a Production Manager for its Kenyan farms.

**Role purpose**

In charge of production of Geranium and Poinsettia flower cuttings in the required quantity and quality and in the specified/desired time frame at the lowest sustainable cost in order to satisfy our clients both internal and external.

**SUMMARY OF RESPONSIBILITIES**
Growing of Geranium and Poinsettia flower cuttings
Process organisation
Production excellence
Plant Nutrition
Crop protection
Phyto-sanitary and Quality
Production planning
Season labor planning
Production team management

**QUALIFICATIONS/KNOWLEDGE /SKILLS & EXPERIENCE:**

**Critical Knowledge:**
- Agronomy, Horticulture, hydroponics cultivation and greenhouse management
- Plants pathology (Pests and diseases) and agro-chemicals use.
- Windows excel and access
- Large labor force management
- Logistic and exports

**Critical Skills:**
- Supervisory / management skills
- Organisational skills
- Strong analytical skills, action oriented, quick learner
- Crop management, crop husbandry.
- Able to anticipate
- Team player and able to work in a multi-cultural environment

**Critical Experience:**
- Minimum three years of growing Geranium and Poinsettia flower crops in a green house setting.
- Supervision and training
- Disease and pest identification and management
- Farm production planning and execution in a developing country
- Data entry and analysis

A competitive remuneration package including benefits will be negotiated with the right candidate.

Interested and qualified candidates to forward their applications and detailed curriculum vitae indicating their work experience, names and contacts of three referees by email to: info.pollen@syngenta.com no later than 30th March 2011.

All candidates will be contacted.