

Renewable Energy Site Operator

JOB DESCRIPTION

Worldwide, a third of all food produced for human consumption is lost or wasted. In Massachusetts, food waste makes up 26% of what we throw away. We can do better! Vanguard Renewables provides a sustainable way to dispose of food scraps while producing renewable energy by developing and operating farm-based anaerobic digesters. We currently have five operational digesters in Massachusetts, with projects under development in Vermont, New York, Georgia, Colorado, and Florida. In Massachusetts we convert over 500 tons per day of unwanted food into renewable electricity.

As a Food Waste Site Operator, you'll solely be responsible for a custom food waste digester operation on our partner farm. Most of the time you will arrive on site, check the operation of the system report to our operations team your findings and we work together to meet the operational goals. You'll use powered hand tools, farm equipment, calibrated titration system. You'll use state of the art equipment to monitor tank levels, industrial mixers and adjust how much waste is used to create energy. What you need to know. You're going to work a lot. There will be long days and some weekend work. This is outdoor work and that means you're going to get dirty. Being outdoors means you're going to be hot in the summer and cold in the winter. You'll also be working on a team, so you need to be able to get along with other people. But we have found that all these things are exactly what our Operators like about the job! Why do you want this job. Whether you are just getting started or have a few years under your belt. Alternative energy is a great place to be. Vanguard Renewables is leading the way. You will be working with a team so there is always someone that you can learn from or that can learn from you. You get the fulfillment of physical work outdoors while using a variety of equipment, making a difference in the world.

Vanguard offers competitive salaries, paid vacation and a great health benefit package.

The perfect candidate would:

- Enjoy the outdoors
- Have a mechanical background
- Adapt quickly to new technologies
- Think creatively and critically
- Keep thorough records
- Collaborate with other team members
- Communicate clearly and have strong interpersonal skills
- Be flexible, able to adapt and work well in a fast-paced environment
- Have excellent problem solving and troubleshooting skills
- Plumbing or electrical experience is a plus
- Graduate from a STEM program is a plus
- Hoisting license is preferred

Please send resume and cover letter to HR@vanguardrenewables.com