



# New Job Vacancy

## Horticulturist

A fantastic opportunity has arisen to be part of an incredible team and work alongside some of the country's top horticulturists here at Sir Harold Hillier Gardens.

Do you long to work outdoors and make a difference? Well this hands-on role could be perfect if you have a passion for horticulture.

We are looking to recruit an enthusiastic horticulturist for one of our areas within the Gardens. Sir Harold Hillier Gardens was established in 1964 by a keen plantsman. Conservation was and is central to the running of the Gardens. These award-winning 180 acres of garden are open to the public and hold an important plant collection of over 42,000 plants from temperate regions around the world that grow in a variety of themed landscapes.

Hands-on gardening and an all-weather approach will be part of your engaging nature. You will be rewarded by working amongst a plethora of plants from around the world.

The successful candidate will be part of the team working in the Winter Garden area. A new and exciting garden is in the planning which Tom Stuart-Smith is currently designing. The whole team will be part of this project.

Plant knowledge and an engaging mind towards nature are a prerequisite to be shortlisted for the interview which will be held on the **22 February 2018**.

If you would like to find out more, please get in touch with Fran Clifton (Head Gardener) on

01794 368405

**Closing date: 18 February 2018**

Salary Range: £16,209-17,955

Hours per week: 37

Contract Type: Permanent

Organisation: Hampshire County Council

Work Location: Sir Harold Hillier Gardens

**Apply:** Email a covering letter and your CV to David Jewell, Head of Collections  
[david.jewell@hants.gov.uk](mailto:david.jewell@hants.gov.uk)

We look forward to hearing from you.