



Company Information

With 12,000 people in 35 countries, COFCO International is the overseas agriculture business platform for COFCO Corporation, China's largest food and agriculture company. In 2017, COFCO International handled over 100 million tons of related commodities with revenues of \$34bn. The company is accelerating its growth to create a world-class integrated global agriculture supply chain, anchored in China and competing globally. COFCO International is focused on being the leader in the global grains, oilseeds and sugar supply chains, with assets across the Americas, Europe and Asia-Pacific. We trade with over 50 nations, while providing farmers unique direct access to the growing Chinese market.

In the past five years we have made two significant acquisitions: Noble Agri and Nidera. While some of our peers have been established for centuries, we are creating a leading global player in a fraction of that time. But that doesn't change our commitment to doing things responsibly, sustainably and by taking a long-term view.

Division Information

COFCO International Grains US LLC, a COFCO company, is headquartered in downtown Chicago, IL and operates in the grain and feed ingredient industry. As the U.S. origination business unit for COFCO International, we are tasked with growing relationships and expanding our business throughout the U.S. and connecting this supply with the demand from our shareholders as well as the other global business units throughout the company.

Job Description

The Logistics Specialist is responsible for supporting the day-to-day operations of the container group. Located at our U.S. headquarters in downtown Chicago, the position will provide increasing levels of responsibility and the opportunity to gain exposure to management, including the Controller, General Manager, Operations Managers and other department managers. This position is responsible for all aspects of the container shipment, including logistics associated with the inbound, transloading, and outbound flows of bulk products shipped in containers. These containers are delivered to ports in Asia and other parts of the world. This position is a fast paced yet very strategic role that requires deep analysis and problem-solving skills. The position contains a high potential for growth and requires an individual that will take initiative and be a self-starter.

Job Responsibilities

- Respond to all customer inquiries
- Arrange drayage/transloading/steamship line bookings
- Track/Trace shipments and provide timely updates to all stakeholders
- Plan truck & rail schedules for inbound product flows to multiple locations throughout U.S.
- Manage schedules, adapting as needed to meet contract requirements
- Analyze truck/rail/ocean freight rates to determine the optimal execution point
- Facilitate the production of accurate documentation required
- Coordinate with counterparties and vendors to ensure timely/accurate information

Job Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in business related field
- 1-3 years experience; prior logistics experience preferred

- Knowledge of container freight is preferred
- Ability to be accurate & timely in a fast-paced work environment
- Ability to work as a team & independently
- Strong analytical and organizational skills
- Proficient in Microsoft Office
- Knowledge of export documentation process

** This position offers a complete benefit package, including 401K, health, life and dental insurance**

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