**Position:** **Garden and Land Worker - Seasonal April through October**

**20 hours per week, flexible times**

**$18.50 per hour**

The Land Worker position is needed to maintain and improve the land and grounds of Camphill Ghent. The work will be focused on (but not limited to) the vegetable gardens, perennial beds, orchards, and fields. Projects to include fence mending, transplanting, application of biodynamic preps, watering, weeding, forestry, composting, mowing, and pruning.

**The Organization:** Camphill Ghent, Inc. located in Chatham, NY opened in 2012 and provides independent and assisted living residence to 70 residents in an elder community setting on 110 acres.

**Qualifications:** The ideal candidate will have:

Basic knowledge of or interest in organic and biodynamic practices;
Practical experience in all aspects of flower and vegetable gardening including composting, greenhouse,
 cold frame and hotbed management;
Experience handling mowing and trimming equipment;
Willingness to support and include elders from the community in land projects;
Ability to work well with a team and attend regular Land Group meetings;
Self-motivation;
Ability to lift up to 30 pounds and spend long periods of time walking/standing/bending; and
Ability to handle manual labor in all kinds of weather.

Applicants must be at least 18 years of age.

Tractor experience a plus.

**Application Process:**

Send a resume or completed employment application to our Human Resources department at hr@camphillghent.org or complete the online application through our website at CamphillGhent.org.

Applications will be reviewed upon receipt and candidates will be contacted if they are selected for an initial interview.

Employment offers are contingent upon successful completion of required Department of Health criminal background checks and proof of driver’s license.

For more information about this position, please contact HR at 518-329-7924 ext. 104.