

# SPROUTSIO

SproutsIO puts you at the center of your food cycle. The SproutsIO smart appliance reliably grows a wide range of tasty fruits and vegetables, from strawberries to bok choy, year-round. Our convenient soil-free system is easy to use, simple to maintain and can be controlled right from your mobile phone. Connecting to healthy and delicious produce has never been easier.

SproutsIO Inc. was established in 2013 to provide Personal Produce™, a new choice for growing and enjoying healthy, delicious fruits and vegetables. Our mission is to develop technologies that enable large-scale change in food production through user participation.

We strive to achieve our mission through three key components: smart appliance, renewables, and services.

## **Plant Lab Technician**

Cambridge, MA and Detroit, MI

Full or Part Time Position

We are looking for a Plant Lab Technician to join our team and assist in research and development in our Plant Lab with a primary focus on soil-free cultivation. Your mission will be to aid in plant experiments, assist protocol and research methodology, provide insight for SproutsIO development in relation to plant growth. For consideration, please submit your information to the following url: <http://sprouts.io/careers-1>

This is an exciting moment to become a part of the SproutsIO team, as you will be leading research at the cutting edge of soil-free cultivation in the developing field of Controlled Environmental Agriculture. Experience with CEA is helpful, but not necessary.

Your objectives will be to:

1. Plant Lab Technician:
  - a. Research for plant growing studies – growth media, nutrients, seeds, materials, lighting.
  - b. Assisting in the development of experiment protocol for growing studies.
  - c. Aiding in setup and documentation of plant growing studies.
  - d. Data analysis of plant growing studies.
  - e. Assistance in the testing, design and manufacturing of the materials for Plant Lab studies toward SproutsIO product development.
  - f. Setup and expansion of Plant Lab tools and facilities.
  - g. Review process methodology and track all issues and changes to experiments.
  - h. Instrument and monitor SproutsIO technology components on a continual basis.
  - i. Review the master schedule and any changes weekly with your superior.

Our team is small, but we are insanely passionate about our work. We put in crazy hours, because we know we can make a remarkable difference in the world around us. The right person to join our team:

- understands how to work efficiently with honesty and integrity,
- has a sharp sense of humor,
- is incredibly organized with attention to the smallest details,
- meets commitments and is a team player (aka just gets it done),
- is proactive and persistent and doesn't take no for an answer,
- but is flexible and adaptable to change,
- is creative and innovative,
- is not afraid to speak their mind.