

Virginia Certified Horticulturist Application



Application Date: ____/____/____

**To take the Advanced Exam,
you must have passed the Basic Exam
and be current with your VCH CEU's**

____ Monday, January 25, 2010, 6-10 pm
at the Mid-Atlantic Horticulture Short Course, The Founders Inn, Virginia Beach
(Pre-registration Deadline January 15, 2010)

Name: _____, _____, _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Home Address _____ County: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____ - _____

Home Phone (_____) _____ - _____ Work Phone: (_____) _____ - _____

Birthday ____/____/____ Social Security # _____ - _____ - _____

Email: _____

Current Virginia Certified Horticulturist # _____

Current VNLA Employer: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ - _____

Your Name as to appear on Certification Badge (**max.22 characters/spaces**) _____

Your Company Name as to appear on Badge (**max.22 characters/spaces**) _____

Complete the information on the back of this page and sign.

Below for Office Use Only

Graded by: _____ Test Score: _____ Certification # _____

Test Date ____/____/____ Location: _____ Test Proctor: _____

Ofc. Rec'd ____/____/____ Entered NOAH ____/____/____

Results Letter ____/____/____ Badge Sent ____/____/____ Certificate Sent ____/____/____

Virginia Nursery & Landscape Association

ADVANCED CERTIFICATION CONTRACT

**AS AN ADVANCED CERTIFIED HORTICULTURIST IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,
I HEREBY AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS, TO WIT:**

1. I will abide by all present and any future additions or changes in rules and regulations, adopted by the Certification Board, a subsidiary group sponsored by the Virginia Nursery & Landscape Association.
2. I will promote the highest ethical standards in the conduct of my nursery work and myself.
3. I will make continued efforts to learn more about nursery products and improve my skills as a nursery salesperson.
4. I understand and agree that my certification is limited to a stated time period and must be renewed every three years on terms and conditions prescribed by the Virginia Nursery & Landscape Association Certification Board. Failure on my part to comply with stated requirements will automatically revoke my certification.
5. I agree that should my certification ever be revoked for whatever reason, I will not display any distinguishing emblems, titles, list myself as an **Advanced Virginia Certified Horticulturist** in newspapers, yellow pages or any other media, or in any manner to whatsoever imply that I am so certified.
6. I understand and agree that my **Advanced Virginia Certified Horticulturist** status is granted by the nursery industry as a recognition of knowledge and achievement and is in no way mandatory and may be granted or refused or revoked at the discretion of the Virginia Nursery & Landscape Association Certification Board. I further understand and agree that my **Advanced Virginia Certified Horticulturist** status may be used by me **only, while I am employed by a current member of the Virginia Nursery & Landscape Association.**

I ACCEPT my **Advanced Virginia Certified Horticulturist** status with no reservations and may use such designation as long as I am in compliance with the above statements and conditions.

Date ____/____/____

(Applicant's signature)

EMPLOYMENT VERIFICATION

(to be completed by employer only)

Date ____/____/____

I hereby certify that the work experience contained in this application is true and correct, and that I am a VNLA member in good standing.

VNLA Member Firm Name

Employer Signature Title

Mail or fax to Virginia Nursery & Landscape Association
383 Coal Hollow Rd
Christiansburg, VA 24073-6721

Phone 1-800-476-0055
FAX: 540-382-2716
info@vnla.org

Test Fee \$75.00

Pay with Credit Card: ___ VISA ___ MasterCard ___ Discovercard ___ American Express

Credit Card #: _____ - _____ - _____

Expiration Date: ____/____/____

Credit Card Verification # (the number on back of card) _____

Payment Date: ____/____/____

Signature _____

Amount Paid \$ _____ **\$75.00** _____

Print the Name on Credit Card _____

Check Number _____