



EXECUTIVE CHEF

ROYAL MALEWANE
GREATER KRUGER NATIONAL PARK



THE ROYAL PORTFOLIO

SCOPE & GENERAL PURPOSE

The Royal Portfolio is looking for an innovative, creative, dynamic and team oriented Executive Chef for our beautiful safari properties, Royal Malewane and The Farmstead. The successful candidate will be responsible for planning and overseeing all aspects of the kitchen operations within a highly pressurised environment, maintaining the highest standards in accordance with company policies and procedures.

MAIN DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Effective guest interaction to enhance guest satisfaction and the guest experience
- Designing/ presenting menus as well as overseeing the preparation of food, in line with TRP's Standards of Excellence
- Administration of orders, effective stock control, cost control and minimisation of waste
- Ensuring that the cleanliness and hygiene of the kitchen is of the highest standard
- Training Chefs and ensuring their ongoing personal development
- Participating in kitchen staff recruitment and placement
- Manage staffing rosters, leave allocations and performance management
- Maintaining good supplier relations, always researching for top quality ingredients at best pricing
- Leadership and creating a positive work environment
- Working closely with other departments to give our guests a complete experience and a perfect stay
- Achieving service excellence through strong teamwork
- Aware of current industry trends and international best practice
- Involvement in the work of the TRP Foundation and our local communities and charities
- Promote, Recite and Live the P&V's daily

REQUIREMENTS, QUALIFICATIONS & EXPECTATIONS

- Culinary diploma (or higher) from a recognized tertiary institution.
- 8-10 years' experience in a similar hotel environment in a similar position
- Minimum 1-2 years in an Executive Chef role
- Staff management experience & training skills
- Advanced creative and innovative cooking skills and ingredient knowledge
- Kosher and Halaal cooking experience an advantage
- Strong organisational and administrative skills
- Strong communication skills
- Quality driven individual
- Ability to multi-task, stay calm under pressure and prioritise
- A driver's license and private vehicle

Find out more on [The Royal Portfolio's Career page](#).

It is important that the candidate is able to work as part of a team and is a good cultural fit for The Royal Portfolio.

South African citizenship is advantageous. A valid work permit is essential if you are not in possession of a South African ID document.

To apply for this position please send your CV and a one page covering letter to: careers@theroyalportfolio.com

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At the Royal Portfolio we are passionate about our guest experience. In order to achieve our Purpose, we seek to employ exceptional individuals whose personalities reflect our Purpose & Values

PURPOSE & VALUES

To give our guests a complete experience and a perfect stay

GUESTS

To be welcoming, genuine and warm
To provide value and superior, personalised service
To create an environment of relaxation and enjoyment

STAFF

To have a culture of mutual respect, trust and integrity
To recognise, reward and uplift
To have passionate and expert staff

COMPANY

To be financially sustainable
To uplift local communities
To promote conservation and protect the environment

ABOUT THE ROYAL PORTFOLIO

The Royal Portfolio is a collection of luxury hotels in iconic South African destinations including Royal Malewane in the Greater Kruger National Park, Birkenhead House in the whale watching paradise of Hermanus, La Residence in Franschhoek and The Silo Hotel in a converted grain silo in Cape Town's V&A Waterfront.