



# Become a **CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL**

## 2006 National Certification Evaluation

### WHAT IS CHT?

Evaluations for the landscape industry National Certification for the designation "CHT" (Certified Horticultural Technician) are sponsored by Landscape Ontario and the Canadian Nursery Landscape Association. The evaluation consists of practical and written evaluations to verify your knowledge and ability to produce quality landscape work.

### WHY EVALUATE?

The goal of the industry is to upgrade and qualify the skills level of all who practice landscaping. The industry will promote the "CHT" to the public as their best assurance of quality workmanship. This program will tell the public who is qualified and hopefully eliminate unqualified competition.

### WHO CAN APPLY?

Those who have been in the industry more than 2 years and have more than 2,000 hours of practical experience.

**THERE IS NO GRAND-FATHERING FOR THIS CERTIFICATION.**

### STUDY GUIDES

One Study Guide is included with each registration fee. Landscape Study Guides can be purchased solely for \$75 (+GST) and Retail Study Guides for \$50 (+GST).

### APPLICATION FORMS

Applications must be received 4 weeks prior to evaluation date. Applications are processed on a first-come-first-serve basis and are not complete without payment by Visa or MasterCard. (See reverse side for an application form).

### CANCELLATION CHARGE

We must be notified of any cancellations more than 7 days prior to the evaluation date. Less than 7 days notice will result in a 50% cancellation charge of the registration fee paid.

GST NUMBER R-119005049

### DATES & LOCATIONS

#### Installation/Maintenance (Niagara Parks School)

Written: Thursday, September 28, 2006 (1 p.m.)

Practical: Friday, September 29, 2006 (7 a.m. - 6 p.m.)

#### Retail (Milton)

Written: Tuesday, August 22, 2006 (1 p.m.)

Practical: Wednesday, August 23, 2006 (7 a.m. - 6 p.m.)

Re-Evaluation: Friday, October 13, 2006

#### Installation/Maintenance (Milton)

Written: Thursday, July 27, 2006 (1 p.m.)

Practical: Friday, July 28, 2006 (7 a.m. - 6 p.m.)

Re-Evaluation: Friday, October 13, 2006

### WHAT ARE THE FEES?

#### Installation or Maintenance

L.O. members: \$350 (+GST) per person

Potential members: \$450 (+GST) per person

Re-Evaluation: \$35 (+GST) per person

#### Retail

L.O. members: \$250 (+GST) per person

Potential members: \$400 (+GST) per person

Re-Evaluation: \$35 (+GST) per person

### PAYMENT AND INFORMATION

Send your completed application form to:

**Landscape Ontario**

**7856 Fifth Line South, RR 4**

**Milton, Ontario L9T 2X8**

For more information, contact Beverly Benjamin, ext. 354 at 905-875-1805 or 1-800-265-5656, fax 905-875-3942 or visit [www.hort-trades.com](http://www.hort-trades.com).

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HORTICULTURAL TRADES ASSOCIATION

Advancing the horticulture industry

# NATIONAL CERTIFICATION EVALUATION APPLICATION FORM

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY AND COMPLETE ALL AREAS IN FULL IN ORDER TO EXPEDITE THE APPLICATION PROCESS)

APPLICANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PROVINCE: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE REGISTER ME FOR THE** \_\_\_\_\_ INSTALLATION EVALUATION \_\_\_\_\_ MAINTENANCE EVALUATION \_\_\_\_\_ RETAIL EVALUATION

**EVALUATION DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **LOCATION:** \_\_\_\_\_

COMPANY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

COMPANY ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PROVINCE: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

**ARE YOU A MEMBER OF LANDSCAPE ONTARIO?** \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO.

**IF YES, PLEASE SPECIFY A COMMODITY GROUP:** \_\_\_\_\_ LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR \_\_\_\_\_ LANDSCAPE DESIGNER \_\_\_\_\_ GROUNDS MANAGEMENT  
\_\_\_\_\_ RETAIL \_\_\_\_\_ LAWN CARE \_\_\_\_\_ GROWER \_\_\_\_\_ IRRIGATION \_\_\_\_\_ INTERIORSCAPE

## POST SECONDARY EDUCATION: (REQUIRED FOR 1000 HOURS EXPERIENCE CREDIT)

INSTITUTION: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF CERTIFICATE/DIPLOMA/DEGREE: \_\_\_\_\_

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE COMPLETED: \_\_\_\_\_

(PLEASE ENCLOSE A COPY OF THE FINAL TRANSCRIPT, OR SIMILAR DOCUMENT OF VERIFICATION)

## VERIFICATION OF EXPERIENCE: (TO BE COMPLETED BY THE EMPLOYER)

APPLICANT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ HAS WORKED IN THE HORTICULTURE INDUSTRY FOR \_\_\_\_\_ YEARS AND \_\_\_\_\_ MONTHS.

**I VERIFY THAT THE ABOVE APPLICANT HAS EXPERIENCE IN THE GENERAL SKILLS AREAS TO BE EVALUATED BY THE CNLA CERTIFICATION COMMITTEE.**

NAME (PLEASE PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ COMPANY: \_\_\_\_\_

## PAYMENT INFORMATION:

\_\_\_\_\_ VISA \_\_\_\_\_ MASTERCARD

CARD # \_\_\_\_\_ EXPIRY DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ + \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (GST) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL PAYABLE

**Please return this completed form ASAP to:**

**LANDSCAPE ONTARIO, c/o: Beverly Benjamin**

7856 Fifth Line South, RR 4, Milton, ON L9T 2X8 Phone: 1-800-265-5656 or (905) 875-1805 Fax: (905) 875-3942