# Prairies East Sustainable Agriculture Initiative Inc. (PESAI)



## **Applied Research Technician**

Term/full-time Arborg MB

**Salary:** Starting at \$22.28 / hour **Closing Date:** February 1, 2021

### **Job Duties**

PESAI is seeking flexible, motivated and hard working Research Technician for the 2021 field season. This one year term (with possible extension) is based out of Arborg MB. Responsibilities are to execute field experiments in agricultural crops. Duties include land preparation and maintenance, equipment operation and maintenance and crop husbandry related to crop seeding, plot maintenance, harvest and storage. It also includes plot data collection and entry and assisting with report writing, financial, communication and administrative functions of PESAI. The candidate must be legally entitled to work in Canada. This position will commence from April 1, 2021.

### Qualifications

- Degree or Diploma in Agriculture or combination of relevant education and experience in field research may be considered
- Experience in operating and maintaining farm equipment
- Knowledge of crop husbandry practices in a research setting
- Experience in statistical design / analysis and report writing
- Strong organizational skills including the ability to prioritize work and meet time sensitive deadlines
- Ability to work independently with minimal supervision
- Strong written and verbal communication skills
- Must have a valid Class 5 driver's license, a Class 3 license will be an asset
- Experience in using the latest Ag technologies including GPS and Real Time Kinematic (RTK) guidance systems
- Proficiency with Microsoft Office applications (Word, Excel, Outlook, PowerPoint)
- Experience supervising staff

We thank all who apply and advise that only those selected for further consideration will be contacted. Your cover letter, resume and/or application must clearly indicate how you meet the qualifications.

#### Apply to:

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