



Position: Labourer

Reports to: Research Coordinator

Work Status: Permanent

Schedule: 40 hours/week, plus overtime during planting and harvest periods

Salary: Commensurate on experience

Responsibilities:

- Maintain, repair, and implement minor modifications on research and field size agricultural equipment.
- Prepare research trials for planting by cleaning and counting soybean seed and organizing packets/bags.
- Assist in research plot field preparation through surveying, staking, and marking the field according to the planting layout.
- Operate equipment such as tractors, planters, combines, forklift, and sprayer.
- Float equipment to planting, spray, and harvest trials at off-site locations.
- Conduct field maintenance by hoeing, removing rocks, cutting grass, interrow cultivating, and applying chemicals for controlling weeds and pests.
- Clean and bulk soybean seed with MCI Kicker and aspirator.
- Maintain facilities including office, warehouse, machine sheds, and greenhouse.
- Harvest individual plants and thresh using a threshing machine.
- Follow the Research Tech Protocol Manual and adhere to workplace safety policies.
- Other duties as assigned.

Qualifications:

- Pesticide Safety License
- Mechanical experience

Abilities:

- Reliability
- Initiative
- Can-do attitude
- Attention to detail
- Work well in a team and individually
- Able and willing to work long, arduous hours
- Experience in agriculture is an asset

Please email your cover letter and resume to laurena.matthies@sevitagenetics.com by **February 2, 2018**.