

Agronomist

Location: Proserpine

Reference: PHR 2022/011

Pursehouse Rural is a leading independent Agribusiness specialising in agricultural produce, equipment, services and advice across 19 locations in North West NSW and Queensland.

We are seeking a full-time Agronomist to join our team at our Proserpine Branch.

The primary purpose of this role is to provide agronomic advice and support to customers and employees of Pursehouse Rural. Additionally, the role will focus on promoting all Pursehouse Rural products and services, including agronomic advice, sale of chemicals, fertilisers, seed, general merchandise and other services.

In addition to agronomic duties, this role will provide back-up support to the customer services positions within the Branch as required.

Duties include;

- Identify agricultural problems and provide accurate and timely advice to new and existing customers to address issues and increase production
- Collect and analyse samples of soil, feed and plants to assist in advising customers on how to improve production of crops and livestock
- Research innovative technology and advancements in agriculture to support profitable outcomes for customers
- Proactively grow customer base especially focusing on Sugar Cane and Livestock Production in the Whitsunday Region
- Ensure accurate completion of agronomic paperwork, including provision of accurate maps and job sheets using the Company supported agronomy software packages and Grower Management programs providing maximum amount of detail to ensure the precision of work to be completed by customers / applicators.
- Maintain and manage agronomic records and administration via Company supported agronomy software packages, ensuring administrative and legislative compliance.
- Collaborate with the Branch Manager and other sales employees to ensure sufficient products, including seed, chemical, fertiliser and general merchandise, are available to meet demand.

Ideal applicants will possess the following:

- Relevant qualification in Agronomy or equivalent relevant experience
- Demonstrated experience in similar role within the Agricultural sector
- Strong organisational and time management skills
- Effective communication skills and interpersonal skills
- Attention to detail and report writing skills
- Current Class C Drivers Licence



Holding Nutrien Advantage accreditation will be highly regarded, as will holding a Medium or Heavy Rigid Truck License.

An above Award salary, plus superannuation, is available based on skills and experience, and a generous staff discount is available on rural products.

A covering letter outlining your relevant experience should be forwarded along with your resume and two work-related referees to jobs@pursehouserural.com.au

For further information please contact Proserpine Branch Manager Craig Henson on 0456 213 944 or Kierly Budd in the Employee Relations and Safety Team on 0459 248 459.

Please note there is no formal closing date for this role. If you are interested, we would encourage you to apply soon, as the position will be withdrawn as soon as a suitable candidate is hired or if our circumstances change.