

Soybean Research Program Manager with Schillinger Genetics

Education Training:

Minimum of Masters of Science in Plant Breeding/Genetics or related field

Experience Preferred:

Two to four years soybean breeding with organizational, management, and communication skills

Position Description:

This position reports to the President of the company and will be responsible for managing and efficiently organizing a \$600,000/year research program. The focus of the research program will be to develop Group 1 and Group 2 maturity highly competitive soybean varieties. The incumbent will have a staff of three research assistants/technicians to manage and train. The incumbent must be knowledgeable about soybean germplasm, effective proven soybean breeding methods, and the use of molecular markers and genetic systems to alter soybean compositional traits. In addition, the incumbent should have a working knowledge of plant breeding software systems and proper research equipment use.

Training sessions at the Queenstown, Maryland research station may be required periodically.

Position Location:

Grinnell, Iowa

Compensation:

Salary will be competitive and based upon skills and experience related to soybean breeding. An excellent benefit package is available for manager.

Starting date will be January 1, 2010.

Contact:

Please send cover letter and resume/curriculum vitae to Emily Dierking.

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