

Agribusiness Consultant

Centrec Consulting Group, LLC is looking to add a bright, creative and motivated agribusiness consultant to our team in Savoy, Illinois. You will be part of an experienced professional team focused on solving client problems by listening to gain a clear understanding of their needs and challenges, and then conducting research and analysis to provide customized solutions to help clients to meet their objectives. This is a great position for someone who enjoys a mix of team engagement, independent research, analysis, and writing in the comfort of your own office within a professional environment. The successful candidate will leverage experience in agriculture and/or business along with a thirst for knowledge and analytical capabilities to develop novel solutions to client needs. Strong communication skills allow you to communicate those solutions through written and verbal engagement.

Responsibilities with this position include helping agriculturally-oriented organizations achieve their objectives through:

- Strategic assessment and analysis of client issues
- Data assimilation, analysis, and results reporting
- Simulation model development to assess alternative strategies
- Business research, analysis, and writing

Qualified candidates will have at least a master's degree in agricultural economics, finance, economics, or business administration; or a bachelor's degree in the same and 3+ years of relevant work experience in agribusiness, academia, or consulting. Applicants must be interested in both continually learning new skills and sharpening existing skills.

Solid skills in the majority of the following areas are required:

- Logic and problem solving – conduct a strategic assessment of client issues, analyze issues thoroughly and develop creative and sound solutions to business problems
- Research compilation and summation – conduct independent research in areas where the applicant may or may not have experience, outline and compile research findings into logical and concise summaries, and present findings to team members and clients
- Communications – write and communicate clearly, thoroughly, and concisely in both narrative and presentation styles
- Statistical and economic analysis – understand and interpret statistical and economic concepts and analyze economic issues
- Microsoft Office programs – effectively use Excel, Word, PowerPoint, Power BI (or similar analytical visualization software), and SQL Database knowledge
- Excel modeling – understand, develop and modify tools created in Excel for assisting clients and for modeling business processes

This is a salaried position starting at \$50,000-75,000 plus profit-sharing bonus and benefits with exceptional growth potential commensurate with performance. Relocation to Champaign-Urbana-Savoy area required and some travel is required.

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Since 1982, Centrec has been a premier provider of management consulting and ag lending training/education services. Leveraging the experience and intellect of individuals and the ability to build effective teams, Centrec brings clarity to their clients' challenging issues and promising opportunities.

See our web site (www.centrec.com) for information about our company, client base, and practice areas.