

Employer: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada – Agri-Environment Services Branch

Position: Land and Water Technician (Co-op Student)

Location: Morden, MB (multiple positions available)

Start Date: April 30, 2012 (flexible)

End Date: October 26, 2012 (flexible)

Hours of work per week: 37.5

Rate of Pay: \$11.72/hr – \$15.69/hr (depending on level of education and relevant experience)

Closing Date: Feb. 24, 2012

Job Description:

The position would be responsible for a water monitoring program at several sites in southern Manitoba. The incumbent will work as part of a multidisciplinary team to collect and analyze data related to agricultural practices and water resource conditions. Duties include:

- Weekly water grab sampling and shipment for chemical analyses
- Installation, maintenance and management of continuous/real-time water monitoring and telemetry equipment
- Organization and analysis of data related to agricultural practices and water resource conditions
- Development of communication products (e.g. maps, graphs, reports, and PowerPoint presentations)
- Travel to various field sites in southern Manitoba is required. Access to a government fleet vehicle will be provided
- Some physical labour and overtime may be required

Qualifications:

Essential

- Enrolled as a full-time student in a Co-op Program
- Canadian Citizen
- Proficient with Microsoft Office software
- Highly motivated with the ability to work independently
- Strong organization and time management skills
- Strong written and oral communication skills
- Valid Driver's Licence

Assets

- Experience with water monitoring techniques and data management
- Knowledge of Geographic Information Systems (e.g. ESRI ArcGIS software)

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