Agritech Research is seeking a full time Research Associate to join our team to serve in our North Dakota region. This position demands independent thinking, time management, and the self motivation to work independently and with a field crew. The successful candidate will be responsible for supporting multiple research plots in their region under the supervision of the Agronomist as well as maintaining our research equipment. The successful candidate will be responsible for traveling with planting crews to install plots, assist in managing for weed control, collect field notes, monitor plots throughout the growing season, and participate with the combine operation. There are many 70 hour work weeks from planting to harvesting. Travel is extensive and requires on average 110 nights in a hotel. Company vehicles will be used for all travel required for the job.

**Required Qualifications:**

- A Bachelor’s degree in an Agricultural related field.
- Many 70 hour work weeks from planting to harvesting.
- Be able to travel extensively throughout the Mid-West.
- Be proficient in computer skills, Word & Excel.
- Will need to obtain a commercial pesticide applicator license for multiple states within region.
- Have or be able to obtain a Class A CDL license with air brakes. We offer new employees to take a 3 to 4 week CDL training class.
- Be honest, responsible, and self motivated.
- Be able to work independently and with a field crew.
- Perform other related duties as needed or assigned.

**Who We Are:**

Agritech Research is a small company that has been contracted by Monsanto since 2006 and has grown five times to meet their needs for plot research. We pride ourselves on being efficient and productive. Agritech Research plants, monitors, and harvests over 130 research plots of corn and soybeans for Monsanto throughout the Mid-West, the North East, Southern Plains, and the Mississippi Delta as a team. We use technology advanced research planters and combines to be able to capture quality data for our customer. We look for individuals who value hard work, put safety first, enjoy teamwork, and generate ideas for the future.

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