



Join the Canada Grains Council (CGC) and lead an influential national organization representing the interests of the Canadian grain, oilseed, pulse and special crop sectors. The CGC leads, facilitates and supports policy development and implementation on cross commodity issues and opportunities. Our members represent the entire value chain, including Canadian growers, seed and life science companies, commodity associations, grain companies and public research institutions.

Currently we are seeking a:

PRESIDENT

This highly influential leadership role is the driving force behind the Canada Grains Council and accountable for guiding the leadership and vision of all aspects of the CGC. The President will be the primary spokesperson on behalf of the CGC, in raising the profile of the organization with elected and senior government officials to advance the priorities of the Canadian grains industry. Equally exciting is the opportunity to work with a Board of Directors comprised of leaders from across the value chain.

Your primary responsibilities will include:

- Providing vision and leadership, in conjunction with the Board of Directors, for the strategic direction of the Canada Grains Council, representing the entire industry on broad topics affecting the grains and oilseeds sector.
- Leading the development and execution of an impactful government engagement strategy to advance grain sector priorities, building stakeholder support, and providing supportive information for advancing issues of importance for the industry.
- Building and maintaining consensus among Canadian grain sector stakeholders to advance significant policy matters.
- Providing a strong and informed voice on issues affecting the grains sector in Canada and internationally.

Qualifications include:

- High-performing executive with experience in building and optimizing organizational processes to maximize results and bring value to membership.
- Strong ability to translate a vision into action; identify, assess and address industry issues and challenges.
- Broad general knowledge of the domestic and global grains industry, including trade, regulatory and technical issues that impact Canadian and global markets.
- Significant financial and general management skills, with experience in strategic business planning and implementation.
- Exceptional relationship builder, skilled communicator and leader with a proven track record in government and public relations.
- Proven leadership skills and team management expertise; an ability to coach and support senior professionals to high performance.
- Significant collaborator and team player; able to facilitate and share ideas.
- Professionalism, integrity and good judgement essential.



Applications must be received by February 3, 2023.

Apply, with resume, to HR resolve at email:

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*We thank all candidates for their interest in this position;
however, only those selected for further consideration will be contacted*