Manager, Classification

CAREERS

HOLSTEIN CANADA is the largest dairy breed association in Canada, serving our national membership of more than 10,500 active dairy producers since 1884. With a clear vision and client focus, we are eagerly embarking on an exciting, tech-friendly future. We offer a strong team-oriented workplace, supportive leadership, and the chance for you to make a difference in the Canadian dairy industry.

YOU are a natural leader and coach. You have a keen business mind and strong cow sense, but you know that this industry is built on people. You apply positive energy and diligence to everything you do. You listen to learn, not to answer. Your teams are aligned to goals and you celebrate victories together. You are motivated and driven, yet calm and collaborative. You believe in the future of breed improvement.

In this role, **YOU WILL:**
- Lead Classification operations and the dedicated and hardworking team of supervisors, classifiers, and support staff
- Play a pivotal role in determining the vision for the future of Conformation Assessment in Canada
- Collaborate on strategy, planning and overall organization leadership as a member of the Management team
- Participate on a variety of Board and Industry committees
- Grow and maintain strong business relationships with Industry Partners, including genetic partners, DFC, provincial Branches and international organizations

YOU OFFER:
- Passion for the dairy industry and for breed improvement
- A track record of setting goals, motivating people, and getting results
- A degree in agriculture, business or related training and ag industry experience
- Experience managing services, programs or operations (including setting budgets, managing expenses and leading a team)
- Experience leading change, incorporating technology, and taking projects from creation through to successful implementation
- Bilingual (English/French) is a distinct asset

Contact: **hr@holstein.ca**   Apply by: **May 25, 2016**

Holstein Canada supports applications from all persons. We will accommodate