**Stud Manager**

**Our Client**Our client operates a large property in the northern part of Tasmania. The property has benefited from a significant repair and reconstruction investment with plans to build up the livestock capacity in a commercially viable and environmentally focused way. One of the new commercial ventures will be the planning and development of a large pure breed cattle stud.

**Role**

A **Stud Manager** is now required to work with the environmental and farming support team to oversee the development of the commercial herd and modern stud facilities. The Stud Manager will be responsible for the day to day running of the stud including breeding programs, managing staff, care and welfare of the livestock, all aspects of health and safety and dealing with clients.

In this diverse role you will enjoy being responsible for:

* Sourcing information on bloodlines and selecting appropriate breeding stock
* Keeping breeding records and managing breeding programs
* Leading, mentoring and empowering the stud staff
* Focusing on managing client relationships and customer satisfaction
* Assisting with the design and development of a modern stud facility
* Creating a safe, happy, healthy work environment ensuring compliance with all WHS and environmental sustainability requirements

You will have a strong commitment to servicing and working with the local community. To assist you in the role you will have flexibility and autonomy.

**Person Requirements**
The successful applicant will:

* be experienced with the breeding (including A.I. and E.T.), preparation, showing and care of stud cattle;
* be able to demonstrate a high level of competence in cattle genetics and understanding of modern stud principles, including gene testing;
* be competent in farming activities such as cropping, pasture improvement, operating and maintaining farm machinery;
* be self-motivated and energetic with a strong work ethic;
* possess excellent communication and people skills;
* be committed to farm sustainability in all aspects of commercial production.

**Remuneration & Location**

An excellent remuneration package is on offer to attract the right person for this crucial role, including salary, superannuation, car, computer and phone. The role will be based in northern Tasmania, with either rental assistance or on-farm accommodation provided.

**To Apply**

Please apply online. Contact Dr. Ray Johnson, Senior Agribusiness Consultant and Managing Director, Agricultural Appointments by phone 0419012841 or email ray@agri.com.au for a confidential discussion on the role if required.