

JOB OPPORTUNITY



If you are looking for a rewarding career with a business that values innovation, collaboration, and continuous growth, this role could be the perfect opportunity for you.

SHEEP CONSULTANT

- ✓ Combining data & visual driven decision making.
- ✓ On farm & project data collection
- ✓ Project management & execution
- ✓ Client & Industry engagement



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Sheep/Livestock Consultant

Job Type: Full-time

Location: Young, NSW

Applications Close: Friday 5th December 2026

Who is SheepMetriX?

SheepMetriX is an independent consultancy business working with commercial and stud sheep producers across Australia and internationally. We deliver independent, practical advice on breeding program design, electronic data capture and benchmarking – helping producers make informed, data-driven decisions that consider the whole-farm system. Our work also combines research and extension to help producers improve productivity, profitability while meeting sustainability and animal welfare outcomes.

What is the opportunity?

We are seeking a highly motivated and skilled **Sheep Consultant** to join our team in Young, NSW. This is a dynamic role that involves both client consultancy and hands-on project work. You will work directly with leading producers, research partners, and industry groups to deliver practical advice, collect and analyse data, and communicate results that drive on-farm improvement.

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Key Responsibilities

- Provide breeding program advice that integrates genetics, livestock management, and pasture systems that align with the clients breeding and production objectives.
- Coordinate and deliver research trials and producer demonstration projects, including data collection, analysis, and reporting. Examples of projects include:-
 - Joining ewe lambs
 - Genomic only breeding values (Merino)
 - Merino Sire Evaluation
 - Terminal/Maternal Sire Evaluation
 - eID Implementation on farm
- Manage client data collection and reporting (EID, visual scoring, data calendars, analysis, sale support).
- Communicate findings, trends and results through client reports, workshops, meetings, field days, newsletters, and social media.
- Provide training and support to clients in setting up and using electronic data collection systems.
- Contribute to extension materials, supporting our client group buying systems and office administration tasks as needed.
- Maintain a safe, professional, and collaborative workplace.

Essential Skills & Experience

- **Qualifications:**
 - Degree in Agriculture, Animal Science or related fields.
 - Current driver's license.
- **Skills & Knowledge:**
 - Exceptional work ethic and passion for the livestock industry.
 - A very good understanding of the Australian sheep (livestock) systems.
 - A good knowledge of sheep genetics, reproduction, nutrition, grazing management, wool production, and whole-farm systems.
 - Very strong communication and interpersonal skills with demonstrated examples.
 - Good data management and analytical skills (Excel, Microsoft Office) with demonstrated attention to detail.
 - Knowledge of Sheep Genetics, RamSelect, GrazFeed, Farming Forecaster, Stockbook and Sapien Technology is desirable.
 - Project management and problem-solving skills.
 - Ability to work independently and collaboratively.
 - Willingness to travel and work flexible hours when required.

Highly desirable attributes

- Consulting and/or advisory experience
- Research and/or project experience
- Project management experience
- Understanding of genetic evaluation systems
- Industry networks

What we are offering

Package

- Salary package will be commensurate with experience.
- Office equipment (computer & phone) supplied.
- Access to a work vehicle or kms reimbursed at ATO rates.

Opportunities for Development

- Ongoing professional development opportunities will be provided.
- Hands-on experience across national and regional sheep research and extension projects.
- Participation in existing and future SheepMetriX projects.

Additional Information

- Own vehicle may be required from time to time (reimbursed at ATO rates).
- Flexibility required for occasional after hours and weekend work (time-in-lieu provided).
- Candidates must be self-motivated, well-presented, and professional in all dealings with clients, colleagues, and industry partners.

How to apply

For further information contact Sally Martin +61 400 782 477, sally@sheepmetrix.com.au

Please email your application including a CV and a cover letter addressing the Essential and Desirable attributes and your motivation for applying for this position to -

Sally Martin - sally@sheepmetrix.com.au

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