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## ABOUT POET GRAIN

POET Ethanol Products is a global leader in the energy and agricultural space. We started as a supplier of fuel ethanol, and have grown into a multi-commodity marketing and transportation company providing solutions in fuels, grains, and carbon dioxide markets. We are part of a network of engineering, management, marketing, and manufacturing companies that are dedicated to being good stewards of the Earth by converting renewable resources to energy and other valuable goods as effectively as humanly possible. As the largest supplier of ethanol in the world, we believe in the value and benefits of driving a renewable solution to global energy needs, and focus on creating a more sustainable path forward in all our related industries.

## JOB SUMMARY

When we show up to work at POET Grain, it's our job to meet our customer's needs as efficiently as possible.

As a **TRADING SUPPORT ACCOUNTANT**, you will have the chance to work directly with some of our great suppliers and customers of our grain business. You will work across a broad cross section of disciplines in our business to produce daily position and profit and loss reporting for our trading group, management, and financial reporting area. Sound intimidating? Don't worry. If you are a problem solver, detail oriented, a good team player, effective communicator and are looking for an opportunity with a strong, growing company in an exciting industry, we can provide you all the necessary training and tools to be successful.

## THIS JOB MAY BE FOR YOU IF....

- You enjoy getting up early and beating 5 o' clock traffic. Work hours are from 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- You have a Bachelor's degree or higher in Accounting or Finance.
- You have advanced knowledge of Microsoft Excel and experience in analyzing large amounts of data
- You have a proven track record of exhibiting good problem solving skills and being a dependable, self-motivated employee.
- You communicate effectively. You write well and speak articulately. You are comfortable communicating in writing and over the phone.
- You like helping people. You're patient and level-headed. You really enjoy exceeding someone else's expectations.
- You pay attention to the details but also see the "big picture." For you, anything worth doing is worth doing right, every time.
- You are a learner, not afraid of taking on new things and stretching yourself. You are not afraid to ask questions, as you're always looking to improve and help others.

### **A TYPICAL DAY (if there is one)**

- Assembling contract, shipment, and settlement information for physical and derivative contracts into a daily position and profit & loss statement.
- Assisting in system development of trading support tools by communicating business requirements to our IT group and by testing the system output.
- Assisting in the enforcement of our trading authorities policy.
- Preparing mark to market entries and reconciliation functions with the relevant systems as needed.
- Communicating developments in the business to the relevant parties on a real time basis.
- Maintain and update documentation for your job and look for ways to improve the process.
- Since we are all about teamwork and getting the job done, your skills may be put to a lot of other uses!

### **WORK ENVIRONMENT**

- Culture is king at POET. We are all on the same team. We always communicate. We park our egos at the door. These aren't just slogans on our walls. It's part of who we are.
- We have an open work environment, with no offices. We are all in this together and we work close together.
- We work hard. We play hard. We have frequent team events, from bowling to BBQ's to charity activities.
- We also expect that everyone will maintain a healthy work-life balance. It's the best way to optimize health, happiness and productivity over the long term.
- There is not a lot of physical labor, most of your time in the office will be at a desk. Your longest walk will typically be to a meeting or to the break room to help yourself to one of the gourmet coffee\expresso selections or a piece of fresh fruit.

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