

Careers in Primary Industries

Genetics Development Officer

Purpose

My role is about building relationships with farmers and making them feel really supported and also helping them to adopt new technologies on their farm. This allows them to achieve better production and feel confident in the tools they're using.



A typical day in your role

Every day really is so different, from going to field days and events, organising workshops, going out to farms, writing publications and guides - anything to make sure farmers have all the information that they need.

Personal attributes

- enjoy talking to people,
- able to build relationships,
- good time management,
- creative thinking,
- self-motivated

Quote

“If you're eager to learn and keen, there's an abundance of opportunities out there.”

Education and training

Bachelor of Science in Agriculture from the University of Sydney

For more schools resources go to: <https://www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/education-and-training/school-resources>

Emily Johnston

Extensive Livestock

For more detail about Emily's role watch her video

