

Protein Industries Canada (PIC), is one of Canada's supercluster initiatives located in the heart of the prairies. The mandate of the industry-led protein supercluster is to unleash the potential of Canadian crops and accelerate the innovation of plant protein products and co-products. The goal is to create stronger connections between large firms, small and medium sized enterprises, start-ups, post-secondary research institutions and government partners to open the door to new forms of industry collaboration.

We are currently building our executive team with experienced professionals who are passionate about realizing Canada's opportunity to be a leading source of high-quality plant protein.

Chief Technology Officer (CTO)

Reporting to the CEO, the Chief Technology Officer will lead the collaboration with industry to identify, develop and execute projects aligned to PIC's strategic pillars of Create, Grow, Make and Sell. Your background and experience in large scale science and technology projects will be instrumental in establishing project criteria and attracting subject matter experts to evaluate project submissions. The CTO will ensure the strategic alignment between PIC's objectives and projects by providing centralized functions for governance, best practices, mentoring, tools and standardized processes. Locations outside of Regina will be considered.

What You Will Do

- Develop the overall science and technology strategy for PIC, including the identification of strategic areas of focus (constraints and opportunities) for targeted PIC investments
- Work with members to develop project proposals at both at the Expression of Interest and Full Application stages
- Develop project evaluation criteria for both the Expression of Interest and Full Applications
- Manage and coordinate project review and project selection processes for both Expressions of Interest and Full Applications
- Manage and evaluate ongoing projects through tracking of project milestones as well as review and evaluation of interim and final reports
- Help members develop and employ industry best practices regarding the ownership and commercialization of Intellectual Property
- Develop and deliver regional workshops focussed on overcoming technical barriers and seizing opportunities

What You Will Bring

- Advanced degree in Food Science, Food Processing, Ingredient Processing
- Minimum 10 years of industry experience in a related field
- A track record of delivering results in a high paced environment

Please submit your resume to info@proteinsupercluster.ca by March 1, 2019.