

JOB IN THE WOOL INDUSTRY



Woolhandler



Woolgrower



Shearer



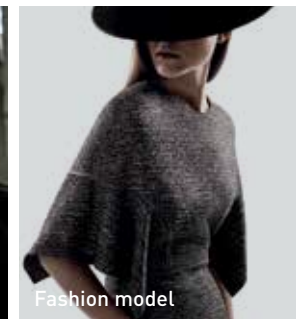
Veterinarian



Researcher



Designer



Fashion model

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Jobs in wool



No matter what you are interested in, the wool industry has a job for you.

On-farm

If you like animals you might like to become a:

- woolgrower
- livestock manager
- veterinarian
- shearer
- woolhandler
- farm consultant
- livestock nutritionist
- working dog trainer
- livestock agent
- wool broker
- wool classer.

If you like plants you might like to become a:

- plant breeder
- pasture agronomist
- environmental scientist
- pasture researcher.



Pasture agronomist

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You would be surprised how many jobs there are in the wool industry, including:

- bank manager
- accountant
- rural counsellor
- truck driver
- mechanic
- teacher
- university lecturer
- rural merchandiser
- graphic designer
- fashion designer
- advertising executive
- rural journalist.

Many more people work in the wool industry in areas such as:

- research and development
- science communication
- wool buying and processing
- marketing and retailing

The opportunities are endless!



Graphic designer

Did you know?

- Australian shearers can travel the world shearing sheep in many different countries.
- You don't have to work on a farm to work in the wool industry — there are lots of jobs that support the industry, from farm to fashion.
- More than 200,000 people are employed in producing and exporting Australian wool.

More information

To find out more about jobs in the wool industry, take a look at:

- learnaboutwool.com
- Beyond the Bale magazine: beyondthebale.wool.com

