



Cirencester, Gloucestershire, GL7 6JN

## **SENIOR RESEARCHER, BUSINESS AND MARKETS (G7)**

**Salary range: £33,000 - £36,000 per annum depending on experience**

**REF: RES2201**

The Organic Research Centre is the UK's leading independent research centre focusing on the development and promotion of organic and agro-ecological solutions to food, farming and environmental issues. ORC is a registered charity with ca. 25 staff and funded primarily by project grants and contracts, from government, EU and foundation sources, as well as voluntary donations.

We are looking to appoint a Senior Researcher (G7) to contribute to our transdisciplinary research into agri-food markets, supply chains and socio-economic factors to understand pathways to greater innovation and sustainability. Bringing expertise and experience in agriculture, agricultural economics and/or social sciences or related areas, you will:

- Manage and implement projects in the Business and Markets Programme, achieving high scientific quality and impact
- Contribute to the further development of the programme, expanding current areas of research and developing new areas according to your own and the team's expertise areas, and leading on research bids and proposals accordingly
- Contribute to ORC's overall mission of research that, co-designed with farmers and food producers and through an active knowledge exchange programme, supports the adoption of organic and wider agro-ecological practice.

We are looking for an experienced scientist with a track record of peer-reviewed quality research output and resourcefulness to work for a small, independent, mission-driven research organization. Combining strengths in a specific research discipline and broad understanding of food system dynamics from farm to fork, you will be given the opportunity to steer impactful research that supports wide-scale transition to healthier and more resilient farming and food value chains in the UK and beyond.

We look forward to receiving your application, which must be made using the ORC application form. Further details can be downloaded from the Organic Research Centre [website](#).

The closing date for applications is **1pm on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2022**. Interviews will be held via Microsoft Teams on **Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2022**.