

FORM FOR THE ADVERTISER

INSTITUTION: The National Institute of Horticultural Research (Instytut Ogrodnictwa – Państwowy Instytut Badawczy)

CITY: Skierniewice

POSITION: Research Assistant (W/M) at the Fruit And Vegetables Storage And Processing Department - Fruit and Vegetable Processing and Quality Assessment Laboratory.

SCIENTIFIC DISCIPLINE: Agriculture and Horticulture

DATE OF ANNOUNCEMENT: April 17, 2026

APPLICATION DEADLINE: May 17, 2026

LINK TO OFFER: <https://www.inhort.pl/praca-przetargi-zapytania/konkursy-na-stanowiska/>

KEYWORDS: assistant, agricultural sciences, fruit and vegetable processing, food engineering, horticulture.

DESCRIPTION

The National Institute of Horticultural Research is looking for a candidate for the position of Research Assistant in the Fruit and Vegetables Storage and Processing Department, in the Fruit and Vegetable Processing and Quality Assessment Laboratory.

The candidate's responsibilities will include:

1. Planning and conducting experimental work in the field of processing and designing innovative fruit and vegetable products,
2. Performing laboratory work to assess the quality of food products, particularly fruit and vegetable products,
3. Interpreting research results, including statistical analysis, and preparing reports on research,
4. Participating in the preparation of scientific publications on research conducted in Polish and English.

Requirements:

- A Master's degree in Agriculture, Food Technology, Horticulture or Biology,
- At least 5 years of professional experience in a similar scientific institution with a horticultural profile,
- Theoretical and practical knowledge in the field of fruit and vegetable processing and the use of innovative processing methods,
- Scientific achievements in the natural sciences, supported by popular science articles and at least two scientific publications,
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office and Statistica, and experience working in a laboratory.
- Knowledge of English at a communicative level

Candidates are requested to submit the following documents:

- Application for employment for the position of Research Assistant,
- A copy of the Master's degree diploma,
- Scientific CV including current scientific achievements and a list of publications,
- Statement of English competence or confirmed by a certificate,
- Consent to the processing of personal data (applications without consent will not be processed),
- Statement from the candidate confirming that, if employed as a Research Assistant, the National Institute of Horticultural Research will be their primary place of employment.

Applications should be submitted by **May 17, 2026**, by e-mail (aplikacja@inhort.pl), either in person or by registered mail to the Human Resources Department of the National Institute of Horticultural Research, Pomologiczna Street 18, 96-100 Skierniewice, Poland, with the note "Job offer for a Research Assistant in the Fruit and Vegetable Processing and Quality Assessment Laboratory".

Candidates will be notified by phone, e-mail or post about the date of the competition, including the interview with selected candidates in person or using an IT system enabling it to be performed remotely.

GDPR information clause:

Under Article 13 of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons concerning the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data and repealing Directive 95/46/EC, we inform you that the Administrator of your data is The National Institute of Horticultural Research based in Skierniewice, Konstytucji 3 Maja 1/3 Street.

1 The Administrator has appointed a Data Protection Officer (DPO), who can be contacted at the e-mail address: iod@inhort.pl on all matters concerning your data.

2. Your data will be processed for the recruitment conducted by The National Institute of Horticultural Research based on of Article 6(1)(a) of the GDPR.