



## Agricultural Research Service

*The Agricultural Research Service (ARS) is the USDA's chief scientific in-house research agency.*

**Position: Social Science Technician GS-5/6/7**

**Salary range of \$38,282 - \$61,647 per year**

**Agricultural Research Service, Northeast Area, Food Systems Research Unit in Burlington, VT is seeking a highly qualified applicant for a permanent full-time Social Science Technician position.**

The incumbent will be expected to 1) Support research social scientists in segments of the study and research involved with food systems. 2) Collect and record various qualitative and/or quantitative data from social science studies. 3) Evaluate, interpret, and summarize data using computer software packages. 4) Document findings by preparing information to be included in manuscripts and reports. 5) Organize, catalog, and make available literature and documents for various research purposes.

You may qualify for this position with one year of related specialized experience, four years leading to a bachelors or one full year of progressively higher-level graduate education leading to a master's or equivalent graduate degree in a related field, or a combination of graduate level education and specialized experience (see Job Opportunity Announcement on [usajobs.gov](http://usajobs.gov) for full details on qualification requirements).

Applications not including a resume with a thorough description of the work performed and experience required as described above will **not** be considered.

Information for Vacancy Announcement ARS-S23Y-12088894-RG and how to apply can be found at [ARS-S23Y-12088894-RG](#) . The opening date of the announcement is August 18, 2023. Closing date for applications is August 31, 2023.

**The applicant must be a U.S. citizen or National.**

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