Research Assistant (Animal Science)
Department of Agriculture

Duties and Responsibilities: The prospective candidate will be involved in the management of beef cattle, goats, swine and poultry. The candidate will assist the animal science faculty in teaching and research. The candidate will also oversee clean, well maintained, and/or working animal and poultry facilities including cattle handling facility, goat barn, farrowing house, pig grow-out and finishing units, and poultry facility. Specific duties will include feeding animals, animal health and housing management, research samples and data collection, laboratory analysis of feed and animal samples, procurement of feeds and related supplies, and record keeping. This individual will also oversee and facilitate student experiential learning during laboratory sessions.

Qualifications: A minimum of B.S. in Animal Science or related field with experience in handling farm animals. Experience in laboratory procedures for feed analysis, collection of animal samples, experimental design and be computer literate is required.

Personal Characteristics: The successful candidate should possess the ability to assume responsibility, work well with limited supervision; complete tasks in a timely manner; be courteous and disciplined; and cultivate a good working relationship with co-workers.

Salary: Commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Fringe Benefits: Group medical and hospital, life and disability insurance, retirement benefits, social security, worker’s compensation, vacation, and sick leave.

Application: Applicants should submit an application letter, resume, copies of official transcripts from all institutions attended and three letters of recommendation to:

Chair, Search Committee
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School of Agriculture, Fisheries and Human Sciences
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Application Deadline: Applications accepted until position is filled.

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