

## POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

**Title:** Assistant Professor – Farm Policy and Agribusiness Marketing

**Location:** Department of Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR

**Annual Salary:** Commensurate with qualifications and experience.

**Description:** Assistant Professor, 12-month, tenure track position.

**Job Duties and Responsibilities:** The Department of Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness is seeking a candidate for an assistant professor to develop a distinguished research, extension, and teaching program in agricultural economics with an emphasis on farm policy and agribusiness marketing. Areas of research and applied economic analysis could include Farm Bill programs, trade, energy, conservation, transportation, new product development, and global marketing strategies. The position will play a pivotal role in the collaborative partnership of the University of Arkansas with the Food & Agricultural Policy Research Institute at Iowa State University and the University of Missouri. The position will be assigned to teach two courses per year in agribusiness marketing and agricultural economics.

**Qualifications:** Ph.D. degree in agricultural or applied economics, economics, marketing, or closely related field is required by date of hire. An ability to develop and implement an applied research and extension program leading to effective economic problem solving and scholarly publications, with an emphasis on agribusiness economic and marketing issues important to Arkansas and the United States is desired. An ability to teach effectively at the undergraduate and graduate levels is desired. Moreover, strong training in economic theory and quantitative methods, effective written and oral communication skills, and an ability to interact effectively with the agribusiness community are desired.

**Date Available:** August 1, 2007 or until an acceptable applicant is selected.

**Application Process:** Review of applications will begin July 2, 2007, and continue until a suitable candidate is selected. Interested candidates are requested to submit a letter of application including a statement of qualifications, a curriculum vitae, academic transcripts, and name, complete address, and telephone numbers of at least three professional references to:

Dr. Eric J. Wailes, Search Committee Chair  
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