

Position Announcement
Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics
University of Georgia

Position Title: Assistant Professor

Agribusiness

Appointment: Full time, Tenure track (9 or 12 month appointment); Research and Teaching

Location: Athens, Georgia.

Available: July 1, 2007

Qualifications: PhD in agricultural economics, economics, or business with strong grounding in the theory and methods applicable to specialized fields within agribusiness teaching and research. Strong quantitative skills and excellent oral and written communication skills are required. The incumbent must be able to develop a nationally recognized research program and attract extramural funding.

General Duties and Responsibilities: The appointment is expected to be 75% research and 25% teaching, though the exact split is negotiable. Research responsibilities include the application of economic analysis to problems facing decision-makers in the regional, national and global food and agribusiness chain. Areas of possible specialization include: marketing management and strategy, supply/value chain analysis, industrial organization and information economics, and financial management. Teaching responsibilities will include undergraduate and/or graduate courses. Mentoring of undergraduate students and advising of graduate students is expected.

Department and Program: The Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics offers programs of study at the B.S., M.S., and Ph.D. levels. Further information about the Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics at the University of Georgia can be found at <http://www.agecon.uga.edu>

Application Process:

Send a letter of application, current curriculum vitae, graduate transcripts, and the names, addresses, and phone numbers of three references to:

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