

AAEA Career Opportunities
Position Report

Lecturer

Employer Information

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United States

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Position Information

Start Date: August 22, 2013

Duration:

Location: College Park, Maryland United States

Tenure Track: No

U.S. Citizenship Required: No

Languages

Specialty Desired

Primary Specialty: Agri-business Management

Other specialties: Marketing

Educational Requirements

Masters

More Information:

Position Description

Title: Lecturer

Position Number: 04011130

Category Status: Faculty-Non-Tenured, Term Contract

Unit: AGNR-Institute of Applied Agriculture

Position Summary/Purpose of Position:

The Institute of Applied Agriculture (IAA) invites applications for a 9-month Agricultural Business Management Lecturer position. The IAA is a 60-credit academic certificate program in the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources at the University of Maryland, College Park. The IAA provides students with the entrepreneurial and technical skills needed to manage profitable agricultural enterprises including golf courses, sports fields, landscape companies, and farming operations. This is a renewable, non-tenure track, 9-month appointment. Continuing appointment will be based on performance and student enrollment.

The University of Maryland, College Park, MD, is a research extensive Land Grant institution located in suburban Washington, DC. The 1250-acre campus has excellent research libraries and Metrorail access to national and international research institutions and archives, non-profit agencies, and significant cultural landmarks.

Responsibilities:

- * Teach 3-4 undergraduate courses per semester during the academic year. Primary teaching responsibilities are in the area of agricultural business management and may include the following courses: Business Operations, Business Management, Agricultural Math, Introduction to Finance, Agricultural Marketing, and Personnel Management
- * Develop online courses
- * Coordinate the IAA's Agricultural Business Management program and recruit students into the program.
- * Advise and mentor Agricultural Business Management majors, oversee their internships, and develop industry connections.
- * Participate in department decision-making, strategic planning, and recruitment.
- * Continuous curriculum development and updating to instructional materials and integration of assessment activities into teaching practices.

Qualifications:

Required

- * Master's degree in agriculture economics, agricultural business management, entrepreneurial studies, agricultural education, or related discipline.
- * 2-3 years teaching experience, preferably at the post-secondary level.
- * The key person will demonstrate excellence in teaching.
- * Experience in agriculture production or operation of agricultural enterprise will be given extra consideration.

Additional Information: Salary will be commensurate with experience. The University of Maryland offers an extensive benefits package.

Applications:

A complete application packet includes a Cover Letter, Curriculum Vitae, Transcripts (copy acceptable for application process); Contact information of three (3) professional references. All candidates must apply online at <https://ejobs.umd.edu> for position #04011130. The effective start date is August 22, 2013.

Closing Date: For best consideration, all materials should be received by April 19, 2013. However, applications will be accepted and reviewed until the position is filled.

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genetic information, or political affiliation. Minorities and women are encouraged to apply.