

**POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT**  
**Department of Entomology**  
**August 15, 2014**

- Position:** Research Associate.
- Location:** Department of Entomology, Kansas State University,  
Manhattan, KS 66506-4004.
- Appointment:** 12-month, full-time (40 hours/week), term, non-tenure track position.  
Annual renewal contingent on satisfactory performance and availability of funding.
- Salary:** \$35,000-\$37,000/year (negotiable based on experience).
- Starting Date:** November 3, 2014
- Responsibilities:** Responsibilities will include: 1.) planning and conducting laboratory, greenhouse, or field experiments involving interactions between Kansas crop plants and arthropod pests; 2.) maintaining experimental data to write and publish manuscripts in refereed journals; and 3.) preparing applications for extramural funding.
- Qualifications:** **Required:** Ph. D. in entomology or related biological science; experience with design, conduct and analysis of arthropod bioassay data; PCR of arthropod or plant DNA and RNA; data qRT-PCR of arthropod or plant genes, sequence analysis; familiarity with SAS statistical programs. **Desirable:** Experience using ELISA.
- Applications:** Please submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae, statement of research interests, and contact information, including e-mail addresses of at least three references by email to Evelyn Kennedy ([ekennedy@ksu.edu](mailto:ekennedy@ksu.edu)). Screening of applications will begin October 10, 2014 and continue until a suitable candidate is found.

Contact person for specific information regarding the position:

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