

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT
Department of Entomology
July 13, 2015

- 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:** \$37,000 to \$39,000/year (negotiable based on experience) plus benefits
- Starting Date:** September 14, 2015
- Responsibilities:** Primary responsibilities include: 1.) plan and conduct plants - arthropod
laboratory and greenhouse experiments; 2.) prepare and publish data in refereed
journals and present at conferences; 3.) prepare applications for extramural
funding; and 4.) assist in managing graduate and undergraduate students.
- Qualifications:** **Required:** Ph.D in biology, entomology, or a closely related field with a strong
background in the design, conduct and analysis of arthropod bioassays. Experience
with DNA and RNA prep, PCR and qRT-PCR; bioinformatics and statistical analysis
to support results of genomic or transcriptomic sequence analyses; familiarity with
SAS statistical programs. **Desirable:** Experience using ELISA or RNAi.
- Applications:** Please submit a cover letter including research interests, curriculum vitae, and
contact information, including e-mail addresses of at least three references by
email to Evelyn Kennedy (ekennedy@ksu.edu). Screening of applications begins
August 10, 2015 and continues until a suitable candidate is found.

Contact person for specific information regarding the position:

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