

Brief Position Description:

Assistant/Associate/Full Research Professor - Experimental Statistics/Biometrics

**Mississippi State University
Mississippi Agricultural and Forestry Experiment Station
College of Veterinary Medicine
Forest and Wildlife Research Center**

Mississippi State University, Division of Agriculture, Forestry, and Veterinary Medicine seeks candidates to fill the position of Assistant/Associate/Full Research Professor - Experimental Statistics/Biometrics. The Division of Agriculture, Forestry, and Veterinary Medicine (DAFVM) is comprised of three separately funded research units: the Mississippi Agricultural and Forestry Experiment Station (MAFES), the Forest and Wildlife Research Center (FWRC), and the College of Veterinary Medicine (CVM), that collectively support the research, educational, and outreach missions of the DAFVM. The DAFVM is looking for individuals who can establish productive programs of research and scholarship in applied statistics. This position supports the research programs of MAFES, FWRC, and CVM through collaboration with faculty and provision of assistance in design of research projects and analysis and presentation of data. Responsibilities include: performing statistical consulting and statistical reviews of manuscripts and study plans for all aspects of the Division's research programs in agriculture, animal science, wildlife, fisheries, forestry, population medicine, epidemiology, and genomics; working jointly with the principal investigators in creating and implementing analysis plans for designed studies, clinical trial data, observational studies, epidemiological studies, surveys, and small plot research. The successful candidate will have the opportunity to teach graduate-level courses and serve on graduate committees within the DAFVM Colleges. This is a non-tenure track 100% research appointment and answers jointly to the Associate Director of MAFES/FWRC and the Associate Dean of Research CVM. An appointment in academic department may be granted relative to the successful candidate discipline-specific expertise. The successful candidate must hold an earned doctorate (ABD candidates will be considered) in a relevant discipline and at least one graduate degree in statistics, biometrics, mathematics, or related quantitative discipline. This position is located on the MSU campus in Starkville, MS. Salary commensurate with qualifications. Position available immediately. Review of applicants will begin after October 15, 2014. Apply via the MSU Human Resources Management Website (paste into browser: www.jobs.msstate.edu PARF# 6953; or paste the quick-link: www.jobs.msstate.edu/applicants/Central?quickFind=182069). Also send: 1) letter of application, 2) curriculum vitae, 3) statement of research philosophy/research interests, 4) official transcripts that confirm conferral of degree(s) and 5) three letters of recommendation (sent by selected references) to: L. Wes Burger, Chair, Experimental Statistician Search and Screening Committee Box 9740, Mississippi State University, Mississippi State, MS 39762. For additional information, you may contact Dr. Burger at: phone 662-325-7552; e-mail wburger@cfr.msstate.edu. We are an equal opportunity employer and all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability status, protected veteran status or any other characteristic protected by law.