POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

POSITION:  Assistant/Associate Professor  
APPOINTMENT:  9-month, 1.00 FTE  
LOCATION:  Oregon State University  
Agricultural & Resource Economics  
Corvallis, Oregon  
AVAILABLE:  September 15, 2013  
FULL CONSIDERATION:  February 15, 2013  

POSITION SUMMARY

The Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics (AREc) seeks applications for a tenure-track Assistant/Associate Professor position. This will be a full-time (1.00 FTE), 9-month position with a primary focus in the discipline of Agricultural Business Management. The tenure home would be AREc, with possible joint appointments in other departments. The incumbent is expected to seek supplemental funding for up to 2 summer months to increase his/her salary and to enhance research and graduate education through support of Graduate Research Assistants. The person hired in this position will provide leadership in developing a nationally recognized undergraduate teaching and research program focusing on firm and industry issues in agricultural business and food system sectors, including but not limited to areas of interest such as finance, management, marketing, cooperatives, and small business management. The incumbent will be involved in the graduate teaching and advising, and directing student research.

This position includes teaching up to four undergraduate and/or graduate courses on a quarter/term (10 week) schedule annually, provide leadership in the development of curriculum and experiential learning opportunities for undergraduate agricultural business students, advocate for the program across campus and among Pacific Northwest agriculture and food sectors.

The incumbent will develop a research program which supports his/her teaching curriculum and the collaborative projects of the department, college and university. Priority will be for projects which enhance agricultural and food business sectors in the Pacific Northwest and analyzes the impact of a variety of federal, state and local policies on these sectors.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE:

- Ph.D. in agricultural economics, economics, business administration, management, marketing, or closely related field at the time of appointment.
- Evidence of teaching effectiveness at the undergraduate level
- Demonstrated creativity in teaching and research.
- Demonstrated excellence in oral and written communication skills.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Experience working with agribusinesses, industry groups, or government agencies.
- Evidence of interdisciplinary collaboration in teaching and research.
- Evidence of teaching effectiveness with on-line delivery and course development.
- Evidence of teaching effectiveness at the graduate level.
- Experience advising students in experiential learning activities and/or competitions (e.g. NAMA, SS-AAEA, clubs).
- Record of peer-reviewed journal articles.
- Experience in applying for and securing external funding for teaching and instructional programs, or research.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The individual in this position will receive appointment in the Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics at Oregon State University. The beginning salary is commensurate with training and experience. Benefits include participation in a state-funded retirement plan, vacation and sick leave, as well as health, life, and dental insurance group plans.

APPLICATION PROCESS: To review job posting and apply, go to: http://oregonstate.edu/jobs. Apply to posting #023550. When applying, you will be required to attach the following documents; resume/vita, cover letter of that clearly addresses all of the required qualifications and the preferred qualifications of the position; a statement of philosophy of teaching and research; names, addresses, and full complete contact information of four professional references; transcripts of all college and university work. Materials that cannot be attached electronically may be sent to: Cheryl.hoflich@oregonstate.edu.

Please contact Penny Diebel at penelope.diebel@oregonstate.edu with questions about the position.