POSITION DESCRIPTION
DEPARTMENT OF RESOURCE ECONOMICS
UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS AMHERST

Title: Lecturer – Statistics and Applied Econometrics
Appointment: Academic Year (9-month) – Non-Tenure Track
Available: September 1, 2014
Application: Review of applications will begin on May 31, 2014. The search will continue until the position is filled. Inquiries may be directed to statistics@resecon.umass.edu.

The Position: The Department of Resource Economics invites applications for a full-time Lecturer in Statistics/Applied Econometrics. Teaching responsibilities will include undergraduate courses in introductory statistics for business and economics. An ability to teach in both face-to-face and online education formats to students is highly desirable. The successful applicant will become part of a team that will redesign the Department’s large lecture introductory statistics courses into a set of smaller sections that follow a blended online/team-based learning model. Applicants are required to have a graduate degree (Ph.D. is preferred) in agricultural/resource/applied economics, economics, statistics or a related field as of June 1, 2014. The Department of Resource Economics has 14 faculty members, 300 undergraduate majors, and about 20 graduate students (one-half Ph.D.). We place special emphases on faculty-student interaction and cooperation among faculty. We share a fundamental commitment to teach and attract a diverse student body.

Qualifications: Graduate degree (Ph.D. is preferred) in agricultural or resource economics, statistics, economics, or related field as of June 1, 2014 and expertise in applied statistics or econometrics.

Salary: Salary is commensurate with experience.

The Setting: The University is part of the 5-College Consortium in the beautiful Pioneer Valley of Western Massachusetts, with excellent social, cultural, and recreational amenities in a town and rural setting. We are 2 hours from Boston and 3 hours from New York City.

To Apply: Please submit a letter of interest, curriculum vitae, graduate transcript, writing samples, teaching evaluations, and contact information for three reference writers who are willing to submit letters upon request at http://umass.interviewexchange.com/jobofferdetails.jsp?JOBID=48688

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