

GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT



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About Us: The Department of Animal Sciences and Industry has a long and rich heritage. From the down-to-earth animal husbandry group that emerged from the Farming Department in 1901 to its current form as one of the largest Animal Science departments in the United States, K-State animal science has held fast to its commitment to excellence in teaching, research, and extension.

Moreover, we are fully engaged in embracing the challenges of the future to continue providing the objective information and training needed by the citizens of Kansas and elsewhere to thrive in the midst of change. The Animal Science program at Kansas State University ascribes to and seeks to model the core values articulated by the College of Agriculture and K-State Research and Extension.

About This Role: For this Graduate Teaching Assistant appointment, you are required to maintain full-time status as a graduate student (i.e., enroll in a minimum of 6 hours per semester during spring and fall semesters).

Your primary responsibilities in the position will include:

- Assist the instructor with teaching avian and companion animal related undergraduate courses, including the poultry judging team
- The position is available immediately, and open until a suitable candidate is identified.
- Conduct research in the areas of nutrition and feed manufacturing
- Travel and present research findings at seminars and conferences
- Work toward completing an MS/PhD.

Your continued appointment will depend on your satisfactory performance of these duties, your continued status as a full-time graduate student in good academic standing (GPA of 3.0 or higher), need for the services, and availability of funds.

Other Compensation related to your employment as a GTA:

- Tuition is paid 100% for Fall and Spring semesters up to a max of 10 credits.
- Tuition is paid 100% for Summer semester up to a max of 6 credits.
- The position will pay \$18,000 per year
- In addition to tuition paid, a salary is offered commensurate with our MS and or PhD program
- Special fees (ie, Student Service Fees and College per credit hour fees) are not included and must be paid by the candidate.

- GTA Health Insurance (optional). This is an optional plan and enrollment is required at the beginning of each semester if you chose this benefit. To Enroll: <http://www.k-state.edu/hcs/benefits/health/gradhealth.html>
- Fees are paid directly to United Health Care by GTA at the beginning of each semester

Your employment at Kansas State University is governed by policies contained in the University Handbook, Policies and Procedures Manual, and by other policies adopted by the University and the department. Your employment is subject to these policies as they are; and they may from time to time be changed. It is your responsibility to be aware of and comply with these policies as well as others that may apply to you.

You can view the University policies here:

<https://www.k-state.edu/policies/>

Minimum

Requirements: B.S. in Animal Sciences or closely related field
Graduate School Admission/Acceptance

Other

Requirements: *Applicants must be currently authorized to work in the United States at the time of employment.*

In connection with your application for employment, Kansas State University will procure a Background Screen on you as part of the process of considering your candidacy as an employee.

How to Apply:

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