POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Position: Assistant Professor – Population Genetics

Location: Department of Plant Pathology
Throckmorton Plant Sciences Building
Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS 66506-5502

Appointment: Full time, Tenure Track, 90% Research – 10% Teaching, 12 Month

Available: January 1, 2008

Responsibilities: Develop a strong, independent population genetics research program emphasizing plant pathogens in agricultural and/or natural ecosystems. Key player in leveraging population genetics research for biodiversity analysis and conservation in collaborative projects. Teach at least one graduate level course in population genetics, train graduate students, secure extramural funding and publish research results in a timely manner. Ability to work in a multi-cultural setting and create an environment that fosters diversity and collegiality.

Qualifications: Required: Ph.D. in Plant Pathology, Genetics, Microbiology, Population or Evolutionary Biology or a related field. Excellent oral and written communication skills. Demonstrated experience in population genetics research.

Preferred: Post-doctoral and teaching experience at the college level; demonstrated track record in publishing and obtaining extramural funding and experience leading or working as part of an interdisciplinary research team or equivalent experience in government, industry or international institutions.

Applications: Please submit: 1) One page statements describing professional goals, research interests and teaching interest/philosophy; 2) A detailed curriculum vitae; 3) Reprints of up to five relevant publications and 4) Three letters of reference to:
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Please refer to ‘Population Genetics’ position in all correspondence.

**ELECTRONIC APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE REVIEWED**

Application Deadline: October 5, 2007 and continues until position if filled.

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