

Posting Details

Posting Information

Posting Number	PG160437EP
Internal Recruitment	No
Working Title	Assistant Professor (Animal Welfare)
Anticipated Hiring Range	Commensurate with Experience
Work Schedule	Monday - Friday, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Job Location	Raleigh, NC
Department	College of Agriculture and Life Sciences
About the Department	<p>The Prestage Department of Poultry Science is a world-class program creating knowledge and solving complex problems as well as preparing students for careers in a global industry that's growing rapidly as an expanding world population increases the demand for affordable protein. The Department also is a leader in extension and engagement programs to farmers, allied industry and the public, and conducts internationally recognized research into the nutrition, genetics, reproduction, health, and management of poultry.</p>
Essential Job Duties	<p>Develop a research program in the field of animal welfare, well-being, and/or animal behavior. Should have expertise in molecular, cellular, and physiological aspects of animal ethology including welfare and behavior. Develop relevant new undergraduate and graduate courses (applicable for students in both Poultry and Animal Sciences) in food animal welfare that will strengthen the curriculum. Advise and mentor undergraduate and graduate students. Develop a record of nationally recognized and extramurally funded scholarship. This is a key position in our interdisciplinary research programs combining expertise in one of more of the following disciplines: endocrinology, metabolism, nutrition, stress physiology, genetics, disease and nutrition to address critical issues in the animal industry.</p> <p>This person would serve as the nucleus for many research efforts in the area of applied animal ethology within the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences (CALs). The addition of this position and coordination with our other efforts and expertise will help make CALs a leader in assessing existing management systems and alternative management schemes, and in the development of new systems that promote economically sustainable animal welfare. The successful candidate will be expected to develop a research and extension education program that addresses current and emerging issues in food animal well-being and will teach and advise undergraduate and graduate students. The successful candidate will develop a record of nationally recognized and extramurally funded scholarship.</p> <p>The successful candidate is expected to develop and teach two to three new undergraduate and graduate courses (applicable for students in both the Prestage Department of Poultry Science and Department of Animal Science in food animal welfare that will strengthen our curriculum. The successful candidate will also be expected to establish an active relationship with other faculty in CALs, county-based extension agents, leaders in food animal agriculture, the general public and special interest groups to provide information and leadership related to well-being issues.</p>
Other Responsibilities	<p>The appointee will be responsible for additional contributions to the departmental curriculum, be actively involved in undergraduate advising, curricular development and department, college and university service. The appointee is also expected to participate in the outreach programs of the department and college. The individual will be part of a team of poultry scientists that is expected to enhance the Department and College's overall research, teaching, and extension programs. Inclusiveness and diversity are critical to the overall success of the University. Therefore the appointee will be expected to foster an environment that is welcoming of all groups. Collaboration with other scientists across the department, university, and at other institutions as well as interactions with livestock and poultry industry professionals is expected.</p>

Qualifications

Minimum Education and Experience	Candidates must have a Ph.D. or equivalent terminal degree in poultry science, animal science, animal behavior, physiology, or another closely related field, with training and experience in applied animal ethology. In addition, this faculty member should have extensive training in behavioral science, applied animal ethology, behavioral genetics, and associated disciplines.
Other Required Qualifications	Effective written and oral communication skills. Documented record of research and scholarship.
Preferred Qualifications	Postdoctoral experience and evidence of outstanding research and teaching potential is desired. Aptitude and desire to teach, train and interact with students, faculty, and industry colleagues is important. Preference will be given to candidates with documented success in research activities as demonstrated by publications and a record of extramural funding, documented teaching and advising experiences, and experience in and willingness to develop collaborative research projects.
Required License(s) or Certification(s)	n/a
Valid NC Driver's License required	No
Commercial Driver's License required	No

Recruitment Dates and Special Instructions

Job Open Date	04/03/2017
Anticipated Close Date	
Special Instructions to Applicants	Please attach a CV, unofficial transcripts and contact information for three professional references. Additionally, please attach the following supporting documents: 1) A Statement of Research – restricted to 2 pages 2) A Statement of Teaching Philosophy – restricted to 1 page If not filled by July 1, 2017, this position will remain open until filled.

Position Details

Position Number	00106252
Position Type	Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty
Full Time Equivalent (FTE) (1.0 = 40 hours/week)	1.00
Appointment	12 Month Recurring
Mandatory Designation - Adverse Weather	
Mandatory Designation - Emergency Events	
Is this position partially or fully funded on ARRA stimulus monies?	No
Department ID	111901 - Poultry Science

AA/EOE

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Final candidates are subject to criminal & sex offender background checks. Some vacancies also require credit or motor vehicle checks. If highest degree is from an institution outside of the U.S., final candidates are required to have their degree equivalency verified at www.wes.org or equivalent service. Degree(s) must be obtained prior to start date in order to meet qualifications and receive credit.

NC State University participates in E-Verify. Federal law requires all employers to verify the identity and employment eligibility of all persons hired to work in the United States.

Supplemental Questions

Required fields are indicated with an asterisk (*).

1. * How did you learn of this opportunity?
 - NCSU Website
 - NCSU Executive Search Services
 - Monster.com
 - CareerBuilder.com
 - InsideHigherEd.com
 - Other Online Job Board
 - Carolina Job Finder / Employment Guide
 - Job / Career Fair
 - The Chronicle of Higher Education
 - Professional Journal
 - Print Advertisement (Newspaper / Periodical)
 - Professional Organization
 - Direct Contact from NCSU HR Representative / Recruiter
 - NCSU Employee Referral
 - Social Media (LinkedIn, Twitter, Facebook, Other)
 - Other
2. * If you learned about this vacancy from "other source" or "other website", please provide the source.
(Open Ended Question)

Application Materials Required

Required Documents

1. Curriculum Vitae
2. Transcripts
3. Research Statement
4. Teaching Statement
5. Contact Information for References

Optional Documents

None