

University of Georgia, Graduate Research Assistantship - Weed Science

Description

An M.S. graduate research assistantship is available in the area of dinitroaniline and triazine resistance weed management. Specifically in the area of Palmer amaranth (*Amaranthus palmeri*) management in peanut, cotton, and corn and conducting surveys for herbicide resistance. The student will be conducting applied weed science research through field, greenhouse, and laboratory experiments and will be expected to summarize and present results from this research at professional and grower meetings, as well as in a final defense. The student will also be expected to interact and work with other graduate students and research associates in our program, and assist with other research projects being conducted. The student must also complete a minimum of 30 credit hours from selected courses accepted for graduate credit in the University of Georgia Crop and Soil Science Department.

Qualifications

B.S. degree in Agriculture, Agronomy, Biology, or other related discipline with a strong interest in plant sciences. Genuine interest in agricultural research, extension, and/or teaching and pursuing a career in agronomy or weed science. Must be able to work with others and travel to various research sites located throughout the state. Must demonstrate a proficiency of the English language (oral and written).

Locations

The University of Georgia, College of Agriculture Experiment Station Tifton campus. Some course work will be taken at the Athens campus.

Stipend & more: An annual stipend of at least \$15,500. Interested students should submit a package:

- 1) letter of application
- 2) resume
- 3) official degree transcripts
- 4) contact information for three references
- 5) GRE scores
- 6) TOEFL score (if applicable).

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