

Job Description

Lab Assistant at USDA-Agricultural Research Service

Date: 6/17/2009 (for 09-10 academic year)

Classification & Title: 9522 (Research Assistant I)

Employee:

Supervisor: Dr. Abdullah Jaradat

General Summary:

Lab assistant to work at the U.S. Department of Agriculture-North Central Soil Conservation Research Lab in Morris to assist with computer imagery and field work on plant and soil biology.

Principal Duties and Responsibilities:

Duties include field/soil sampling, harvesting, soil and/or plant processing and computer skills with an emphasis on quantitative imagery. Training will be provided.

Minimum/Essential Qualifications Needed to Perform Job:

Desired applicant must display dependability, reliability, initiative and a willingness to learn new skills. Applicant should display an aptitude for science or math. Applicant must be federal work study eligible and be willing to commit to a work schedule.

#Preferred Qualifications:

Candidate should display an aptitude for science or math.

*The employer reserves the right to change or add duties to this position as long as the changes and/or additions are consistent with the job classification.

#If needed or upon employers discretion with authorization from financial aid office.