

COLLEGE OF FOOD, AGRICULTURAL, AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

Assistant Professor - Equine Science/Animal Science

Ohio State Agricultural Technical Institute (ATI) located in Wooster, OH is accepting applications for a nine month, tenure track faculty position in Equine Science/Animal Science

Primary responsibilities: position responsibilities include, but are not limited to, teaching technical courses in equine science (e.g. introduction to horse science, nutrition, judging/evaluation, equine sales preparation and marketing, facilities maintenance/management, and racehorse training/conditioning); preparing students for careers in the operation, management and ownership of horse farms, employment within related agri-businesses or transition to Bachelor's Degree programs in Animal Sciences; advising students (academic, club, judging team); recruiting students; developing course and program curriculum; working closely with the ATI equine faculty and farm staff; developing working relationships with industries relevant to equine programs; engaging in a focused program of scholarly activity resulting in peer-reviewed publications and presentations; participating in professional development activities; providing service/leadership to the Institute, University, industry, and state, regional, and national professional organizations.

Qualifications: The preferred minimum qualification for this position is a Ph.D. in animal or equine science or a closely related field; or a DVM with equine experience; or master's degree and at least 5 years of equine industry experience. The successful candidate must be a team player and have strong evidence of teaching ability and industry experience. Interest and/or experience in harness racing/Standardbreds is desired.

Application Instructions: Please include the following: a) cover letter; b) curriculum vitae; c) copy of academic transcripts; d) statement of teaching philosophy; e) statement of philosophy of diversity and inclusion; f) one page statement of future research plans; g) contact information for 3 professional references and 2 reference letters. Submit all materials electronically, preferably as a single pdf document to Dr. Victor Ujor at <u>ujor.1@osu.edu</u>. Review of applications will begin April 30 and will continue until the position is filled.

The Ohio State University is committed to establishing a culturally and intellectually diverse environment, encouraging all members of our learning community to reach their full potential. We are responsive to dual-career families and strongly promote work-life balance to support our community members through a suite of institutionalized policies. We are an NSF Advance Institution and a member of the Ohio/Western Pennsylvania/West Virginia Higher Education Recruitment Consortium. The Ohio State University is an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation or identity, national origin, disability status, or protected veteran status.

Ohio State ATI is located in Wooster, Ohio and is part of The Ohio State University College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences (CFAES). The institute maintains a close relationship with the Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center (OARDC) and the Ohio State University Extension (OSUE). The purposes of the institute are to offer: 1) associate of science and associate of applied

science degrees and certificates which include general and technical courses; 2) credit and non-credit continuing education and workforce development opportunities; and 3) transfer programs leading to higher levels of education. Ohio State ATI is the largest institution of its kind in the nation, enrolling approximately 700 students and offering twenty-nine programs of study. Ohio State ATI is consistently ranked number one in the nation among two-year schools in the awarding of associate degrees in agriculture and related sciences. Students participate in a curriculum that provides excellent career preparation, combining coursework with a variety of hands-on practical experiences and the opportunity to make professional contacts through paid internships.